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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2559.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Wednesday and Thursday, December 25 and 26, 1918, and on Wednesday and Thursday, January 1 and 2, 1919.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 12, 1918

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2560.**

(*Translation*)

IN connexion with the payment of half-yearly interest on Municipal Loans, Chinese holders of Debenture Certificates are hereby notified that, in order more fully to protect their investments, it will be necessary in future for them to collect the accrued interest due to them from the offices of the Municipal Compradore No. 7A The Bund Payments will only be made subject to the presentation of the Interest Warrant accompanied by the Certificates relating thereto.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 12, 1918.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2562.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FOREIGN CHILDREN.**

THE schools will reopen on Monday, January 6, at 8.30 a.m. The attention of parents is directed to the following scale of monthly fees:—

*Public School for Boys.*
200 North Szechuen Road.
Boys over 10 years of age $12
Boys under 10 years of age 8
Extra Subject:—
Shorthand 2

*Public School for Girls.*
28 Boone Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten 5
Extra Subjects:—
Piano 5
Shorthand 2

24 Kungping Road.
Children under 8 years of age $8
Kindergarten children 5

88 Avenue Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten children 5

Admission to the Avenue Road School is restricted to girls under 15 years of age and to boys under 8 years of age. Admission to the Kungping Road School is restricted to girls and boys under 8 years of age.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*
63 Haskell Road, and

*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*
15 Boone Road.
Upper School, Boarders $20
Upper School, Day Scholars 6
Lower School, Boarders 18
Lower School, Day Scholars 5

Kindergarten children in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls will be charged the same rates as for the Lower School.

The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions:—

| For a family of | Public Schools | Thomas Hanbury Schools |
|---|---|---|
| 2 children | 20% | $1.20 |
| 3 or more children | 33⅓% | 2.00 |

In the case of children of non-resident parents (the term *non-resident* implies residence in Shanghai of less than six months) an approved guarantee in respect of the payment of fees is requisite before admission to the several schools.

Forms for the admission of new pupils may be obtained on application at the several schools, and should be presented by the new pupils themselves, when attending at the Schools for examination and admission on Friday, January 3, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., except in the case of the Thomas Hanbury Schools for which the hours of attendance will be Monday, January 6, between 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room
Shanghai, December 19, 1918.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 2563.

**VEHICLE RANKS.**

THE attention of the public is drawn to the following extract from Municipal Notification No. 2533, dated July 31, 1918:—

"Owners are earnestly requested to refrain from leaving their vehicles standing in the narrow and busy thoroughfares of the Central District, and to utilize the aforementioned ranks to the fullest possible extent, thus assisting the Police in the regulation of traffic."

Notice is hereby given that the rank on Hankow Road, between Kiangse and Honan Roads, is now ready for use. A telephone (Central 2544) has been installed on the rank, and an English-speaking Chinese Constable will be on duty between the hours of 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. daily.

In ordering their cars by telephone, owners are requested to mention only the number of the car required and not to enter into conversation with the Constable on duty.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 25, 1918.

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AT the special meeting of the Watch Committee held on Thursday, December 19, 1918, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
J. Johnstone
W. L. Merriman
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 12.50 p.m.

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AT the special meeting of the Watch Committee held on Monday, December 23, 1918, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. J. Johnstone (*Chairman*)
W. L. Merriman
Ed. White
E. C. Pearce

The meeting adjourned at 1 o'clock p.m.

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AT the special meeting of the Council held on Friday, December 27, 1918, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
E. I. Ezra
T. Ibukiyama
Count L. Jezierski
Messrs. J. Johnstone
W. L. Merriman
E. C. Richards
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 12.40 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Monday, December 30, 1918, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
E. I. Ezra
T. Ibukiyama
Count L. Jezierski
Messrs. J. Johnstone
W. L. Merriman
E. C. Richards
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 5.20 p.m.

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**Hongkew Disturbances.**

Further correspondence with the Japanese Consul-General is appended, in continuation of that published in the special Gazette of October 28:—

Shanghai, November 4, 1918.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 25th ultimo, together with an advance proof of the Shanghai Municipal Council's Report on the Disturbances in the Hongkew District in July last.

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I regret that the conclusions of the Council and certain statements as contained in the Report are altogether unsatisfactory to me and tend to convey an entirely wrong impression regarding the various incidents in these regrettable disturbances.

I, therefore, would respectfully suggest that the Council reconsider their decisions on the following grounds:--

1. In the Narrative of Events it is stated "Suddenly one of his companions smashed the electric light bulb with his hand. Then they (the Japanese) all rushed out into the street." From investigations which must have been known to Inspector Bourke, the real cause of this incident was through the Chinese watchmaker failing to return the strap belonging to the wrist watch placed with him for repairs. This is corroborated by the fact that a strap was returned to this Consulate the following day through the Hongkew Station. This point, although in itself a minor one, is none the less important as it gives the *real and true* cause that started the whole series of disturbances. The fact that the Chinese watchmaker returned a strap which was not the one in dispute only goes to prove that he was unable to return the original strap over which the dispute arose.

2. Regarding the four Japanese sailors who were arrested by the Municipal Police on July 16, and handed over to the Captain of H.I.J.M.S. "Chiyoda," the inference is given in the Report that they were not dealt with harshly by this Consulate and conveys to the public that they were formally dismissed. The Council apparently is ignorant of the fact that this Consulate has no jurisdiction over those sailors, which power is in the hands of the Naval Authorities, to whom the four sailors were handed over by the Municipal Police. The statement appearing in the Captain Superintendent's Report "There appears strong reason to believe that a large body of Japanese bluejackets, who were turned back on the first night of the trouble, took off their uniforms, donned Japanese kimonos and assisted in the various disturbances," is untrue and should not have been included in the Report. I have learned from the Japanese Naval Authorities that those men were confined to the Japanese Naval Club on subsequent nights during the trouble, and my own personal investigations corroborated this fact.

3. The Narrative of Events states that the two shop assistants R. Sato and F. Fida "were formally charged at the Japanese Consulate on the following morning and the case remanded without any decision having been given." This statement is incorrect. The two men were tried in the presence of Inspector Bourke by the Japanese Police Magistrate Toyoda and investigation proved that these two men were merely passers-by who had been attracted to the scene, and they were, therefore, discharged with a caution.

4. The Council complains that no information has been vouchsafed as to how the civilians arrested during the trouble have been dealt with in the Japanese Consular Court. In reply I would state that the Council has never applied for such information from this Consulate and it is not the usual procedure to communicate such particulars to the Council unless applied for. Of the ten Japanese civilians found guilty of participating in these disturbances four of them were deported from this country for a period of three years and the other six were sentenced each to one month's imprisonment. Therefore the statements made that leniency has been displayed in the punishment of Japanese concerned are entirely incorrect, and unwarranted.

5. The accusation that the powers of this Consulate over Japanese subjects are or have been flouted is entirely misinterpreted On no single occasion has any Japanese subject rebelled against the laws of this Consulate. The maintenance of peace and good order in Shanghai devolves upon the Municipal Authorities which they rightly claim, and this Consulate cannot prevent the assembling of crowds in the streets, or interfere in the police affairs of Shanghai. The powers of this Consulate are limited in that respect. This Consulate may exhort its subjects to keep peace and good order but does not possess the necessary means to enforce direct control, which responsibility devolves upon the Municipal Police.

6. The assembling of the Chinese Police in the Hongkew Market on the night of July 19, most certainly conveys the impression of a deplorable lack of discipline. It would appear that these constables, after leaving their duties, should have returned direct to the Hongkew Station, and the statement of Inspector Reeves "That they were quite quiet and orderly" is most certainly an extraordinary statement. Inspector Reeves must have known that it was an unusual occurrence for these men to assemble in the Hongkew Market when they should have been either at their posts or have returned to the Station to report "off duty." That they were gathered there for a specific purpose should have been suspected, and the most feasible steps to be taken at that time would appear to have been to order these Chinese Constables to return to the Station. The statement that the "Chinese Police who were still inside the Station compound broke their ranks and rushed into the charge room in an endeavour to get their carbines" gives the impression that there was some deliberately planned scheme on the part of these constables to violate the peace and good order of the Settlement.

7. The inability of the Police to trace the murderers of Japanese subjects during these disturbances is most certainly a grave matter. The Report admits that the carbines were in such a dirty condition that only one rifle could be certified as having been fired. Through the negligence of the Police the ends of justice have been foiled. That there are men among these Chinese Constables who are guilty of murder cannot be denied and therefore I consider disciplinary punishment as awarded by the Council is totally incommensurate with the offences committed. I am firmly of the opinion that failing the placing of individual responsibility that all those Chinese Police should be *at least* dismissed from the Council's service in order that Japanese and other residents may be assured that there will be no recurrence of such fatalities.

8. The statement "That no responsibility rests on the Council to make any compensation in respect of loss of life, or injuries or damage to property" is a matter which I trust will receive particular consideration. The Council admits that lives have been taken and injuries caused to Japanese residents, and property damaged by servants of the Council, who are employed to maintain order and protect the lives and property of residents in the Settlement, therefore this decision appears to be quite unfair. I would point out that there are precedents to show the Council's responsibility in this respect.

9. The funeral expenses of the Japanese Constable were arranged to be paid for between Vice-Consul K. Kishi and Captain Superintendent McEuen, without any limit being stated as to the amount to be allowed by the Council. Again this constable was killed when attempting to give his assistance to the Council. I am, therefore, surprised that the Council should object to the statement of expenses as presented.

10. Owing to the proximity of Japan to China there is naturally a preponderance of Japanese residents in Shanghai. Among them of course, there exists, as in every other nationality, a certain percentage of the lower class, but the records of Japanese who are registered at this Consulate show that there are very few "of whom have no visible means of support." There are many of the poorer class but they do not constitute a rowdy element; in fact, they give little trouble either to this Consulate or to the Municipal Authorities, and the statement that they are a serious menace to peace and good order is entirely unwarranted and lacks sufficient proof. That a certain amount of hot-headedness might have been displayed during the disturbances is probably correct, but this is certainly no criterion of their general conduct. The number of destitute Japanese is negligible.

11. It is gratifying to me to learn that the conduct of the Japanese Branch of the Police Force since its inception and throughout the disturbances has been exemplary. But I am rather surprised "that further action in regard to the engagement of additional Japanese Police should be suspended pending

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an expression of the views of the Ratepayers at the next Annual Meeting." If this Branch of the service has carried out its duties satisfactorily, surely "views which are apparent" is rather an extraordinary reason for suspending the engagement of an extra number of Japanese Police which has been tentatively arranged for. I would remind the Council of Captain Superintendent McEuen's request made to me upon the instructions of the Chairman of the Council in June last. At that time a certain number of candidates was asked for particulars to be submitted to the Council within one month. The definite engagement of these Police was postponed for satisfactory reasons which are well-known to the Council. Therefore this decision in my opinion has no connexion with neither should it have appeared in this Report, but such matter should have been communicated direct to me.

12. The remarks "that it is incredible that this incident (watch-shop) should have been more than the occasion for the disturbances and that the real cause must be sought elsewhere" and the "particular end" are allegations for which the Council possesses no proof, and such allegations which are purely surmise are not correctly a part of this official Report of the Disturbances. The proposal of the Japanese Residents' Corporation to distribute Japanese Police in the district of Hongkew, altogether under the direct command of the Captain Superintendent of Police, was merely the view of the Executive Committee submitted to me, in all good faith, at that critical time, merely a suggestion for the better maintenance of peace and good order, and with no ulterior motives or "Particular end" in view whatsoever.

13. "On the day after the trouble the attitude of the Japanese malcontents became so hostile that their officials feared that they might resort to acts of violence. At the request of the latter, therefore, a portion of the Volunteers were called out for duty and a request was made by the Japanese Consular Authorities that Japanese bluejackets should be landed from the warship in port. The latter request was definitely declined by the Council as being uncalled for. Owing, however, to some misunderstanding a party of bluejackets actually left the ship for the shore but were recalled before they could land. Thirty sailors in plain clothes were subsequently stationed at the Japanese Consulate-General, apparently to guard the inmates against their own nationals in spite of the fact that an assurance had been given that full protection would be forthcoming from the Police."

The foregoing paragraph is entirely misleading and I, therefore, give the following details regarding this particular statement:—

On the afternoon of July 20, Mr. Ibukiyama called upon me at my residence and stated that a certain section of Japanese residents suggested the landing of a party of marines, but knowing full well the usages of the Settlement, I flatly refused to consider the matter, but suggested the calling out of units of British and Japanese S.V.C. I then accompanied Mr. Ibukiyama to the residence of Mr. E. C. Pearce and only informed him of the suggestion that had been made and it was then decided to arrange for the Volunteers to "stand-by." That same evening a certain section of the Japanese in their fear persisted in having marines landed, with the result that Vice-Consul Kishi and Mr. Ibukiyama again called upon Mr. Pearce, and explained matters. Mr. Pearce stated that he had no objection to the landing of *unarmed* marines to the Japanese Consulate compound. This step was taken in order to appease certain residents, and with a view to contributing to the preservation of peace and good order. No attempt was made to violate the administrative powers of the Settlement.

14. The translation of the paragraph from an article which appeared in the "Shanghai Nippo" is not correctly translated in the latter part. The literal meaning of this should read: It would not appear in vain at this juncture to take every possible care for most unexpected happenings. I would advise the Council that upon the same morning that the paragraph referred to appeared, I called the Editor of the "Shanghai Nippo" to this Consulate and warned him against publication of such a report the latter part of which was liable to be misconstrued. On August 2, I received a letter from Mr. Pearce on this matter, although I did not reply in writing Vice-Consul Kishi called upon Captain Superintendent McEuen, and explained what steps had been taken by this Consulate. So the words "with what result is unknown" appearing in the Captain Superintendent's Report must be a mis-statement.

15. "The marked tendency recently to extend the functions of the Japanese Consular Police, so that during the disturbances and on occasion since reported by the Captain Superintendent, they have in fact usurped the functions of the Municipal Police" is an incorrect statement. During the disturbances Captain McEuen suggested that the Japanese Consular Police would prove useful, and whatever temporary assistance they rendered on this particular occasion, surely cannot be construed as a tendency to extend their functions. Recently I have received a letter from the Captain Superintendent complaining of a supposed infringment of Police jurisdiction, to which I replied and conveyed a clear and what I considered would prove a satisfactory explanation. Beyond this I have never been apprised of any other instance of usurpation by the Japanese Consular Police of the functions of the Municipal Police. If the Council had reasons to be apprehensive at any time regarding the functions of the Japanese Consular Police same should have been immediately communicated to me.

16. The statement that anti-Japanese feeling exists among certain sections of the Chinese Community, has no connexion with these disturbances. There are approximately some 15,000 Japanese residents in Shanghai, the majority of whom habitate together with Chinese, especially in the Hongkew district, and no such disturbances have previously occurred. In fact their relations in the past have been quite amicable. Therefore, the question of racial feeling does not enter into the matter at all. The disturbances were merely confined to the Chinese Constables and certain Japanese. It is also unfair to introduce the question of reported loans by certain Japanese in Peking into the Council's Report of these disturbances, as the majority of those concerned in such disturbances have not the slightest knowledge of political affairs.

I desire that the fullest consideration may be given to the foregoing by the Council, in order that a fair and just settlement of these disturbances may be arrived at. I would express the view that many of the points herein explained may assist the Council in that connexion.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. ARIYOSHI,
*Consul-General for Japan*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, December 5, 1918.

SIR,—I have the honour to refer to your latter of November 4 further on the subject of the disturbances which took place in the Hongkew District in July last and to inform you that the Council has noted and is giving its very careful consideration to your assertion that its conclusions and certain statements as contained in its Report on the disturbances are altogether unsatisfactory to you and tend to convey an entirely wrong impression of the various incidents in these regrettable disturbances and that the Council should accordingly re-consider its decisions on the grounds set forth by you at length in order that a fair and just settlement of the disturbances may be reached.

The evidence and reports which have to be re-considered and reviewed are lengthy and I have the honour to state that, although the Watch Committee has completed its preliminary consideration of the several points, to which you direct attention, it is probable that a further period of at least a week or two will elapse before the Council can communicate to you its considered reply.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

A. ARIYOSHI, Esq.,
Consul-General for Japan

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Council Room,
Shanghai, December 27, 1918.

SIR,—I now have the honour to reply to your letter of November 4 further on the subject of the disturbances which took place in the Hongkew District in July last.

The Council has given very careful attention and consideration to your views as therein expressed and much as it is regretted that its conclusions and certain of the statements contained in the Report on the disturbances are unsatisfactory to you, it cannot, I have the honour to state, concur with your view that they tend to convey an entirely wrong impression of the various incidents. On the contrary, it is the Council's considered opinion that the Report is full, frank and fair, that its views and recommendations on the several documents embodied therein are essentially just and that blame and commendation have been apportioned where due without fear or favour.

As you are doubtless aware a great deal of misconception existed on the subject of the disturbances, so much so that a report attributing responsibility therefor to the Japanese Branch of the Police Force was quite widely credited. Under the circumstances the Council considered that its enquiry and its Report to the Ratepayers, should be of as comprehensive a character as possible, rather than confined merely to the Council's findings, but, though this is the case, I have the honour to assure you that, in reaching its conclusions and in making its recommendations, the Council discounted such matters in the nature of evidence as lacked support or appeared to be of little importance in relation to the origin and cause of the disturbances or to the apportionment of blame.

Having thus replied in a general sense to your letter of November 4, I have the honour to deal next, in their order of sequence, with the several specific points to which you direct the Council's attention as follows:—

1. You state that the matter of the watch strap, although in itself a minor point, is none the less important as it gives the *real and true* cause that started the whole series of the disturbances. The Council is unable to agree with this view and in this connexion I have the honour to quote from a report by Chief Inspector Bourke.

"I beg to state that it was proved conclusively by the evidence submitted to the Court that the real cause of the occurrence was the smashing of the electric bulb and the stealing of the watch. There had been a discussion about a watch strap which could not be found at the time and which was eventually found and handed over to the Court the following morning.

"On presenting the case on the morning of July 17 the Japanese Magistrate informed me that an investigation had been held on board (on H.I.J.M.S. "Chiyoda") and that the sailors had stated that the whole cause of the trouble had originated from the watch strap. The Authorities apparently believed the statement made by the sailors as the Magistrate stated that he did not wish to hear any evidence in the case. I insisted that all the evidence be taken by the Court and that the witnesses be heard as the case was a very serious one. All the evidence was submitted on the morning of July 18, and after it had been submitted, the Magistrate suggested that the complainant be asked to withdraw the charge of larceny and to say that it was not true as the Naval Authorities were highly incensed at the charge being made and that it was a stigma on the whole of the Navy. He further suggested that the watch strap might have been stolen by some Chinese in the commotion. I replied that it was not within my powers to ask the complainant to withdraw the charge and further stated that on the evidence submitted to the Court a very strong case had been made out against the sailors. The Charge Sheet was then endorsed "Remanded."

2. The statement that the case against the sailors was remanded without any decision being given is therefore strictly accurate and I have the honour to submit that it does not "convey to the public that they were formally dismissed."

The Council notes that your Consulate General had no jurisdiction over these sailors. This being so, I have the honour to comment on the fact that so far as the Council is aware, no part of the evidence which was submitted to the Japanese Police Magistrate on the morning of July 18, was taken down in writing and transmitted to the Naval Authorities, and that the Municipal Police were never requested to attend any trial on board H.I.J.M.S. "Chiyoda."

The statement in the Captain Superintendent's report "There appeared strong reason to believe that a large party of Japanese bluejackets who were turned back on the first night of the trouble took off their uniforms, donned Japanese kimonos and assisted in the various Disturbances *which took place later in the evening*" was uncorroborated and no importance was attached thereto by the Council. Since, however, you refer to this statement I have the honour to quote from a translation of an article by "Yuzan sei" which was published in the July 29 issue of the Japanese newspaper "Shanghai":—

"It is said that those sailors of the Chiyoda who were on shore and who on hearing of the fighting became exceedingly excited. Most of them changed their uniform into plain clothes and attacked the watch repairer with some degree of violence late at night. It seems to me that this was an actual fact. They did this because they could not control their excitement, but as members of the crew of a man-of-war, it was regrettable that they stooped to fight a private fight late at night in private clothes."

It has not been suggested that the blue-jackets were not confined to the Japanese Naval Club on nights during the disturbances subsequent to July 16. In his report the Captain Superintendent very definitely states that the donning of kimonos and the assisting in the disturbances occurred on the evening of July 16. There is evidence to show that at least 70 blue jackets were in the neighbourhood on that night, and that they were turned back from the junction of Quinsan and Woosung Roads by an officer from H.I.J.M.S. Chiyoda and by the Captain of the Japanese Company of the Volunteer Corps.

In reply to your comment that the Captain Superintendent's statement in regard to the donning of kimonos should not have been included in the Report, I have the honour to emphasize that it was the Council's desire that nothing in connexion with the disturbances should be suppressed and that the Captain Superintendent's report was accordingly published in extenso.

3. The Council is unable to agree that the statement in the Narrative of Events regarding the two shop assistants R. Sato and F. Fida is incorrect. These two men were arrested at about 10.30 p.m. on the night of July 18 for disorderly conduct on Woosung Road for assaulting the Police and for rescuing a prisoner from custody. They were handed over at once to your Consulate-General and were apparently released shortly afterwards as they were observed out again at about 11 p.m. on the same evening. On the following morning a formal charge was laid against them and, in the opinion of the Police, the overwhelming evidence submitted proved the charge against them. If the men were "merely passers-by who had been attracted to the scene and they were therefore discharged with a caution" it is not clear to the Council why the Charge Sheet should have been endorsed "Remanded."

4. The Council expected that in a matter of such importance information would naturally be conveyed to the Police as to how the civilians arrested during the disturbances were dealt with in the Japanese Consular Court. It is usual for such information to be volunteered by the other Consular Courts in Shanghai and quite unusual for the Council to make any application in the matter to the Courts concerned. That ten Japanese civilians who were found guilty of participating in the disturbances were either ordered to be deported or sentenced to terms of imprisonment is noted with satisfaction but so far as the Council is aware these civilians were neither arrested nor charged by the Police. If this is so then their cases were presumably dealt with direct by the Japanese Consular Police who have thus, I have the honour to point out, again been permitted to exercise those functions which should properly be exercised by the Municipal Police and by them alone. The statement

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appearing in the Report that leniency was displayed in the punishment of the Japanese concerned applied specifically as you will note to cases occurring during the Disturbances or previous thereto and to cases which were within the knowledge of the Council and the Police, and as regards these it does appear to the Council that leniency was shown.

5. The Council concurs with your statement that the "maintenance of peace and good order in Shanghai devolves upon the Municipal Authorities" and that your "Consulate cannot prevent the assembling of crowds in the streets nor interfere in the Police affairs of Shanghai" and that the "powers of your Consulate are limited in that respect." At the same time I have the honour to remind you that in your letter of August 5 you stated that as a result of a call from the Captain Superintendent you took such steps as were necessary "to ensure peace and good order being maintained by Japanese subjects" and that you "could safely declare that such precautions proved entirely successful."

As regards the reference to the flouting of their Consular representatives by a certain class of Japanese, I have the honour to state that the action of a section of the Japanese community, the statements made by officials attached to your Consulate General and other matters which came to the Council's knowledge during the disturbances did convey the very definite impression that a certain class of Japanese did indeed flout the authority of your Consulate-General.

6. That the assembling of the Chinese Police in the Hongkew Market on the night of July 19 undoubtedly constituted a serious breach of discipline, the Council readily admits. How it was that they assembled here is, however, explained at some length in the Narrative of Events, but in amplification; it may be emphasized that a number of the Police beats in the Hongkew District are so arranged as to converge on the Station of the district, so that the Police going on duty shall relieve those going off duty in the vicinity of the Station. There is not in the opinion of the Watch Committee and of the Council any evidence that would justify even the surmise that the Chinese constables collected in the market in accordance with any preconceived plan having as its object the violation of the peace and good order of the Settlement. In regard to the evidence of Inspector Reeves that when he passed the Chinese constables assembled in the market at 11.40 p.m. on July 19 on his way to the Hongkew Station "they were quite quiet and orderly" which you characterize as extraordinary, I have the honour to state that this evidence has independent corroboration in the evidence of a civilian who passed the market at the same time.

7. The failure to prove which of the constables participated in the rioting on the night of July 19 and to identify those responsible for the deaths of the Japanese constable and the Japanese civilian is regrettable in the extreme. That this failure was in the main due to the neglect in supervision of the carbines issued to the Chinese was very definitely stated in the Council's findings contained in the Report and the blame therefor was apportioned therein. As regards your suggestion that the Chinese constables should at least be dismissed from the Police Force, I have the honour to inform you that the Council admits that a grave breach of discipline occurred and accordingly very serious consideration was given to the desirability of this action before the Council made its recommendation as to disciplinary punishment with class reduction for all concerned and that it was forced to the conclusion that action on these lines would necessarily involve dismissal of constables who were innocent of any participation in the disturbances whilst others who participated but whose participation could not be proved would receive no punishment. The Council also concluded that no good would result but that such action might not improbably lead to further trouble whilst it would certainly tend to embitter the racial feeling which undoubtedly does exist between certain sections of the Japanese and Chinese communities.

The Council entirely concurs that disciplinary punishment seems inadequate and the Captain Superintendent's report expresses this view. It was the Council's desire that a charge should be laid in the Mixed Court against those concerned in the disturbances but on taking legal advice as to whether the evidence would justify (a) a charge of riot against the Chinese constables who were concerned and or (b) criminal proceedings against C.P.C. 964, the Council was definitely advised that the evidence was insufficient to justify such proceedings. In regard to (a) the advice was as follows:—

"In deciding this point the deciding factor is undoubtedly one of identification. It can be stated definitely that an unknown number of Chinese police constables out of a known number of 120 took part in the riot and it is a curious thing that there is no deponent who can definitely state that any particular C.P.C. took part in the riot, except that Japanese constable No. 16 and Japanese sergeant No. 2 say they shot two P.Cs. who were to all intents and purposes taking part in the riot, and we know that C.P.Cs. 964 and 965 were wounded. At first sight this might appear sufficient to charge these two men with riot, especially as the carbine of C.P.C. 964 was afterwards found to have been fired. But I must advise that no conviction could be hoped for on the uncorroborated testimony of the Japanese who are undoubtedly highly interested witnesses in that they *must* say the C.P.Cs. were rioting in order to justify their (the Japanese) use of their revolvers. It is very doubtful whether, what the C.P.Cs. were doing at the moment they were shot would, amount in law to a riot. As to the used carbine of C.P.C. 964, in his statement this C.P.C. says he never used his carbine, which is obviously a "lie" but in one of the reports of Inspector Reeves, the latter says that C.P.C. 964 told him soon after the occurrence "he (the Japanese) shot first" this would at any rate be his obvious defence and possibly was what happened, as the C.P.C. may well have fired his one and only shot after he was wounded, in which case he could plead 'self-defence' in answer to a charge of riot. In my opinion, therefore, no charge of riot could be successfully preferred against the 120 constables and for the reasons given above, neither against C.P.Cs. 964 and 965."

In regard to (b) the advice was as follows:—

"First this man—although undoubtedly lying when he says his carbine was not used that night—has an obvious answer to any more serious charge, such as attempting to cause grievous bodily harm, in the plea of "Self-defence." There is really nothing to show that this man's carbine was not fired after he was shot by the Japanese. No charge of murder, manslaughter or unlawful wounding could, of course, lie as there is no evidence available to show which particular Japanese was killed or wounded by which particular C.P.C. or even probabilities of either. At least 12 shots were fired by Chinese police constables that night and there is nothing to show that civilians were not firing as well, though this is probably unlikely. I must therefore advise that in my opinion the evidence available against C.P.C. 964 is not strong enough to justify the institution of criminal proceedings against him in the Mixed Court."

8. The Council cannot accept any responsibility for compensation in respect of loss of life or injuries or damage to property, and in reply to your contentions I have the honour to point out that in so far as such loss of life, injuries and damage can be ascribed to the Chinese constables it certainly did not arise out of action taken by them within the scope of their employment. At the same time the Council is not unwilling, purely as an act of grace and solely in the hope that thereby better feeling may result, to recommend to the Ratepayers at the forthcoming Annual Meeting that reasonable compensation be made to those Japanese and Chinese alike who suffered in the course of the disturbances.

9. The Council called for a report by the Captain Superintendent in reference to the arrangements made with Mr. Vice-Consul Kishi, in regard to the funeral expenses of the Japanese constable killed during the disturbances and he states.

"I certainly informed Mr. Kishi, that the Council would pay the necessary funeral expenses, but

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it was never intended that these should be on such an elaborate scale. If the sum of $600 had been mentioned to me at the time I would certainly have felt compelled to refer the matter for instructions."

The Council is of opinion that in making the same allowance as is made for the funeral expenses and tomb-stones for members of the Foreign Branch it is acting generously and it is with regret that it is unable to sanction payment of the full amount of the bill presented by the Japanese Residents' Corporation, which includes presents of money to Japanese temples in Shanghai, together with carriage and motorcar hire for those attending the funeral and other items such as, the Council considers, should not under any circumstances be payable by the Council.

10. It has nowhere been stated by the Council that "the poorer class" of Japanese "constitute a rowdy element" but in the Council's opinion there is every justification for the statement that a rowdy element does exist in the Hongkew District and that this element is a serious menace to peace and good order. The Chief Inspector in charge of the district reports that for some years past, more especially of late, it has been found that this element does exist in particular in the vicinity of the Yalu Road. On more than one occasion the Police have had to be called out in force to quell disturbances between Chinese and Japanese, when the latter have set law and order at defiance. Moreover the present Japanese Police Magistrate shortly after his arrival in Shanghai informed the Chief Inspector in charge that there was a loafer class existing among the Japanese residents in Shanghai and that he intended to suppress them.

That the records of Japanese who are registered at your Consulate-General show that there are very few who have no visible means of support is noted, but I have the honour to refer to the admission made by one of your Consular officials that at the time of the disturbances there were some two hundred Japanese of whom your Consulate-General knew nothing and who presumably did not, therefore, appear in the Consular records.

11. In regard to the engagement of Japanese Police, whilst again emphasizing that the conduct of the Japanese Branch since its inception and throughout the disturbances has been exemplary I have the honour to submit first that the Council's decision in regard to this matter was properly embodied in its Report on the disturbances particularly since it was a matter to which you referred in your letter of August 5 and subsequently on several occasions in conversation with me and the Acting Secretary to the Council and, secondly, that realizing that there was no inconsiderable opposition to the employment of further Japanese Police, it was the Council's undoubted duty, even though it is believed that such opposition was based upon a misconception of the facts, to suspend any action in this connexion pending an expression of the views of the Ratepayers at the next Annual Meeting. Apart from this duty it is, I think you will concur, desirable that, if the strength of the Japanese Branch of the Police Force is to be increased it shall be increased with the approval and not with the disapproval of the Ratepayers.

12. The Council cannot agree with your contention that what amounts to a surmise or an expression of view should not form any part of the Report on the disturbances. As I had the honour to state in the third paragraph of this letter the Council considered that the enquiry should be exhaustive and its Report to the Ratepayers of as comprehensive a character as possible, and the Council is of the opinion that a report without any expression of views by the Council would not have fulfilled these requirements nor the duty that the Council owes to the Ratepayers. At the same time I have the honour to emphasize that the Council's findings do not contain any surmise other than such as the Council considered justified and that where definite proof or support was lacking this was clearly indicated thus:—

3. That the watch shop incident of July 16 was in itself a trivial one: that it is incredible that this incident should have been more than the occasion for the disturbances and that the real cause must be sought elsewhere, possibly, *though it cannot be stated with positive assurance*, in an endeavour on the part of a certain section of the Japanese community to create a condition of affairs of which advantage might be taken to secure some particular end that they had in view.

6. That the anti-Japanese feeling to which reference is made in paragraph 2 above, was undoubtedly shared by the Chinese Police, but that the evidence recorded in the Narrative of Events definitely shows that when Inspector Reeves passed the Chinese constables assembled in the Hongkew Market at 11.40 p.m. on July 19 on his way to the Hongkew Police Station, they were quite quiet and orderly. That something extraordinary must have occurred during the next few minutes to have caused an entire change in the demeanour of the constables: that *there is no positive evidence* as to what that "something" was: but that in the Committee's opinion, the evidence (*inter alia*) as to the gathering of groups of Japanese in various parts of the Hongkew District on the night in question—many of them armed—the evidence as to the gathering of and the disturbance created by such a group in Young Allen Terrace and of their subsequent rush down the Chapoo Road into the Boone Road, the evidence as to a Japanese addressing a group at the Nanzing and Boone Road corner, "Never mind the reason, go for the Chinese," and the evidence of the Chinese hawker who was stabbed by a Japanese on the Woosung Road, justify the view that the Japanese crowd which advanced up the Boone Road towards the Hongkew Market infuriated the Chinese constables there assembled either by an attack upon Chinese civilians or upon the Chinese constables themselves and that it was only then that the Chinese constables lost control and took part in the ensuing firing and destruction of property.

The Council, however, welcomes your assurance that "the proposal of the Japanese Residents' Corporation to distribute Japanese Consular Police in the district of Hongkew altogether under the direct command of the Captain Superintendent of Police was merely the view of the Executive Committee submitted" by the Committee "in all good faith, at that critical time merely as a suggestion for the better maintenance of peace and good order with no ulterior motives or particular end in view whatsoever."

13. On comparison of the paragraph which you quote from the Captain Superintendent's report with your own statement on the subject of the landing of bluejackets, the Council cannot, I have the honour to state, find anything in the former that is misleading, though it is true that the Captain Superintendent's statement is less comprehensive than yours. You will recall that I took no objection to the landing of the bluejackets for protection of your Consulate-General because the grounds of the Consulate-General are outside the control of the Council: you will also recall that I suggested that their landing was unnecessary since full protection could be afforded by the Police. The minute of the Council under date of July 24, in regard to this incident is as follows:—

"The minutes of the special meeting of the Watch Committee of July 20 are submitted and confirmed and the Chairman informs the members of the course of subsequent events. He refers to a telephone message from the Japanese Consul-General, Mr. Ariyoshi, early in the afternoon of July 20, to Mr. Ariyoshi's call on him later accompanied by Mr. Ibukiyama when they stated that the Japanese residents were very excited and expressed the fear that there was danger of further trouble from the irresponsible section and that there might be a recurrence that night of the events of the previous night: they therefore requested that the Volunteers should be called out. In reply he informed Mr. Ariyoshi that the Captain Superintendent had already advised that the Police were in a position to handle the situation, and that the assistance of the Volunteers was unnecessary. As Mr. Ariyoshi was insistent, suggesting that at least the Japanese Company and one British unit should be detailed for patrol work in the Hongkew District, he communicated with the Commandant, after reference to the Captain Superintendent, and arranged that the Japanese, the American and one British unit—the Shang-

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l Scottish—should be called out. ill later in the evening at about o'clock Mr. Kishi, the Japanese ice-Consul, telephoned the re- est that Japanese marines and ilors should be landed to patrol d streets: he informed Mr. hi very definitely in reply that is request could not be approved, at the defence forces of the ttlement were well able to hand- the situation and that in any e the landing of armed forces any nation could not be ap- oved except in accordance with e usual formalities. Messrs. ishi and Ibukiyama subsequent- called and the former again essed for the landing of Japan- e marines and sailors but he fused to approve of this step ey then stated that they would nd them for the protection of the nsulate-General, to which he plied that, since the Japanese nsulate-General was Govern- nt property, the Council could t press objection to the em- oyment of a certain number of arines and sailors for its protec- on, if the Japanese Consular thorities considered that such tep was necessary, but that in opinion it was quite unnecess- y since the Council was willing d able to grant adequate Police otection. He understands that entually some 20 to 30 marines d sailors were landed without ms and posted at the Japanese nsulate-General."

The Council has had the para- ph in the "Shanghai Nippo" of y 26, 1918, re-translated and it s as follows:—

*Rumour of Attack in Hongkew ght by Chinese in a body. anese should take precautions.*

"Since the outbreak of violence the part of the Chinese Police, squieting rumours have been oat. There are wild stories of attack and also of destruction. ese must have an effect on busi- ss and on the administration.

"A rumour was current yester- y among the Chinese in Hong- w to the effect that Chinese bad aracters were in many places nsulting with the Chinese Police th a view to taking revenge on Japanese shops on the night the 19th of the Chinese Calen- r. There can be nothing more reatening than this. There is smoke without fire. The Au- orities state that the Japanese ed not be afraid as complete rangements have been made, t it may not be unwise to pare ourselves for the unex- rted."

I ve the honour to suggest that difference between this transla- and the first translation is ly a matter of wording and that meaning remains substantially same and further that you ap- ntly took a serious view of the le in question since you con red it desirable, before the ncil's representations on the ect had reached you, on your initiative, to summon the or before you and warn him nst the publication of such a rt. In regard to your state- that Mr. Vice-Consul Kishi called upon the Captain Superintendent and explained the action that had been taken in this connexion by your Consulate-General and in reply to your complaint that the Captain Superintendent's statement "with what result is unknown" must be a mis-statement, I have the honour to inform you that the Captain Superintendent has no recollection of Mr. Vice-Consul Kishi calling on him and informing him of the action taken by you in this connexion, and that no report of this call was made by the Captain Superintendent to the Council although at this time he was in constant touch with the Council.

15. In regard to the marked tendency recently to extend the functions of the Japanese Consular Police so that during the disturbances and on occasions since reported by the Captain Superintendent they have in fact usurped the functions of the Municipal Police," I have the honour to state that this statement does not appear to the Council to be either unwarranted or incorrect, and that, in the particular instance to which you refer, the Council is still of the opinion that there was usurpation of Police jurisdiction. Other instances have occurred from time to time, some of them of no particular consequence, but the accumulation of them certainly does, in the Council's opinion, warrant the statement referred to. In regard to your contention that the Captain Superintendent suggested that the Japanese Consular Police would prove useful during the disturbances. I have the honour to inform you that the Captain Superintendent denies that he made any such suggestion and he points out that to have done so would have been in direct conflict with the attitude which he has consistently maintained in reference to the functioning of the Japanese Consular Police.

16. The Council is unable to agree that "the question of racial feeling does not enter into the matter at all" and that "it is unfair to introduce the question of reported loans by certain Japanese in Peking into the Council's report on the disturbances as the majority of those concerned have not the slightest knowledge of political affairs," for from many instances that have come to its knowledge and from close contact with the Police problems of the Settlement the Council is convinced that a strong anti-Japanese feeling does exist among certain sections of the Chinese Community, and that taking advantage of this feeling political malcontents and others have endeavoured to further their own interests by irritating Chinese opinion by reports of loan agreements concluded with Japanese in Peking. An endeavour in which they have been assisted by the Chinese press, consciously and unconsciously and by certain sections of the foreign press, over both of which, as is emphasized in the Report, the Council has been denied any efficient control by the Consular Body's action in withholding approval of the Bye laws which were passed by the Ratepayers in 1917, and whereunder provision was made for the licensing of the press.

In conclusion I have the honour to refer to the Council's expression of regret contained in my letter of October 25 that these disturbances should have occurred and that any Japanese subject should have lost his life or received injuries or damage to property and to the hope therein expressed that a like expression of regret might be tendered in the name of the Japanese community in respect of their Chinese fellow residents and of the Chinese Police who likewise suffered.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

A. ARIYOSHI, Esq.,
Consul-General for Japan.

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**Telephone Service.**

*German Subscribers.*—Correspondence with Messrs. Garrels, Börner & Co. on the subject of the telephone service:—

Shanghai, November 12, 1918.

SIR,—Referring to a letter of the Shanghai Mutual Telephone Co., Ld. dated November 9, by which our firm is informed that under a certain British regulation, the Telephone Co. will disconnect and remove our telephone on the 15th instant we beg to draw the Council's attention to the following:—

As Shareholders of the Telephone Company and as ratepayers of this International Settlement we are entitled to have a telephone under the terms of the Articles of Association and of the Municipal Franchise which the Company is enjoying Besides there exists a contract between the Company and our firm, which on the strength of the aforesaid Articles of Association and Franchise cannot be dissolved without our consent as long as we pay our subscriptions, which for the quarter ending December 31 has already been done in advance.

We therefore beg to protest against the intended action of the Shanghai Mutual Telephone Company and request the Council to prevent the enforcement of a British regulation affecting the International character of the existing Agreements.

We are, Sir,
Your obedient servants,
GARRELS, BORNER & CO. M. B. H.,
P. WESTENDORFF.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 27, 1918.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of November 12 protesting against the intended disconnexion and removal of your telephone by the Shanghai Mutual Telephone Co., Ld. under instructions from H.M. Consul-General following the issue of General Licence under King's Regulations, No. 1 of 1917 and in reply to inform you that the Council is advised that since the Telephone Company is a British company disconnexion and removal of your telephone does not involve any breach of the Company's Agreement with the Council of 1908.

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the circumstances being such as to constitute an "unavoidable cause" within the meaning of Clause 14 of that Agreement.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Messrs. GARRELS, BORNER & Co., M. B. H.

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Shanghai, December 10, 1918.

SIR,—We still have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of November 27, from which we note that the Council considers that disconnexion and removal of our telephone does not involve any breach of the Shanghai Mutual Telephone Co.'s Agreement with the Council, the circumstances being alleged to be such as to constitute an "unavoidable cause" within the meaning of Clause 14 of that Agreement.

As one of the Ratepayers of this Settlement, for whose interest and upon whose authorization the said Agreement was concluded by the Council, we most emphatically protest against such ruling as above, which it is impossible to uphold under the Land Regulations governing this Settlement.

As the matter is of considerable public interest we beg to request you to publish this correspondence in the Municipal Gazette.

Yours faithfully,
GARRELS, BORNER & Co. M. B. H.,
P. WESTENDORFF.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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**Educational Facilities.**

Petition from residents in the Western District suggesting that the Western District Branch School for Girls be conducted on the lines which obtained at the Boone Road School, where provision was made for the education of boys and girls in separate classes, with the Council's reply, and letter to the Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld. on the subject of the running of special tram-cars for the convenience of children attending schools:—

Shanghai, July 29, 1918.

SIR,—We, the undersigned residents of the Western District, beg to draw the attention of the Council to the question of the education of young boys. As at present situated the Boys' School on the North Szechuen Road Extension is in many cases five miles from our residences, and this means that boys over eight years of age have to leave home at 7.15 a.m., and do not return till 4.30 p.m. It is neither safe nor advisable to have small boys of eight or nine spending two hours daily in tramcars; besides nine hours absence from home is too great for boys of that age.

The object of your petitioners is to suggest that the Municipal School for the Western District be run on lines similar to the old system in vogue at the Boone Road School, i.e. a school for both boys and girls, but in separate classes.

Yours faithfully,
L. M. CANNING,
*and 67 others.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 2, 1918

MADAM,—I am directed to reply to you and to your co-signatories of the petition which was presented to the Council in August last, calling attention to the lack of educational facilities for small boys of 8 and 9 years of age resident in the Western District, emphasizing the disadvantages of their attendance at the Public School for Boys in the North Szechuen Road and finally suggesting that the Western District Branch School for Girls should be conducted on the lines which obtained at the Boone Road School when provision was made for the education of both boys and girls in separate classes.

Your suggestion involves the raising of the existing age limit for boys in attendance at the Western District Branch School for Girls, but, after hearing the views of the Headmaster of the Public School for Boys and of the Headmistress of the Public School for Girls, the Foreign Educational Committee is firmly of the opinion that this course would be undesirable as would also be the education of boys of over 8 years of age in the same school as girls even though in separate classes. On the other hand the Committee fully appreciates the disadvantages of the attendance of boys of 8 and 9 at the Public School for Boys in the North Szechuen Road Extension and accordingly and, with a view to their mitigation, the Committee has recommended and the Council has approved that an endeavour be made to arrange with the Tramway Company for the running of special trams, for the convenience of children residing in the Western District and attending schools in the Hongkew District and beyond, such arrangements having as their object the obviation so far as possible of changes and unnecessary stops and provision of special doors to the tramcars so as to minimise any danger to the children whilst so travelling.

In regard to the general question of the provision of a school for boys in the Western District, the view has already been expressed by the Permanent Education Committee and endorsed by the Council, that it may reasonably be inferred from the results attending the establishment of the Avenue Road School that an equal need exists for the provision also in the Western District of educational facilities for boys. For certain reasons, however more particularly financial reasons, which have thus far prevented any commencement on the construction of a girls' school on the site adjoining the Tifeng Road which was purchased by the Council for this purpose, the opinion is held that it would be undesirable to consider this question further at the present time.

I am, Madam,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Mrs. L. M. CANNING,
and others.

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 2, 1918.

SIR,—The Council has recently had under consideration a petition from certain residents in the Western District calling attention to the lack of educational facilities for small boys of 8 and 9 years of age residing in this district, emphasizing the disadvantage of their attendance at the Public School for Boys in the North Szechuen Road Extension and finally suggesting that the School for Girls in the Western District should be conducted on lines similar to those which obtained at the Boone Road School, when provision was made for the education of both boys and girls in separate classes. A copy of this petition and of the Council's reply thereto is enclosed herein and in connexion with the statement which appears in the former that "it is neither safe nor advisable to have small boys spending two hours a day in tramcars" and with reference to the Council's intention expressed in the latter to endeavour to make some special tram service arrangements, I am directed to submit for your consideration and kind attention the following suggestions which should certainly assist in meeting the requirements of the case:—

1. That your Company should run:—
   - (*a*) One car or more, if necessary, from Bubbling Well to reach the Public School for Boys, North Szechuen Road Extension, at about 8.15 or 8.20 a.m., and a return car to leave the school at 3.45 p.m.
   - (*b*) One car or more, if necessary, from the Yangtszepoo terminus to reach the Astor House crossing and, if possible, turn there to the North Szechuen Road route so that boys can make the journey from the Eastern District to school without changing cars, reaching school about 8.15 or 8.20 a.m. A return car to leave the school at about 3.45 p.m.
   - (*c*) If necessary, on account of numbers, one car or more, from Carter Road to reach the school at 8.15 or 8.20 a.m.
   - (*d*) One car from the Shanghai Club to reach the school at 8.15 or 8.20 a.m.
   - (*e*) One car to leave the school at 5 p.m. to Mohawk Road.
2. That these special cars be fitted with doors of wire mesh or of other suitable form to be kept shut when the car is in motion.
3. That only certain definite stopping places be permitted, these to be determined according to the proximity of the schools, the more thickly populated districts and the requirements of traffic and of safety.

The Council will appreciate an expression of your views on the above suggestions.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

D. McCOLL, Esq.,
General Manager,
Shanghai-Electric Construction Co., Ld.

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### Private Nursing Service.

Additional accommodation has been provided by arrangement with the Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. for a lease of No. 34 Boone Road for a period of three years terminating on December 31, 1921.

### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Bubbling Well Road.*—The claim of Messrs. Davies and Brooke has been accepted for the area scheduled from Lot 2811 for widening the Bubbling Well Road, at the assessed value Tls. 3,200 per mow plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender or Tls. 2,316 for Mow 0.658.

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, December 22, 1918. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 20,455 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 658,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 15 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all causes | 6 | 121 |

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, December 29, 1918. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 20,455 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 658,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox. | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera. | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever. | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Diphtheria. | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever. | 0 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis. | 0 | 17 |
| Plague. | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 104 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 628 | Chekiang | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | bridge & altns. |
| 41D | Kiukiang | Y. Hirano | | | 2 strong-rooms |
| 29 | Nanking | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | 1 | |
| 77D | Peking & Szechuen | do. | | 1 | |
| 22 | Yuenming-yuen | Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld. | | | altns. |
| 714 | Haining and Fusan | Brandt & Rodgers | | | altns. & addns. |
| 1077 | Broadway East | P. Tilley | | | addns. |
| Unreg. N of 940 | Hailar | Cheng Ching Kee | | | store house |
| Unreg. E of 379 | Urga | Lenn Ya & Co. | | 2 | shed |
| 7220 | Ward | Hans E. Lieb | | | pump house |
| 2327 | Y'poo | New Engineering & Shipbuilding Works, Ld. | | | addns. |
| 6015 | do. | Palmer & Turner | | 1 | |
| 3263 & 3265 | Ferry and Avenue | Shun Nih & Co. | 1 | | |
| 3051 | Medhurst | Harvie & Gibbon, Ld. | | | block servants' quarters |
| 2894 | Seymour | China Realty Co., Ld. | 1 | 1 | servants' quarters |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 211 | Peking and Honan | E. D. Sassoon & Co. | 104 | | |
| 128 | Peking | Chen Sing Kee | | | addns. |
| Unreg. E of 395 | Tsepoo and N. Fokien | Wong Tong Kee | 7 | | |
| Unreg. W of 1670 | Kwenming | Zee Tah Tsun | 3 | | |
| Unreg. W of 1270 | Tongshan | Chun Wei Ping | 3 | | |
| 1906 | Ward | Yao King Kee | 3 | | |
| 791 | Chengtu | R. E. Stewardson | 56 | | |
| 3049 | Sinza | Yu Ting Ching | 3 | | latrine |
| 3473 3474 & 3487 3488 | Sinza | Zee Shan Kee | 53 | | |
| 686 | Stonebridge and Sinza | Soey Cheng & Co. | 11 | | |

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, DECEMBER 28.

*Police Force.*—Chief Detective Inspector W. Armstrong is appointed Chief Detective Officer from August 1, 1918.

1st Class Constable F. C. Stubbings is promoted to be 3rd Class Sergeant from December 1.

*Electricty Department.*—Mr. J. G. Wallace and Mr. A. D. Henne are appointed Shift Engineers on three months' probation from November 18 and 26, respectively.

Mr. R. de Jonge is appointed temporarily as Assistant Draughtsman from December 1.

Three months leave is granted to Mr. W. T. Bertenshaw, Clerical Assistant, from January 10, 1919.

*Educational Department.* — Mr. W. E. Hayward, Assistant Master in the Public School for Boys, is permitted to terminate his service upon expiry of his agreement on December 26.

Miss E. Heughan is appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, from January 6, 1919.

Mrs. M. J. Gibson is re-engaged temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, from January 1, 1919.

*Public Library.*—The temporary service of Mrs. K. Spottiswoode, Librarian, terminated on November 30.

### Public Band.

On Sunday next, January 5, at 4.30 p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

1. Overture "Phèdre" Massenet
2. "Three Slavonic Dances" Dvorak
3. Suite "L'Arlesienne" Bizet
   (*a*) Overture
   (*b*) Minuet
   (*c*) Adagietto
   (*d*) Carillon

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4. "Rhapsodie No. 2" Liszt
5. Selection "Madame Butterfly" Puccini

A DE KRYGER,
*Conductor-in-Charge.*

### Public Library.

The Library, situated at the north-west corner of the Town Hall, is open *To the Public* without charge as a Reading Room from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. To *Subscribers* for the exchange of books from 9 a.m to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

The subscription is as follows:—

$16 per year
9 ,, half-year.
5 ,, quarter.
2 ,, month.

Subscribers are entitled to the loan of four books at a time and in addition certain magazines are provided for circulation, of which one at a time is allowed to each subscriber.

It contains about 14,540 volumes, of which some 7,731 are devoted to Fiction; 2,635 to Travel and History; 1,745 to Biography and the rest to Scientific and General subjects. Additions to these are made constantly.

Residents desirous of subscribing should communicate with the Librarian at the Town Hall.

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**Fire Brigade Report for November**

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 11, as against 30 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 45,450 (Foreign, Tls. Nil; Chinese, Tls. 45,450), as against Tls. 5,850 (Foreign, Tls. 600; Chinese, Tls 5,250) during November 1917. The property at risk is estimated at Tls 216,000 (Foreign, Tls. 100,000; Chinese, Tls. 116,000), as against Tls. 89,150 (Foreign, Tls. 50,150; Chinese, Tls. 39,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—

| | |
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| Telephones | 5 |
| Police | 3 |
| Watch towers | 2 |
| Street alarm | 1 |

The general alarm was given on 3 occasions, the remaining 8 being station calls.

These calls proved to be 8 small fires, 1 chimney fire, 1 false alarm and 1 fire outside the Settlement.

The supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—

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| Lamp overturned | 2 |
| Children playing with matches | 1 |
| Dropped match or cigarette end | 1 |
| Electric wiring of motor fusing | 1 |
| Tar overboiling | 1 |
| Defective flue | 1 |
| Unknown | 1 |

The premises affected were:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Foreign building | 1 |
| Chinese buildings | 17 |

Of these one house was destroyed by fire, and fourteen others were more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The water used at fires, during the month was 121,600 gallons.

The Brigade was occupied 18 hours and 55 minutes at fires, or supposed fires, and the Staff was employed for a further 165 hours watching and damping down.

The fires of note during the month were:—

*GG 325 Pakhoi Road, November 3, at 4.46 a.m.*—Particular difficulty was experienced in extinguishing this fire owing to large lofts, and in some cases super-lofts having been constructed on the premises involved, packed with combustible merchandise, and to reach the seat of the flame the roofs had to be opened up and jets played down. Owing to one floor being overloaded with beans, the interior of the premises collapsed and the floors had to be shored up by the Brigade Seven houses were more or less damaged

*Auxiliary Schooner "Stasia" November 14, at 7.32 a.m.*—A call for assistance was received at 7.32 a.m. for the auxiliary schooner Stasia a standard wooden boat lying alongside the International Dock, Pootung. The fire float was quickly manned and got away, but owing to a strong tide, some time was taken in reaching the ship, and the after part of the engine room was found to be well alight. Jets were directed down into the engine room, and a line of hose worked down the stairway, but it was a very difficult matter to reach the seat of the fire, which was at the back of one of the oil tanks, ultimately, however, one of the staff. wearing a smoke helmet, reached one end of the outbreak, but a tin of oil exploded driving him back, fortunately without injury. Owing to further explosions, and the overpowering smoke, the Brigade were driven to the main deck. There being a large quantity of crude oil on board, and the ship a wooden one, it was decided by the Harbour Authorities to scuttle the ship, and one seacock was opened, and the boat shelled amidships by H.M.S Gnat and even then it took some considerable time for the River Police and the Brigade with their fire floats to extinguish the outbreak as the hull became waterlogged. The after part of the boat was very badly damaged The cause of the fire was stated to be the overturning of a lamp setting fire to some oil near one of the tanks.

*P. 64 off Nanking Road, November 24, at 4 a.m.* This was a difficult fire to get at, being in a congested block off Nanking Road. The damage to the buildings was trivial, but owing to the quantity of valuable silk stored on the premises, the loss was severe for a fire of this description, approximately Tls. 40,000.

*Armistace Celebrations November 21-23.*—Special precautions were taken, and a large number of the staff were on watching and salvage duties. In view of the crowded streets, and the profuse decorations, it is extremely fortunate that no serious fire occurred during this time, the only call received being at 8.14 p.m. on November 21, at No. LL 114 off Thibet Road, where the Brigade experienced some difficulty in getting through the crowds.

M. W. PETT,
*Chief Officer.*

RECORD OF FIRE CALLS.

| Date | | Call | | Alarm given | Locality | District | | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Time of | How received | | | Municipal | Fire | | | Brigade | Staff | |
| Nov. | 3 | 4.46 a.m. | Street Alarm | General | GG 325 Pakhoi Road | Central | 5 | Chinese | 4 damaged | 1¾ hours | 38 hours | |
| | 5 | 9.41 p.m. | Telephone | Station | Foochow/ Thibet Rds. | " | 5 | | | 10 minutes | | False Alarm |
| | 13 | 7.00 a.m. | " | " | 51B Kiangse Road | " | 3 | Foreign | | 40 " | 5 hours | |
| | 14 | 7.32 a.m. | " | " | Auxiliary Schooner *Stasia*, Pootung | Outside | | | | 12 hours | 76 " | |
| | 14 | 1.38 p.m. | Police Box No. 5 | " | IB 141-2 N. Thibet Rd. | Northern | 8 | Chinese | | 10 minutes | 1 hour | |
| | 18 | 8.39 a.m. | Central Tower | " | Thibet Road | Central | 6 | | | 15 " | | Tar boiler |
| | 20 | 1.39 p.m. | Sinza Police | " | KK 1 Tsingtau Road | Western | 7 | Chinese | 2 damaged | 15 " | | |
| | 21 | 4.13 a.m. | Harbin Rd. Police | " | CA 1282 off E. Kashing Rd. | Eastern | 1 | " | 2 damaged | 40 " | 12 hours | 1 girl injured |
| | 21 | 8.14 p.m. | Telephone | " | LL 114 off Thibet Rd. | Central | 5 | " | | 15 " | | Chimney fire |
| | 24 | 4.00 a.m. | Central Tower | General | P 64 off Nanking Road | " | 3 | " | 1 destroyed 1 damaged | 1½ hours | 14 hours | 1 man injured |
| | 30 | 5.07 p.m. | Telephone | " | L 681A Yangtszepoo Rd. | Eastern | 1 | " | 5 damaged | 1¼ " | 19 " | |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

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**Parks Report for November.**

*Jessfield Park.*—1,000 pots of chrysanthemums were displayed [illegible]. These plants were grown from seeds of plants which have been selected during the past two years; [illegible]ing this year 600 distinct varieties. Chief amongst the reasons for [illegible] selection, is to establish a race of large and decorative flowering varieties which will flower about a month earlier than the varieties usually exhibited at the Flower Show. The realization of this object would result in insuring a lengthy flowering period in the open.

As a rule many of the existing varieties flower so late that they have to be placed under glass which increases considerably the cost of their production.

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,421 |
| Hockey | 88 |
| Football | 264 |
| Total No. of Players | 1,773 |
| ,, ,, ,, Non-players | 4,549 |
| ,, ,, ,, Visitors | 6,322 |

Road side trees:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Total No. of trees transplanted | 50 |
| ,, ,, ,, pruned | 1,382 |
| ,, ,, ,, staked | 19 |
| ,, ,, ,, fastened | 483 |
| ,, ,, ,, tree-borers destroyed | 3,002 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Trees planted at Hongkew Recreation Ground | 46 |
| Shrubs planted at Carter Road Police Quarters | 86 |
| Plants bedded out at Public Recreation Ground | 1,394 |
| *Nurseries*— | |
| Total No. of seedlings transplanted | 15,680 |
| Total No. of young trees pruned | 650 |
| Land cultivated | 1,450 fong |

D. MACGREGOR,
*Superintendent of Parks.*

Countersigned,
CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Engineer and Surveyor.*

**Summary of Revenue for November.**

| Description | Estimate for 1918 | 1918 Number | 1918 Amount | 1918 Total from January 1 | 1917 Number | 1917 Amount | 1917 Total from January 1 | 1916 Number | 1916 Amount | 1916 Total from January 1. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 905,950 | — | 3,704.62 | 888,353.21 | — | 17,677.02 | 784,267.86 | — | 3,146.12 | 663,507.15 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 645,000 | — | 65,650.10 | 627,754.58 | — | 53,739.19 | 588,715.91 | — | 50,833.06 | 578,698.97 |
| Chinese | 990,000 | — | 59,618.48 | 944,544.12 | — | 79,337.97 | 940,147.91 | — | 69,971.17 | 890,461.59 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | 45.50 | 1,356.95 | — | 1.43 | 1,328.78 | — | 205.50 | 1,201.23 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 200,000 | — | — | 141,555.33 | — | — | 152,147.67 | — | — | 153,789.40 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 19,000 | 6 | 327.00 | 16,503.70 | 2 | 98.00 | 18,417.00 | 2 | 32.00 | 18,772.00 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 24,000 | 2 | 150.00 | 23,675.00 | 3 | 187.50 | 23,736.46 | 4 | 262.50 | 21,620.85 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 500 | 1 | 8.00 | 424.00 | 1 | 1.50 | 484.50 | — | — | 525.00 |
| Eating House | 10,500 | 392 | 1,203.59 | 8,648.86 | 481 | 1,147.02 | 6,334.48 | — | — | — |
| Chinese Club | 4,500 | 3 | 54.20 | 4,095.90 | 3 | 50.00 | 4,441.70 | 2 | 33.40 | 4,037.60 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13,500 | 2 | 18.00 | 12,605.00 | 1 | 10.00 | 13,369.00 | 220 | 1,923.00 | 13,134.50 |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 35,500 | 560 | 4,625.00 | 34,038.50 | 582 | 4,215.00 | 35,101.54 | 687 | 4,867.10 | 33,174.13 |
| Tea-shop | 17,500 | 649 | 1,369.00 | 14,743.50 | 674 | 1,348.50 | 15,682.25 | 691 | 1,487.50 | 14,379.40 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 9,000 | 15 | 102.12 | 6,238.28 | 27 | 194.48 | 6,428.38 | 17 | 123.08 | 4,652.12 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 7,500 | 10 | 380.00 | 3,942.50 | 24 | 513.00 | 6,037.00 | 24 | 560.00 | 5,092.33 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 18 | 693.00 | 7,188.00 | 14 | 675.00 | 8,087.00 | 22 | 842.00 | 8,371.19 |
| Other Entertainments | 500 | 12 | 175.00 | 2,092.00 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 27,000 | — | — | 22,191.88 | — | — | 20,663.48 | — | — | 18,102.61 |
| Exchange Shop | 5,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Opium-shop | | — | — | — | — | — | 45,390.00 | 135 | 17,794.00 | 163,062.50 |
| Tobacco Shop | 10,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,000 | 763 | 443.66 | 5,628.96 | 915 | 555.77 | 5,494.95 | 946 | 522.08 | 5,330.69 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,100 | 66 | 95.70 | 1,046.59 | 64 | 92.93 | 1,000.49 | 65 | 93.21 | 991.91 |
| Launch | 3,300 | 30 | 60.00 | 3,176.00 | 33 | 66.00 | 3,149.00 | 40 | 80.00 | 2,869.62 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,257 | 301.12 | 3,779.69 | 1,546 | 370.23 | 3,923.66 | 1,564 | 371.77 | 4,159.09 |
| Sampan | 1,100 | 150 | 108.67 | 844.30 | 164 | 118.41 | 945.15 | 206 | 148.65 | 1,097.94 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 12,000 | P. 89 C. 19 | 143.54 | 11,396.72 | P. 133 C. 21 | 204.80 | 12,166.72 | P. 28 C. 26 | 101.04 | 12,934.23 |
| Livery Stable | 12,000 | P. 405 C. 258 | 1,037.21 | 11,206.31 | P. 395 C. 242 | 981.36 | 11,170.84 | P. 409 C. 273 | 1,451.01 | 12,732.21 |
| Motor Car & Motor Bicycle | 35,000 | 68 | 513.77 | 39,455.63 | 83 | 633.27 | 30,024.47 | 64 | 521.42 | 25,150.72 |
| Cart | 30,500 | 1,774 | 2,550.50 | 28,830.00 | 1,734 | 2,482.50 | 27,993.00 | 1,610 | 2,388.00 | 25,909.50 |
| Private Ricsha | 50,000 | 155 | 243.21 | 53,016.19 | 160 | 249.93 | 48,497.16 | 102 | 156.01 | 45,714.02 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,704.65 | 127,274.57 | 8,000 | 11,529.55 | 125,455.11 | 7,500 | 10,940.45 | 118,522.49 |
| Sedan-chair | 150 | 3 | 8.68 | 130.93 | 34 | 32.41 | 177.90 | 6 | 12.98 | 195.71 |
| Wheel-barrow | 50,000 | 7,999 | 4,005.38 | 44,392.83 | 8,688 | 4,348.80 | 45,659.44 | 8,014 | 4,018.36 | 40,340.43 |
| Firearms | 500 | 1 | 75.00 | 300.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 450.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 1,500.00 |
| Dog | 3,600 | 64 | 92.72 | 3,473.64 | 61 | 88.04 | 3,653.85 | 47 | 68.17 | 2,895.73 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 108,600 | 5,947 | 9,411.53 | 100,165.02 | 6,133 | 9,568.41 | 88,744.19 | 5,042 | 7,845.63 | 80,953.82 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | 130.00 | 520.00 | — | — | 390.00 | — | — | 130.00 |
| Firemen's Quarters | 3,100 | — | 316.00 | 2,255.00 | — | 297.00 | 2,108.00 | — | 192.00 | 1,943.50 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 5,150 | — | 415.00 | 4,815.00 | — | 445.00 | 4,895.00 | — | 445.00 | 4,895.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 500 | — | 15.32 | 1,321.26 | — | 25.32 | 446.48 | — | 19.33 | 340.83 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 33,900 | — | — | 32,362.34 | — | — | 33,252.57 | — | — | 39,944.97 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | — | 750.00 | — | — | 750.00 | — | — | 500.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co. Ld. | 5,330 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 5,332.00 | — | — | 6,665.00 |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 48,000 | — | — | 35,431.91 | — | — | 33,272.57 | — | — | 29,668.03 |
| Electricity Department | 364,000 | — | — | 364,000.00 | — | — | 41,460.00 | — | — | 29,805.00 |
| Convict Labour | 8,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concreteware Manufactory | 10,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 2,500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 3,895,780 | | 169,795.22 | 3,642,553.70 | | 191,360.34 | 3,201,193.47 | | 181,530.54 | 3,087,773.01 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Superintendent of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

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3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局全份

二 所有承攬本局自有權利

三 凡承攬之人須繳保證金

四 所有承攬之人各自負責

五 所有取得之利益歸本局所有

六 所有承攬信款一律退還

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單送來之前須以英文開列

信內所有之價目必須用英文

二部局擬送至西江路二十四號交

面寫明承攬信內應附保證金

漆其何項工料物必須在信內

後將該款錢得退還

本局有權取消承攬之資格

本局有權公開招標

本局有權拒絕任何人投標

本局有權要求承攬人提供保證金

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2563.**

**VEHICLE RANKS.**

THE attention of the public is drawn to the following extract from Municipal Notification No. 2533, dated July 31, 1918:—

"Owners are earnestly requested to refrain from leaving their vehicles standing in the narrow and busy thoroughfares of the Central District, and to utilize the aforementioned ranks to the fullest possible extent, thus assisting the Police in the regulation of traffic."

Notice is hereby given that the rank on Hankow Road, between Kiangse and Honan Roads, is now ready for use. A telephone (Central 2544) has been installed on the rank, and an English-speaking Chinese Constable will be on duty between the hours of 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. daily.

In ordering their cars by telephone, owners are requested to mention only the number of the car required and not to enter into conversation with the Constable on duty.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 25, 1918.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2564.**

**SPECIAL CONSTABLES.**

THE Council earnestly hopes that all those who have already enrolled as Special Constables will continue their services, which have been invaluable during the past year.

There is little prospect of filling up the vacancies at present existing in the Foreign Branch of the Force before the end of the present year, so that it is a matter of urgency to maintain the strength of the Special Branch at the number originally fixed In order, therefore, to meet the present and anticipated requirements, the Council invites further applications from male residents of the Settlement of 21 years of age and upwards, who are not members of either the Volunteer Corps or the Fire Brigade, for enrolment as Special Constables.

Selected applicants, who will enter into agreements with the Council terminable upon one month's notice, will be required to attend periodical drills, to pass a course in the use of fire arms and to undertake such duty as may be assigned to them, entailing under normal circumstances night duty for two hours at a time twice a week, between 6 p.m. and 12 midnight.

Applications for enrolment should be made in writing marked "Special Constables" and addressed to the Captain Superintendent of Police at the Central Police Station.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 9, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2565.**

**NIEH CHIH KUEI PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR CHINESE.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of temporary Assistant Mistress in the Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese.

The Pay for a trained and certificated Mistress is Tls. 165 per mensem, for an untrained and uncertificated Mistress Tls. 135 per mensem.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience in teaching, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 8, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2566.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Cookery Mistress. The successful candidate will be required to teach cookery for six hours per week in the Public and Thomas Hanbury Schools for Girls. Pay, not exceeding Tls. 50 per mensem, will be issued according to qualifications.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 9, 1919.

**AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, January 8, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—**

***Present:***

Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
E. I. Ezra
Count L. Jezierski.
Messrs. J. Johnstone
W. L. Merriman
Ed. White

***Absent:***

Mr. T. Ibukiyama

**The meeting adjourned at 5.10 p.m.**

**Resignation of Member.**

Mr. E. C. Richards's resignation as a member of the Council has been accepted with regret. The vacancy thereby caused in the membership of the Council will not be filled until after the Election of Councillors for 1919. The vacancy in the membership of the Works Committee will be filled by Mr E. C. Pearce.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*American Company.*—The resignation of 2nd Lieut. R. K. Hykes, has been forwarded by the Commandant and accepted by the Council with regret.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, the commissions of the following are authorized for renewal:—

*American Company.*—Capt. S. A. Ransom, from August 6, 1918.

*Medical Staff.*—Capt. H. C. Patrick, from February 9, 1918.

*Machine Gun Company.*—Capt. R. H. Gaskin, from October 31, 1917.

*Shanghai Scottish.*—Capt. C. H. Rutherford; from December 9, 1917.

*Medical Staff.*—Capt. J. E. Murray, from December 29, 1917.

*"B" Company, British.*—Capt. L. J. Cubitt, from October 13, 1918.

*Light Horse.*—Lieut. H. S. Lindsay, from December 29, 1917.

*American Company.*—Lieut. A. H. Swan, from February 3, 1918.

*Engineers.* — Lieut. J. T. W. Brooke, from February 17, 1918.

*Portuguese Company.*—Lieut. E. S. Carneiro, from July 21, 1918.

*Shanghai Scottish.*—Lieut. G. L. Campbell, from December 9, 1918.

*Maritime Company.*—Capt. A. W. Dixon, from January 11, 1919.

**Municipal Properties.**

*Surplus Land.* — Arrangements have been made to transfer the eastern portion of Lot 114 Avenue Road to the Electricity Department as a site for a sub-station. The area measures Mow 0.273 and the value at purchase price plus interest amounts to Tls. 7,406.

*Mohawk Road Latrine.*—Plan and estimate of cost have been approved relative to removal of the Mohawk Road Latrine to a more suitable site on the land recently purchased in rear of the Mohawk Market. The cost of the work is estimated at Tls. 1,600.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Bubbling Well Road.*—The claim of Messrs. Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. has been accepted, for the surrender of the scheduled area of Lot 2099 at the assessed value, Tls. 7,000 per mow, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender and with Tls. 4,315 added for reinstatement, a total of Tls. 9,420 in respect of an area of Mow 0.663.

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## Public Lighting.

*Chengtu and Tatung Roads.*—It has been decided, upon the recommendation of the Engineer, to erect six additional 60 c.p. metallic filament electric lamps in Chengtu Road and one in Tatung Road, at a cost of Tls. 198 and Tls. 33 per annum respectively.

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 4.

*Police Force.*—1st Class Constable C. W. Morgan is promoted to be 3rd Class Sergeant from January 1.

*Health Department.*—The temporary service of Nurse D. T. Heal will terminate on December 31, 1918.

The appointment of Nurse L. M. Dawson as Matron, Isolation Hospital for Chinese, is confirmed from September 17, 1918.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. H. Ross, Building Surveyor, from April 1.

Mr. E. Tompkins is appointed temporarily as Assistant Inspector from January 1.

The Council has learnt with regret of the death on January 2, of Inspector J. Pringle.

*Revenue Office.*—Mr. C. H. Ridgway is appointed Tax Collector on three months' probation from February 1.

*Voluntary War Service.*—

*Police Force.*—The Council has learnt with regret of the death on October 29, 1918, of Sergeant T. H. Odey, whilst serving with the Army Service Corps.

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 61 | Avenue Edward VII | Standard Oil Co., Ld. | | | altns. |
| 97 | Foochow | Y. Hirano | | | altns. |
| 563 | Pakhoi and Chekiang | Davies & Brooke | | | drying stage |
| 54 | Szechuen | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| 884 | Boone | Y. O'hara | | | addns. |
| Unreg. E of 657 | Chaoufoong | Che King Dong | 1 | | wall |
| 1260 | B'bling Well | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| 4390 | Haiphong | Nagai Wata Kaisha | | | addns. & servants' quarters |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 238 | Nanking | Davies & Brooke | 3 | | |
| 147 | Ningpo | Lee Chung Mow | | | addns. |
| Unreg. N of 6900 | Holung | Chou Fah Kee | 8 | | |
| 3071 & 3073 | Sinza | Zee Shan Kee | 43 | | |

## Public Band.

On Sunday next, January 12, at 4.30 p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

1. Overture "A Roman Carnival" — Berlioz
2. Scènes Pittoresques — Massenet
   (a) Marche
   (b) Angelus
   (c) Fête Bohême
3. Selection "Mignon" — Thomas

4. "Czardas" — Grossmann
5. "Variations" — Elgar

A. DE KRYGER,
*Conductor-in-Charge.*

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, January 5, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 72,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 20 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 1 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 1 | 0 |
| Total Deaths from all causes | 5 | 143 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Engineer's Report for December.

The carrying out of works has been considerably delayed on account of the weather. The month was exceptional in this respect, rain falling to such an extent on fourteen days that the majority of the works were closed down for the time being.

The effect of this heavy rainfall on waterbound macadam roads was very noticeable, the binding material in many places being washed away and the road surfaces consequently disintegrated.

Those roads which had been surfaced with asphaltum were not affected to any extent, the same remark applying to the tar-surfaced roads to a lesser degree, thus proving the value of bituminous surfacing.

*Roads.*—The removal of the trees, and the making up of the footpaths and carriageway in Bubbling Well Road east and west of Gordon Road are practically completed.

The re-alignment of the footpath on the north side of Avenue Edward VII from Thibet Road to Mohawk Road has been completed.

*Drainage.*—A 12" diameter sewer is being laid in Macgregor Road south of Ward Road.

*Bundings.*—The construction of the concrete bunding and 3 jetties in West Soochow Road fronting Cadastral Lots 4640 and 4628 W. is practically completed, the work being carried out by contract.

An additional jetty is being constructed by direct labour.

*Central Offices.*—The dressing of the stonework to main facades has progressed steadily, and it is hoped that most of the scaffolding will be removed during the next month.

Further consignments of steel window casements, and glass for same, have arrived from England.

*Isolation Hospital — Discharge Block.*—The alterations to the existing building are well advanced, and the construction of the extra storey has been commenced.

*East Block.*—Various minor alterations are being carried out in the formation of operating and anaesthetizing rooms, and rearrangement of administrative rooms.

*Gaol—Cell Blocks.*—A system of alarm bells has been installed.

*Riverside Power Station.*—All the reinforced concrete work for the Coal Conveyor has now been completed.

Work has been commenced on the foundations and centering of the lean-to on the west end of the new boiler house.

*Fingchiao Quarry.*—1,412 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected cartloads | 5,520 |
| Used for raising land ,, | 683 |
| Water used for street watering | 1,583,800 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,174 |
| Artisans | 260 |
| Foremen | 236 |
| Mafoos | 159 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

Hand made 1,638 pieces

*Work Shelters.*—There were 89 admissions during the month and 240 cubic feet of stone broken.

### *New Buildings.*

Summary of work done during the month.

| *Description of Work.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 274 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 68 |
| Plans approved | 51 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,892 |
| Boundary walls erected | 410 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Dangerous notices issued | 9 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 36 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 71 |

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*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction, the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by Public Works Department | 3 |
| First intimation notices issued | 3 |
| Second „ „ „ | 6 |
| Total | 9 |

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 55 |
| Boundary stone certificates issued | 47 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 26 |
| Official plans prepared | 22 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 210 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 100 |
| Surveys made in connexion with Road Widenings and/or Extensions | 34 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are, or may in future, be of use to the public | 55 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Northern District | 2 |
| Western „ | 11 |

C. HARPUR,
*Acting Engineer & Surveyor.*

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4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 承攬人須行估價本局有權取消承攬之資格

三 未定有期限者本局有權將所承攬之工程用招標方法承攬各項工料

四 所有承攬人之資格及其所用之人工材料均須經本局之認可

五 本局有權將所承攬之工程全部或一部轉讓他人

六 所有承攬人須繳保證金方能簽訂合同

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 127 | Supply of 500 Summer Hats for the Chinese Branch | — | January 31 |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 490 | Supply of Tools | — | April 7 |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Annual Contracts for the year ending December 31, 1919

465. *Zung Kee & Co.

| | | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Blue bricks 10-in. by 5-in. by 1¾-in. | per 1,000 | 6.00 |
| „ „ 6 „ „ 3 „ „ 1½ „ | | 1.50 |
| Red „ 10 „ „ 5 „ „ 2 „ | | 6.45 |
| Roof tiles 7 „ „ 7 „ „ ½ „ | | 1.95 |
| Colouring powder | per 100-lb. | 0.90 |
| Lime | „ | 0.55 |
| Paper | „ | 0.70 |
| Glue | „ | 5.00 |
| Ningpo sand, coarse | per fong | 3.85 |
| „ fine | „ | 3.45 |
| Decomposed sand | „ | 3.28 |
| Limestone chips | „ | 3.20 |
| Soochow granite, 2-in. broken | „ | 3.00 |
| Granite chips | „ | 3.50 |
| Granite spalls | „ | 5.00 |
| Broken bricks | „ | 2.20 |
| Ningpo gravel | „ | 5.55 |
| Setts | per 1,000 | 8.00 |
| Kerb | per lineal foot | 0.20 |
| Channel | „ | 0.20 |

Other tenderers are:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Ming Kee | Chang King Kee |
| Tai Kee | Zee Zung Kee |
| Zang Kee | Chang Kee Dong |
| Wang Chang Zien | Shaou Kwang Foo |
| Tsong Chun Lai & Son | Dong Tai Sung |
| Hsu Quain Kee | Zee Yung Chong |
| Fee Tse Yun | Kiang Chin Kee |
| Woo Yu Kee | Wong Chun Kee |
| Zung Kee | Wong Foh Shun |
| Wong Koe Sung | Soy Kee |
| Z. D. Liu | Tung Yun |
| Yah Loong & Co. | Zung Kee |
| Chen Feng & Co. | Sung Kee |
| Loh Yung Kee | Ta Shang Wong |
| Tieh Sun Sand Co. | Wong Yong Kee |
| Chang Yuen and Y. S. Liu | Yang Fong Transportation Co. |

466. *Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld.

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| per 1,000 sup. ft. | |
| Selangan Batu planks to 20-ft. | 120.00 |
| Balow planks „ 16 „ | 126.00 |
| Singapore redwood, 8-in. by 1-in. | 80.00 |
| (16-ft. planks) 8 „ „ 1¼ „ | 80.00 |
| „ 8 „ „ 2 „ | 80.00 |
| „ 8 „ „ 3 „ | 80.00 |
| „ 8 „ „ 4 „ | 80.00 |
| Japanese pine planks, 6½-ft. by ⅞-in. | 58.00 |
| „ 6½ „ „ ½ „ | 58.00 |
| „ 6½ „ „ 1 „ | 58.00 |
| „ 7½ „ „ ½ „ | 58.00 |
| „ 7½ „ „ 1 „ | 58.00 |
| „ 8 „ „ 1 „ | 58.00 |
| Japanese fir planks, 4-in. by 12-in. | 64.00 |
| Teak in logs | 175.00 |
| Chinese Oak planks from 7-ft. | 140.00 |
| „ „ Felloes (a) each | 1.05 |
| „ „ „ (b) „ | 0.98 |
| „ „ „ (c) „ | 0.43 |
| „ „ Spokes (a) „ | 0.20 |
| „ „ „ (b) „ | 0.26 |
| „ „ „ (c) „ | 0.10 |
| „ „ Shafts (a) „ | 6.66 |
| „ „ „ (b) „ | 1.52 |

Other tenderers are:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Kwang Mow & Co. | Kwang Tai & Co. |
| Vou Kee & Co. | F. L. Kow Kee & Co. |

467. *Shun Tah Lumber Co.

| Oregon Pine. | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Planks to 24-ft. per 1,000 sup.-ft. | 77.00 |
| „ „ 40 „ „ „ | 77.50 |
| Birdsmouthing per lineal foot | 0.02 |
| Logs to 40-ft. per 1,000 sup-ft. | 78.50 |
| „ „ 50 „ „ „ | 83.00 |
| Floor boarding 6-in. by 1-in. | 93.00 |
| „ „ 6 „ „ 1½ „ | 94.00 |
| Ceiling laths per 1,000 | 7.00 |

Other tenderers are:—

Kwang Tai & Co.
Hsin Shun Tah Lumber Co.

468. *Yung Kee

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Foochow Poles 9-ft. by 3-in. | 0.15 |
| „ 9 „ „ 4 „ | 0.26 |
| „ 9 „ „ 5 „ | 0.39 |
| „ 10 „ „ 3 „ | 0.26 |
| „ 10 „ „ 4 „ | 0.36 |
| „ 10 „ „ 5 „ | 0.46 |
| „ 10 „ „ 6 „ | 0.59 |
| „ 11 „ „ 3 „ | 0.30 |
| Foochow Poles 11-ft. by 4-in. | 0.37 |
| „ 11 „ „ 5 „ | 0.48 |
| „ 11 „ „ 6 „ | 0.62 |
| „ 12 „ „ 3 „ | 0.35 |
| „ 12 „ „ 4 „ | 0.50 |
| „ 12 „ „ 5 „ | 0.57 |
| „ 12 „ „ 6 „ | 0.79 |
| „ 13 „ „ 3 „ | 0.35 |
| „ 13 „ „ 4 „ | 0.50 |
| „ 13 „ „ 5 „ | 0.65 |
| „ 13 „ „ 6 „ | 0.85 |
| „ 14 „ „ 3 „ | 0.36 |
| „ 14 „ „ 4 „ | 0.51 |
| „ 14 „ „ 5 „ | 0.69 |
| „ 14 „ „ 6 „ | 1.14 |
| „ 14 „ „ 7 „ | 1.25 |
| „ 15 „ „ 4 „ | 0.65 |
| „ 15 „ „ 5 „ | 0.85 |
| „ 15 „ „ 6 „ | 1.35 |
| „ 15 „ „ 7 „ | 1.69 |
| „ 15 „ „ 8 „ | 2.49 |
| „ 16 „ „ 5 „ | 0.92 |
| „ 16 „ „ 6 „ | 1.39 |
| „ 16 „ „ 7 „ | 1.82 |
| „ 16 „ „ 8 „ | 2.69 |
| „ 16 „ „ 9 „ | 3.29 |
| „ 16 „ „ 10 „ | 4.45 |

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## TENDERS RECEIVED *(Cont.)*

| | | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Foochow Poles | 16-ft. by 11-in. | 6.25 |
| ,, | 16 ,, ,, 12 ,, | 7.40 |
| ,, | 17 ,, ,, 6 ,, | 1.89 |
| ,, | 17 ,, ,, 7 ,, | 2.59 |
| ,, | 17 ,, ,, 8 ,, | 3.59 |
| ,, | 17 ,, ,, 9 ,, | 4.35 |
| ,, | 17 ,, ,, 10 ,, | 6.50 |
| ,, | 17 ,, ,, 11 ,, | 7.90 |
| ,, | 17 ,, ,, 12 ,, | 9.40 |
| ,, | 20 ,, ,, 7 ,, | 3.06 |
| ,, | 20 ,, ,, 8 ,, | 3.75 |
| ,, | 20 ,, ,, 9 ,, | 6.39 |
| ,, | 20 ,, ,, 10 ,, | 7.48 |
| ,, | 20 ,, ,, 11 ,, | 11.90 |
| ,, | 20 ,, ,, 12 ,, | 15.90 |
| ,, | 25 ,, ,, 7 ,, | 3.25 |
| ,, | 25 ,, ,, 9 ,, | 6.50 |
| ,, | 30 ,, ,, 7 ,, | 4.00 |
| ,, | 30 ,, ,, 9 ,, | 7.20 |
| ,, | 30 ,, ,, 11 ,, | 18.40 |
| ,, | 35 ,, ,, 8 ,, | 8.28 |
| ,, | 35 ,, ,, 10 ,, | 16.60 |
| ,, | 40 ,, ,, 8 ,, | 9.80 |
| ,, | 40 ,, ,, 10 ,, | 20.40 |

Other tenderers are:—
Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld.
F. L. Kow Kee
Kwang Mow & Co.
Tai Kee
Zang Kee
Kwang Tai & Co.

469. *Koo Yao Kee

| | | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Bamboo Brooms | (a) per 100 | 2.20 |
| ,, | (b) ,, | 2.10 |
| ,, | (c) ,, | 4.00 |
| ,, | (d) ,, | 0.85 |
| Bamboo Baskets | (a) ,, | 17.30 |
| ,, | (b) ,, | 3.30 |
| ,, | (c) ,, | 0.85 |
| Straw Brushes | ,, | 0.09 |
| Bamboo Spouts for Watering Buckets | per 100 | 1.00 |
| Bamboo Scrapers | | 2.50 |
| ,, Riddles, ⅛-in. Gauge | | 15.00 |
| Rope | per lb. | 0.043 |
| Split carrying Bamboos | each | 0.018 |
| Round ,, | ,, | 0.033 |
| Bamboo gully scoop handles | ,, | 0.020 |
| Long Split Bamboos | ,, | 0.010 |
| Reed mats, single | ,, | 0.028 |
| ,, double | ,, | 0.056 |
| Gully bucket handles | ,, | 0.012 |
| Rake handles | ,, | 0.019 |
| Bamboo fencing | (a) per chang | 1.06 |
| ,, | (b) ,, | 0.60 |
| ,, | (c) ,, | 2.50 |
| ,, | (d) ,, | 0.30 |
| ,, | (e) ,, | 0.60 |

Also tendered:—
Yung Kee

470. *The Chee Hsin Cement Co., Ld.

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| 1,500 casks per month, per cask | 3.70 |
| additional quantities if required, up to 2,000 casks monthly | 3.70 |

Other tenderers are:—
The Green Island Cement Co., Ld.
Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha, Ld.
Suzuki & Co.
Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, Ld.

471. *Yung Kee
Raising Land and Roads
Northern District Tls. 0.82 per fong
Eastern ,, 0.94 ,,
Western ,, 0.83 ,,

Other tenderers are:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Tai Kee | Tien San Sand Co. |
| Kiang Chin Kee | Wong Chung Zien |
| Chang King Kee | Sung Song Kee |
| Ting Sing Kee | Lun Yau Kee |
| Zang Kee | Sung Kee |
| Fee Tse Yun | Zee Zung Kee |
| Koo Yao Kee | Hsu Yuen Kee |
| Dow Sing Kee | Liang Chin Kee |
| Zee Yung Chong | Wong Yong Kee |
| Shaou Kwang Foo | Woo Soy Kee |

472. *Zee Yung Chong

| Turf delivered at— | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Public Gardens foreshore, per fong | 0.50 |
| Central District ,, | 0.56 |
| Northern ,, ,, | 0.56 |
| Eastern ,, ,, | 0.56 |
| Western ,, ,, | 0.56 |

Other tenderers are:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Choou Zung Shing | Mow Yue Kee |
| Yao King Kee | Yah Loong & Co. |

473. *Yao King San
Flower pots per 100 Tls. 0.70 to 5.60
Other tenderers are:—
Li Tse Kee
Lee Zung Shing
Loh Tuck Kiang

474. *Van Zung Kee

| | | On Roads Tls. per foot | Under Tramways Tls. per foot | Private Properties Tls. per foot |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Concrete drains | 12-in. | 0.55 | 0.62 | 0.45 |
| | | 0.56 | 0.64 | 0.46 |
| ,, | 9-in. | 0.45 | 0.47 | 0.35 |
| | | 0.46 | 0.48 | 0.36 |
| ,, | 6-in. | 0.35 | 0.36 | 0.25 |
| | | 0.36 | 0.37 | 0.26 |
| ,, | 4-in. | 0.20 | 0.22 | 0.18 |
| | | 0.21 | 0.23 | 0.19 |

| | | Each Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Brick manholes | | 7.00 |
| Bends K | 6-in. | 0.60 |
| | 4-in. | 0.40 |
| Junctions | 12 by 6-in. | 0.90 |
| ,, | 12 by 4-in. | 0.80 |
| ,, | 9 by 6-in. | 0.75 |
| ,, | 9 by 4-in. | 0.70 |
| ,, | 6 by 4-in. | 0.65 |
| ,, | 4 by 4-in. | 0.60 |
| Yard Gullies | 4-in. | 1.00 |
| ,, | 6-in. | 2.00 |

Other tenderers are:—
Ching Kiang Tai
Wong Chung Zien

475. *Wong Chun Kee Tls. 3.30 per fong
Transport of Materials from the Quarry at Pingchiao.
Other tenderers are:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Chen Fong & Co. | Wah Nee Furniture Co. |
| Tien San Sand Co. | Zung Kee |
| Koo Yao Kee | Chang Kee |
| Tung Yuen | Chang May Kung |
| Woo Yue Kee | Yah Loong & Co. |
| Pao An Hwa | Sing Nee Yang |
| Wong Chung Zien | Shaou Kwang Foo |
| Zee Yung Chong | Chang King Kee |
| C. J. Liu | Ye Chen Hsing |
| Z. D. Liu | Tsong Chun Lai & Son |
| Wong Koe Sung | Wong Yong Kee |
| Sun Nee Boat Co. | Ming Kee |
| Chang Kee Dong | Kiang Chin Kee |
| Tai Chong | Zaung Kee |
| Yung Foong Transportation Co. | Shun Tai & Co. |
| Yih Shing Cheong | |

476. *Wong Chung Zien

| | per boat per month |
|---|---|
| Barging road sweepings | Tls. 15.50 |
| | per fong |
| Barging other materials | Tls. 1.15 |

Other tenderers are:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Shaou Kwang Foo | Koo Yao Kee |
| Chow Tai Sing | Zee Yung Chong |
| Tai Kee | Tsze King Kee |
| Zang Kee | Dow Hsing Kee |
| Zee Zung Kee | Sung Song Kee |
| Sung Kee & Co. | Yung Kee |
| Shun Kee | |

477. *Kiang Chin Kee
Wheeling Road Materials Tls. 0.73 per fong per mile
Other tenderers are:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Tai Kee | Z. D. Liu |
| Tien Sun Sand Co. | Sun Yun Kee |
| Wong Yue Chong | Tsze King Kee |
| Wong Chun Kee | Zang Kee |
| Fee Tse Yun | Sang Kee |
| Wong Chang Zien | Ting Sung Kee |
| Hsu Quain Kee | Haw Yuen Kee |

478. *Tai Chong

| | | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Cast Iron Manhole and Gully covers | per 100-lb. | 7.50 |
| Standards for railings | ,, | 7.50 |
| Pavement tubes | ,, | 7.50 |
| Machine Shop castings (Iron) | ,, | 9.00 |
| Machine Shop castings (Brass) | ,, | 50.00 |

For 6 months only ending June 30, 1919
Also tendered:—
Way Cheong & Co.

481. *Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld.
Supply of Stores at Tungchow Road Workshops. Prices as per schedule.
For 6 months only ending June 30, 1919

482. *Hopkins, Dunn & Co., Ld.

| | | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Steam Coal for delivery at Quarry, | per ton | 11.50 |
| Steam Coal for delivery in Settlement | per ton | 11.25 |
| No. 1 House Coal | ,, ,, | 18.50 |
| Best Kitchen ,, | ,, ,, | 15.25 |
| No. 2 ,, ,, | ,, ,, | 14.50 |
| Kaiping Dust Coal for Workshop | per ton | 13.25 |
| Charcoal per picul | | 1.90 |
| Firewood ,, ,, | | 0.90 |
| *Fu Chung Corporation Screened Anthracite | | 19.00 |
| *Y. S. Kumsoo Japanese Coke | | 15.00 |

For 6 months only ending June 30, 1919
Other tenderers are:—

| | |
|---|---|
| The Eastern Syndicate | Zung Kee & Co. |
| Sun Nee Coal Co. | Kai Tai Coal Co. |
| | Wrightson & Co. |

*Accepted.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2563.**

**VEHICLE RANKS.**

THE attention of the public is drawn to the following extract from Municipal Notification No. 2533, dated July 31, 1918:—

"Owners are earnestly requested to refrain from leaving their vehicles standing in the narrow and busy thoroughfares of the Central District, and to utilize the aforementioned ranks to the fullest possible extent, thus assisting the Police in the regulation of traffic."

Notice is hereby given that the rank on Hankow Road, between Kiangse and Honan Roads, is now ready for use. A telephone (Central 2544) has been installed on the rank, and an English-speaking Chinese Constable will be on duty between the hours of 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. daily.

In ordering their cars by telephone, owners are requested to mention only the number of the car required and not to enter into conversation with the Constable on duty.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 25, 1918.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2564.**

**SPECIAL CONSTABLES.**

THE Council earnestly hopes that all those who have already enrolled as Special Constables will continue their services, which have been invaluable during the past year.

There is little prospect of filling up the vacancies at present existing in the Foreign Branch of the Force before the end of the present year, so that it is a matter of urgency to maintain the strength of the Special Branch at the number originally fixed. In order, therefore, to meet the present and anticipated requirements, the Council invites further applications from male residents of the Settlement of 21 years of age and upwards, who are not members of either the Volunteer Corps or the Fire Brigade, for enrolment as Special Constables.

Selected applicants, who will enter into agreements with the Council terminable upon one month's notice, will be required to attend periodical drills, to pass a course in the use of fire arms and to undertake such duty as may be assigned to them, entailing under normal circumstances night duty for two hours at a time twice a week, between 6 p.m. and 12 midnight.

Applications for enrolment should be made in writing marked "Special Constables" and addressed to the Captain Superintendent of Police at the Central Police Station.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 9, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2566.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Cookery Mistress. The successful candidate will be required to teach cookery for six hours per week in the Public and Thomas Hanbury Schools for Girls. Pay, not exceeding Tls. 50 per mensem, will be issued according to qualifications.

Applications should state age nationality, qualifications, and experience, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 9, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2567.**

**RIVERSIDE POWER STATION.**

FROM this date and until further notice, owing to new construction work in progress, visitors cannot be admitted to the Riverside Electric Power Station or property.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 16, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Friday, January 10, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. A. W. Burkill *(Chairman)*
W. L. Merriman
S. B. Neill
P. Peebles
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 6.25 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Foreign Educational Committee held on Tuesday, January 14, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*: Mr. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
Mrs. Billinghurst
Mr. C. P. Dawson
Dr. R. S. Ivy
Mrs. Merriman

The meeting adjourned at 7 o'clock p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, January 15, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
E. I. Ezra
T. Ibukiyama
Messrs. J. Johnstone
W. L. Merriman
Ed. White

*Absent*:
Count L. Jezierski

The meeting adjourned at 5.10 p.m.

### Court of Foreign Consuls.

A communication from the Consular Body informs the Council of the election of the representatives of Great Britain, Denmark and Belgium, to constitute the Court for 1919, in accordance with the provisions of Article XXVII of the Land Regulations.

### General Hospital.

A communication from the Consular Body informs the Council of the election of the Consuls-General for Italy, Portugal and Japan as representatives on the Board of Governors for the ensuing year.

### Special Waterworks Committee.

Mr. J. Johnstone will serve on this Committee filling the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. A. S. P White-Cooper in October last.

### Land Commission.

Mr. A D. Bell, the Council's representative on the Land Commission, has been re-appointed Commissioner for the Municipal Year 1919-20, in accordance with the provisions of Article VIA of the Land Regulations, and has consented to serve.

### Volunteer Corps.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant the promotion of the following to be Lieutenant is authorised with seniority from the dates of first appointment:—

*Machine Gun Company.*—2nd Lieut. H. W. Rodgers.

*American Company.*—2nd Lieut. G. F. Ashley.

*Chinese Company.*—2nd Lieut. B. Y. Woo.

*American Company.*—2nd Lieut. V. Olsen.

*"B" Company, British.*—2nd Lieut. F. J. W. Melville.

*Artillery.*—2nd Lieut. R. A. Stuart.

*Staff Sergt.-Major's Quarters.*—The lease from Messrs Hanson, McNeill, Jones & Wright of No. 16 Burkill Road has been renewed for a further period of one year terminating on December 31, 1919.

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**Police Force.**

*Foreign Branch, Quarters.*—Additional accommodation has been provided by arrangement with the Credit Foncier d'Extreme-Orient for a lease of No. 9 Baikal Road for a period of one year terminating on January 31, 1920.

**Tramways.**

*Railless Service.*—Letters of protest and petition against approval of an extension of the Railless Tram Service along Peking Road in accordance with the correspondence published in the Gazette of November 14, 1918, comment by the Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld. and the Council's reply:—

Shanghai, November 24, 1918.

GENTLEMEN,—Referring to the notification in the Municipal Gazette of November 14 that it is the intention of the Council to authorize a further extension of the experimental line on Peking Road of railless trams, I beg to call your attention to the protest signed by Mr. J. C. E. Douglas and myself against any further extension of the railless trams here, without direct authorization of the ratepayers.

In that letter we set forth that no authority for railless trams existed in the contract between the Shanghai Electric Construction Co. and the ratepayers of Shanghai, and that if it was considered desirable that this system should be started that it should be after public tender looking for competition, or better, as a Municipal enterprise.

There is no argument that can be advanced as to the necessity for this system, in profits, etc, which will not apply equally to the Council introducing railless trams on their own, should they be desired.

In any event the short notice given by the Council of two weeks, at a time when the minds of the public was entirely taken up by the Victory celebrations, was totally inadequate in my opinion for a proper discussion of the subject, and I most respectfully ask that the matter be deferred until the coming ratepayers' meeting in the spring. That this will not work any hardship is evident in your letter dated November 5, which stated that no road work can commence until the spring in any event on account of weather.

Yours truly,
G. E. TUCKER.
SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

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Shanghai, November 26, 1918.

GENTLEMEN,—I beg to enclose herewith copy of a protest against the proposed extension of the railless trams on Peking Road, carrying the signatures of a number of ratepayers and other people interested in the streets of Shanghai.

Owing to the very short time in which it was possible to work, this protest is not as comprehensive as it could easily be made, but trust it will comply with your request for a "cogent" protest as set forth in the recent Municipal Gazette.

I remain,
Yours faithfully,
G. E. TUCKER.
SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

*(Enclosure No. 1.)*

Shanghai, November 24, 1918.

GENTLEMEN,—With reference to the notification in the Municipal Gazette of November 14 stating that the Council intended to give to the Shanghai Electric Construction Co. authority to extend the present experimental railless tram service along Peking Road, as far as Thibet Road, we beg respectfully to protest against any such extension until the same has been authorized by the ratepayers in meeting assembled.

Peking Road presents the only alternative road running east and west in the Settlement besides the Nanking Road and any attempt to introduce railless trams on this road is not in the interest of owners of vehicles other than trams, such as motors, ricshas, carriages, etc.

We think that this matter should be referred to a ratepayers' meeting before any further extension of the railless tram system shall be effected.

Your very truly,
G. E. TUCKER,
*and 47 others.*
SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

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*(Enclosure No. 2.)*

Shanghai, November 27, 1918.

DEAR SIR,— I beg to associate myself with the protest put forward by you to the Municipal Council against the proposed extension of the railless tram service along Peking Road, as I certainly think this is a matter which should be decided at a ratepayers' meeting.

Yours faithfully,
P. ENTICKNAP.
G. E. TUCKER, Esq.

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*(Enclosure No. 3.)*

Shanghai, November 27, 1918.

SIR,—I wish to associate myself with the protest with reference to the intended extension of the Shanghai Electric Construction Company, Ld., until the same has been authorized by the ratepayers.

This protest please forward to the Council.

Yours faithfully,
GEORGE MATHESON.
G. E. TUCKER, Esq.

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Shanghai, December 16, 1918.

SIR,—With reference to the letter of protest dated 26th ultimo, signed by Mr. G. E. Tucker and 47 others, I am desired, for the information of the Council, to state:—

(1) That, in connexion with his personal canvass for signatures to this protest, Mr. Tucker is known to have made at least one serious misstatement. He said that the Tramways do not transport more than 3 per cent. of the foreign population. The fact is that the majority of the foreign population are users of the cars. There are 1,100 non-Asiatic 1st Class season ticket holders alone, and also very many daily foreign passengers paying cash fares, as well as large numbers who do not require to travel so frequently and who also pay cash fares. The 1st Class passengers average 22,000 per day—a total not even distantly approached on any other Tramway system in the East.

(2) The letter of protest is misleading inasmuch as it opposes "any attempt to introduce railless trams on this road" (Peking Road). Railless cars were introduced in Peking Road (between Fokien and Honan Roads) as far back as September 1916, this having been sanctioned by the Ratepayers in March 1916, as well as, "such further reasonable developments of the system, as a feature of the Tramway Concession, as the Council may think fit to approve from time to time." (Copy of the full statement then made by the Chairman of Council is annexed.) If the gentlemen whose signatures follow Mr. Tucker's had had these facts before them when they were invited to sign the protest, it seems reasonable to think that it would have had even fewer signatures than is the case.

The Council will probably not have failed to note that the long letter by Mr. Tucker, which appeared in the press on 26th ultimo (and which, apparently, was written about a year ago) is reactionary, misleading, and, in parts, even malicious, and that it cannot be claimed as being endorsed by the gentlemen who signed his brief letter of protest.

As a letter in the press made certain misstatements regarding the railless cars, charging them with being slow, causing great vibration and noise, also frequent road repairs in Avenue Road, it is thought well to record the facts that the railless cars are capable of the same speed as the rail cars; that the vibration alleged is grossly exaggerated as tests taken by the Company in Avenue Road prove; that the cars are specially noted for their comparatively silent running; and that they are not responsible for any repairs on Avenue Road.

Your letter dated August 16, 1918, regarding the proposed second small extension in Peking Road (between Fokien and Thibet Roads), indicated that the Council would assume the Ratepayers' sanction to this extension "in the absence of any really cogent objection." As the railless cars have been running satisfactorily in Peking Road, east of Fokien Road, for over two years (the Captain Superintendent of Police stated in his Annual Report for 1916 that this extension had proved to be justified) it is presumed that an objection to the proposed small extension would not be deemed cogent if it failed to establish that the system which has been found suitable for Peking Road east of Fokien Road is unsuitable for the short length of Peking Road westwards to Thibet Road. As nothing has been advanced to show this, the Company is

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confident that the Council will exercise the authority given to it at the 1916 Annual Meeting by the unanimous assent of the Ratepayers already referred to, and finally sanction the small extension of one-third of a mile to afford a test of two alternative forms of paving.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

D. McColl,

*General Manager,*

*Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld.*

N. O. Liddell, Esq.,

Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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(*Enclosure.*)

*Statement by the Chairman of Council at the 1916 Annual Meeting of Ratepayers.*

"Railless Electric Traction was introduced by the Tramway Company on the concreted Fokien Road in July, 1915, and the system has been working continuously and smoothly ever since. This form of traction seems to have proved a success; it is safe and free from noise, and I think it is popular. The Company finds, however, that the route, which is less than three-quarters of a mile in length, is rather short to afford an adequate test of commercial results and, in order to enable the Company to obtain this test, the Council will probably sanction the Company's application for a short extension eastwards from Fokien Road along Peking Road to Honan Road and northwards along Honan Road from Peking Road to the Soochow Creek—this additional portion being about one-third of a mile in length. It is worthy of note that the Council's schemes for providing permanent paving in streets in the Central District will be assisted by such an extension, as arrangements must be made for contribution by the Company towards the cost of relaying the road in cement concrete. We confidently assume your assent to this and such further reasonable developments of the system, as a feature of the Tramway Concession, as the Council may think fit to approve from time to time."

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This statement of policy received the unanimous assent of the Ratepayers.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, December 18, 1918.

Sir,—I am directed to inform you that the petition forwarded by you on November 27, protesting against the proposed extension of the railless tram system along the Peking Road from Fokien to Thibet Roads is receiving the Council's consideration and that a reply will be communicated to you in due course.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

N. O. Liddell,

*Acting Secretary.*

G. E. Tucker, Esq.

Shanghai, December 20, 1918.

Sir,—I have your esteemed favour of December 18, in which you state that the petition forwarded by me on November 27, protesting against the proposed extension of the railless trams, is receiving consideration, and that a reply will be communicated by you in due course.

I beg to call your attention again to the concluding paragraph in the protest which reads as follows:—"We think that this matter should be referred to a ratepayers' meeting before any further extension of the railless trams system is effected." Your letter of the 18th is not in any respect responsive to this clause which perhaps is the more important clause of the protest, and I beg to again call it to your attention.

Yours very truly,

G. E. Tucker.

N. O. Liddell, Esq.,

Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room

Shanghai, January 10, 1919.

Sir,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of November 24 in reference to the correspondence on the subject of the extension of the railless tram system along the Peking Road from Fokien Road to Thibet Road published in the Municipal Gazette of November 14 and your further letter of November 26 covering a petition signed by you and by certain Ratepayers and others protesting against approval of this extension until it has been authorized by the Ratepayers in meeting assembled, on the ground that, apart from Nanking Road, Peking Road presents the only alternative route in the Settlement running east and west and that any attempt to introduce railless trams thereon is not in the interests of owners of vehicles other than trams.

In reply I am directed to remind you and your co-petitioners that, at the Annual Meeting held in March 1916, the Ratepayers gave their assent to the introduction of railless trams on Peking Road eastwards from Fokien Road to Honan Road and northwards along Honan Road from Peking Road to the Soochow Creek. This service has been in operation with satisfactory results for over two years, and, that there was no objection to its extension and that it was indeed desirable in the public interest was the conclusion reached by the Council, after due consideration of the several departmental reports submitted and after close examination of the requirements of traffic and of the needs of passenger transport facilities in the area affected.

Having reached this conclusion, it was within the competency of the Council to sanction the extension without any reference to the Ratepayers since their assent was given at the Annual Meeting in 1916, to such further reasonable development of the railless system as the Council might think fit to approve from time to time. It seemed desirable, however, that this sanction should not be accorded until every factor that could possibly bear on the desirability of the extension had been considered, and accordingly the relative correspondence between the Council and the Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld. was published in the Municipal Gazette of November 14 with a prefatory minute as to the Council's intention of sanctioning the extension in the absence of any cogent objection. In the Council's opinion no such objection has been advanced as should be permitted to over-ride the Ratepayers' assent of 1916, nor indeed such as would warrant the Council in withholding its sanction until the matter has been submitted to the Ratepayers at the Annual Meeting in April next.

That each form of vehicular traffic is at times a real nuisance to the other is incontestable and so your view, that extension of the railless tram service along the Peking Road is not in the interests of owners of vehicles other than trams is fully appreciated. The Council cannot, however, allow this factor to outweigh all others, such as the importance to the development and progress of the Settlement of frequent, rapid and cheap transport facilities, of the linking up of one area with another, of the alleviation of congestion—particularly in the Central Districts—by reducing the heavy pedestrian traffic which would otherwise exist and of the obviation, so far as possible, of the necessity for any increase in those forms of vehicular traffic that take up road space that is quite out of proportion to the loads they carry. These and other factors all have their relative importance: even had they not and the factor of nuisance were the deciding factor, it must be remembered that the trams carry the greater portion of the Chinese passenger traffic and no inconsiderable portion of the foreign passenger traffic on the roads on which they run,—some seventy to eighty million fares per annum—who are surely entitled to at least as much consideration as those whose general mode of conveyance is the motorcar, the carriage or the ricsha.

In regard to your contention that "there is no argument that can be advanced as to the necessity for this system, in profits, etc., which will not apply equally to the Council introducing railless trams on their own, should they be desired," I am directed to inform you that questions of finance preclude and, so far as can be foreseen, will, for many years, preclude even the consideration of any proposal to municipalise the tram service. In regard to your assumption that, to withhold sanction of the extension along Peking Road until the matter has been submitted to a meeting of Ratepayers would not work any hardship, I am directed to point out that, although it is true that no road work can be commenced until the spring on account of weather conditions, yet the Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld. must make arrangements in regard

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to equipment, etc., some of which will no doubt need to be ordered from Europe, which it cannot be, if the Council's assent is now withheld.

In sanctioning the railless extension along the Peking Road or for that matter in sanctioning any other extension, the Council does not grant any monopoly in regard to passenger transport in favour of the Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld., nor has it any intention of doing so, for it is of the opinion that, should some form of self-propelled and self-contained vehicle be evolved which is more suited to the requirements of the Community and able successfully to compete with the railless tram in regard to convenient, quick and cheap transport, the Community should not be precluded from taking full advantage thereof. Meanwhile the Council holds the view that the Community should, where conditions are favourable, avail itself of the best form of modern cheap transport which is at present available.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

G. E. TUCKER, Esq.

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**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*North Szechuen Road and Surplus Land.*—An arrangement has been concluded with Messrs. Atkinson & Dallas Ld. under which that portion of the Council's surplus land, B.C. Lot 57 Paoshan, which fronts upon and prevents access to Japanese Consular Lot 288, and which measures Mow 0.084 will be included in the line of the North Szechuen Road in return for payment at the rate of Tls. 5,000 per mow, a sum of Tls. 210.

*Liaoyang Road and Surplus Land.*—The offer of the native owner has been accepted to surrender a piece of unregistered land measuring Mow 0.390, at the proclamation rate for roadland, Tls. 150 per mow, or a sum of Tls. 59, also to sell a further lot of land situated partly within the roadlines measuring Mow 2.412 at Tls. 650 per mow or a sum of Tls. 1,568.

Of the total area thus acquired a piece of surplus land will remain measuring Mow 0.226, for which the apportionment of cost is Tls. 147.

*Tsitsihar Road and Surplus Land.*—The offer of Mr. J. O. Anderson has been accepted for the sale of B.C. Lot 9388 formerly 8876 measuring Mow 0.945 of which Mow 0.596 is required for road purposes. The price paid is Tls. 550 per Mow or a sum of Tls. 520 for the property. Of this area Mow 0.349 remains available as surplus land

*Bubbling Well and Great Western Roads.*—The amended claim of Mr. S. J. Powell has been accepted for the surrender of the areas required for these roads from B.C. Lots 6854, 6855 and 8234 at the rate of Tls. 1,925 per mow less one-third for betterment or Tls. 2,951 for Mow 2.3

**Public Lighting.**

*Tamsui Road.*—The recommendation of the Engineer has been adopted to light this road with two 60 c.p. suspended metallic filament electric lamps at a cost of Tls. 66 per annum.

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 11.

*Police Force.*—1st Class Sergeant M. L. Baillie is invalided from January 20.

Senior Warder R. C. Blyton is permitted to terminate his service on March 31.

1st Class Sergeant Jas. McKenzie is permitted to terminate his service on June 27, the date of expiry of his agreement.

Warder No. 25, Sher Singh, is discharged, invalided, from January 10.

*Educational Department.*—Mlle. M. Probst is appointed temporarily as French Mistress in the Public School for Girls, from January 6.

Miss F. MacGregor, Student Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is appointed Assistant Mistress under an agreement from January 1.

The service of Mr. M. C. Clare, Assistant Master in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, will terminate on January 11.

**Public Band.**

On Sunday next, January 19, at 4.30 p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

1. Overture "Le Caïd" Thomas
2. Suite de Ballet "Coppélia" Delibes
   (a) Valse de la Poupée
   (b) Entr' Act et Valse
3. Selection "Eugen Onegin" Tschaikowsky

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4. Overture "Hunyadi Laszlo" Erkel
5. "Welsh Rhapsody" German

A. DE KRYGER,
*Conductor-in-Charge.*

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*Private Services.*—The charge for the services of the Band is Tls. 40, and of a Half-Band, consisting of not less than 3 European and 12 Manila musicians, Tls. 25 per hour or part of an hour.

The services of a smaller number of musicians may be engaged at the rate of Tls. 3 per hour for European, and Tls. 1.50 per hour for Manila musicians. In a group numbering less than a Half-Band, an extra fee of Tls. 1.50 per hour, or part of an hour, is charged for the services of the piano-player.

One rehearsal is permitted without fee, all subsequent rehearsals are charged for at half of the above rates.

For the services of a soloist an additional fee of Tls. 25 is charged, inclusive of such rehearsals as are necessary.

Engagements for more than three performances during a season are subject to a reduction of 20 per cent., for more than twelve performances 40 per cent.

For Sunday performances or services involving marching through the streets double rates are charged.

24 hours' notice is required for the cancellation of any engagement.

The cost of conveyance of musicians for distances beyond a radius of 1 mile from the Municipal Offices, Kiangse Road, must be defrayed by the persons engaging them.

The European musicians are allowed to give private music lessons, with the Conductor's permission obtained in each case.

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**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, January 12, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 20 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 0 |
| Total Deaths from all causes | 8 | 123 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 17D | Museum & Hongkong | Chinese Young Men's Christian Association | | 1 | |
| 678 | N. Szechuen | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | altns. |
| 6044 | Y'poo | China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ld. | | | 2 sheds |
| 3169 | Gordon | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | 1 | 1 | servants' quarters |
| 1498 | Mandalay | Davies & Brooke | | | stables, smithy, kitchen & latrine addns. |
| Unreg. W of 3044 | Markham | E. E. Lever | | | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| Unreg. N of 5548 | Lay | Kyung Shun Shing | 8 | | |
| Unreg. W of 1906 | Ward | Yao Ning Kee | 3 | | |

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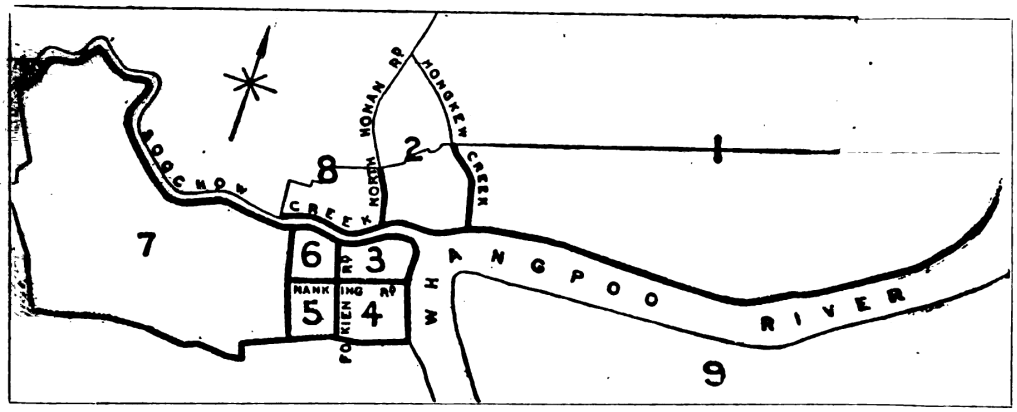
# FIRE DISTRICTS




The above plan illustrates the division of the Settlement into Fire Districts:—

The districts are defined as follows:—

District No. 1, east of the Hongkew Creek.

District No. 2, between the Hongkew Creek and the North Honan Road.

District No. 3. north of the Nanking and east of the Fokien Road.

District No. 4, south of the Nanking and east of the Fokien Road.

District No. 5, south of the Nanking and west of the Fokien Road.

District No. 6, north of the Nanking and west of the Fokien Road.

District No. 7, west of the Defence Creek.

District No. 8, west of the North Honan Road.

District No. 9, The Whangpoo River and Pootung.

Ten strokes of the Fire Bell will be given as a General Alarm, which will be sounded only for Districts Nos. 1 to 4, followed by the District number, repeated at intervals of ten seconds. For Districts Nos. 5 to 9, only the District signal will be rung. During daylight a red flag, and during the night a red light, will be displayed on the Bell Towers.

No persons are allowed within the Police lines at fires except members of the Fire Brigade.

Persons whose property is endangered and representatives of the Gas, Water, Telephone and Tramway Companies and the Electricity Department may obtain permission to pass the Police cordon by applying to the Inspector on duty.

# CONDITIONS GOVERNING THE PURCHASE OF LAND.

The following are the terms approved by the Council in 1904 governing the purchase of land for public purposes:—

1. Land to be acquired by the Council shall be surveyed by the Public Works Department and the area shall be computed at the rate of 7,260 square feet to the mow. Only such land as is capable of being utilized shall be included in such area.

2. Payment shall not be made for land occupied by public creeks or roads, although it may be included in the title deeds. Payment shall not be made on areas given in title deeds or fangtans, but on the actual area as ascertained by survey.

3. Except when expressly stipulated the payment shall be considered to include all compensation for graves, crops, fences or buildings which may be on the land at the time when the contract of sale is made.

4. If the title deed or fangtan area is less than the actual area ascertained by survey the vendor shall be required to obtain and convey to the Council a title to the balance, or shall authorize the Council to obtain it and deduct any expenses connected therewith from the first payment on account of the purchase.

5. The vendor shall guarantee that there are no footpaths or rights of way over the land or any portion of it, unless they are expressly marked on the survey.

6. On receipt of Chinese documents the Council will forward them to the British Consulate for examination by the Joint Measurement Office. On receipt of a certificate from the Consulate that the papers appear to be in order a sum equivalent to 90 per cent. of the purchase price shall be paid to the vendor and the balance of 10 per cent. on the issue of the title deed.

7. The Council shall take possession of the land immediately the first payment on account of the purchase has been made.

8. The vendor shall pay all fees to Chinese including those of middlemen, Tipaos, Joint Measurement Office, etc.: the Council shall pay the fees for examination of the Chinese documents by that office and for registration at the Consulate.

9. If the land or any part of it is covered by a title deed registered in a foreign Consulate the Council shall pay the fees for the transfer, and provided there is no notable discrepancy between the area given in the title deed and that ascertained by survey as aforesaid the whole of the purchase money shall be paid on the transfer being effected at the Consulate where the deed is registered.

10. The vendor shall guarantee that the registered owner of a foreign title deed will sign the transfer at the Consulate where the deed is registered.

11. The Council pays no commissions whatever except to brokers or agents in its employ.

## 工部局買地章程

一 凡有本局買道地畝應由工務處測量其地址應按七千二百六十英方尺爲一畝計算其內只應包括能用之地

二 凡有公共浜路所佔地段雖係註在地契之內概不作價毋須按照仿單地契所註明之地址付價只應按照測明確實之地址付價

三 除特別言明外所有訂立賣地合同時在地上一切墳墓蘆棚菜園苞房屋等件均視爲包括於地價之內

四 凡地契或仿單所註明之地址較少於所測明確實之地址則矣主須取得其餘地畝之地單轉交本局或准由本局取得地單其用費應由所買地初次撥付之價值扣除

五 除特別於測量單註明外矣主應保其地上一概均無公共之小道或行路之權利

六 華文地單敬受之後由本局轉送於大英領事公署以便會丈處查察俟領事公署所給憑單言明地單俟屬妥實敬受之後則將買地之價值十分之九付於矣主其餘十分之一俟其地契給發方可付清

七 初次撥付買地之價值其地立由本局占用

八 凡有華人以及中人地保會丈處等一切費用由矣主付清其該處查察華文地單以及領事公署註册費用則由本局付清

九 該地或該地之一份如有各國領事公署註册之地契其轉交之用費由本局付清其如地契註明之地址及以上所言測明確實之地址無甚懸異則地契註册之公署轉交之時即將買地之價值全數付清

十 該地如有各國領事公署註册之地契矣主應保註册之地主肯在註册之公署將其轉交之單簽字

十一 除本局所用中人或經手人外或一切中費本局一概不付

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

**CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.**

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

**工部局承揽信章程**

一 所有承揽各項本局承認全份或份本局自有權利

二 所有承揽價目極低本局亦未定必准認承辦如有不承辦人自行估價之用款本局有權不認行

三 挪定之後該承揽人到局之後其遵照揽人合同須寬的辦理

四 所有承揽各人及承揽之信局公報俾人知悉價

五 所有取阅說明清若須付錢則

六 所有承揽信函加盖火漆其承揽信壓封固必於信內登載

本局必將其錢數清單在此單內登載

明所敢將錢俟一律退還

後仍將款一律退還

部局總辦處在定期二十四號十工

面寫明送至江路二等物必於十工

所有承揽信函交工料等物必於十工

二時之前以須送信或挂號

都局總辦處在定期二十四號十工

漆其承揽信壓封固加盖火漆

所有承揽信函交工料等物必於十工

所有承揽各項本局承認全份或份本局自有權利

所有承揽事件由英文開列於下

清單最先來用此次概免交既明

信送來最善用送簿或由挂號

二時之前以須送信或挂號

部局總辦處在定期二十四號十工

面寫明送至江路二等物必於十工

所有承揽信函交工料等物必於十工

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tender |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road** | | |
| 127 | Supply of 500 Summer Hats for the Chinese Branch | — | January 31 |
| 128 | Convicts' Food, in the following quantities monthly from March 1:— | — | February 17. Tenders should be accompanied by samples. |
| | Vegetables 7,000 lbs. / Onions 3,500 „ / Salt fish 1,200 „ / Beef 1,450 „ / Pork 1,450 „ / Salt 1,000 „ / Bean Oil 750 „ / Tea 90 „ — For 6 or 12 months. | | |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund** | | |
| 490 | Supply of Tools | — | April 7 |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2564.**

**SPECIAL CONSTABLES.**

THE Council earnestly hopes that all those who have already enrolled as Special Constables will continue their services, which have been invaluable during the past year.

There is little prospect of filling up the vacancies at present existing in the Foreign Branch of the Force before the end of the present year, so that it is a matter of urgency to maintain the strength of the Special Branch at the number originally fixed. In order, therefore, to meet the present and anticipated requirements, the Council invites further applications from male residents of the Settlement of 21 years of age and upwards, who are not members of either the Volunteer Corps or the Fire Brigade, for enrolment as Special Constables.

Selected applicants, who will enter into agreements with the Council terminable upon one month's notice, will be required to attend periodical drills, to pass a course in the use of fire arms and to undertake such duty as may be assigned to them, entailing under normal circumstances night duty for two hours at a time twice a week, between 6 p.m. and 12 midnight.

Applications for enrolment should be made in writing marked "Special Constables" and addressed to the Captain Superintendent of Police at the Central Police Station.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 9, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2567.**

**RIVERSIDE POWER STATION.**

FROM this date and until further notice, owing to new construction work in progress, visitors cannot be admitted to the Riverside Electric Power Station or property.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2568.**

**CHINESE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Municipal Offices will be closed to public business from Saturday, February 1, to Thursday, February 6, inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 23, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2569.**

**BRENAN ROAD RAILWAY CROSSING.**

THE making up of the approaches to this Crossing will be commenced on February 5, and the public is requested to proceed with caution pending completion of the work.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 23, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Parks Committee held on Thursday, January 16, 1919, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Mr. E. Jenner Hogg (*Chairman*)
Rev. Br. Faust
Mr. P. Peebles

The meeting adjourned at 5 o'clock, p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Friday, January 17, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
T. Ibukiyama
Count L. Jezierski

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, January 20, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. I. Ezra (*Chairman*)
E. C. Pearce

The meeting adjourned at 7 o'clock p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Chinese Educational Committee held on Tuesday, January 21, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Mr. E. I. Ezra (*Chairman*)
Rev. Dr. W. Hopkyn Rees
Messrs Shen Tun-ho
Chicheh Nieh

*Absent:*
Mr. H. Phillips

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, January 22, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
E. I. Ezra
T. Ibukiyama
Count L. Jezierski
Messrs. J. Johnstone
W. L. Merriman
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 6.15 p.m.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*"B" Company, British.*—Report by the Committee invited by the Council to consider the circumstances in connexion with the dismissal of Mr. A. J. Heal from "B" Company, British, and ensuing correspondence on this subject:—

Shanghai, January 3, 1919.

SIR,—In reference to your letters of December 20 and 23, 1918, respectively, I have the honour to enclose the Report of the Committee invited by the Council to consider the circumstances in connexion with the dismissal of Mr. A. J. Heal from "B" Company British of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. H. FRASER.
*H. M. Consul-General.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

(*Enclosure.*)

An examination of the documents submitted to the Committee by the Council and by Mr. Heal showed:

(1) That on December 6, 1918, the Commandant of the S. V. C. issued Order No. 101 dismissing Mr. Heal from the Corps, being of the opinion that Mr. Heal was then a member of the Corps and that he had committed certain disciplinary offences warranting dismissal under Article 26 of the Council's Regulations for the S. V. C.

(2) That on reading the abovementioned Order No. 101 in the public press, Mr. Heal took exception on the grounds, firstly, that no such Order could apply to him as he was not then a member of the Corps, having resigned on October 22; and secondly, that even had he been a member of the Corps his dismissal was not warranted by any circumstances with which he had been connected.

It appeared to the Committee, therefore that the issues involved were simple and could conveniently be stated as follows:

(1) Has the Commandant power to dismiss a Non-Commissioned Officer for an offence of the nature alleged to have been committed by Mr. Heal?

(2) Was Mr. Heal a member of the Corps at the time his dismissal was published in Orders?

(3) If so, did the circumstances warrant the action taken by the Commandant in regard to Mr. Heal as detailed in Corps Order No. 101 of December 6?

In reference to these questions the Committee, after hearing further statements from the Commandant and Mr. Heal, record the following findings:—

(1) The Commandant has power to *discharge* a Non-Commissioned Officer for an offence of the nature alleged to have been committed by Mr. Heal under Article 26 of the Council's Regulations for the S.V.C.

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While there is no essential difference between the meaning of the terms discharge and dismissal as applied to a member of a Volunteer Force, the Committee note that the former is used in the British Volunteer Act of 1863 on which Article 26 is evidently based, and that the latter is used only in the case of men of the Regular Forces.

(2) A decision on this point depended on whether Mr. Heal had, in fact, resigned or not on October 22. In this connexion the Committee hold the view that, notwithstanding the absence of any regulation on the point a member's resignation cannot be effective until it has been accepted, with the proviso on the other hand that no application to resign may unreasonably be refused. In this case the Committee consider that there was good reason for refusing to accept Mr. Heal's resignation, namely, that disciplinary circumstances with which he had been connected were then under investigation by the Commandant. The Committee are strongly of opinion that to allow a member to resign when by so doing he might escape the possible consequences of an alleged wrongful act would be subversive of Corps discipline and detrimental to the Community's interests. Moreover, having regard to the origin of Article 2 of the Council's Regulations (Annual Report of the Municipal Council for 1899, page 9), the Committee cannot conceive that such an interpretation was ever intended by the Council or would be acceptable to the Corps.

The Committee accordingly find that Mr. Heal was a Member of the Corps at the time his dismissal was published in Orders.

(3) The Committee find that the circumstances leading to Mr. Heal's dismissal were as follows:—

(*a*) That on October 8, 15 and 22 Mr. Heal (in common with other N. C. Os. of 'B' Co., British) absented himself without leave from drills which had been ordered and at two of which his attendance had been specially required.

The point arises as to whether Order No. 108 issued by the O. C. 'B' Co. British and the instructions issued by him to his Non-Commissioned Officers in a Memorandum dated October 21 are 'orders' in the military sense of the terms. The Committee hold that they must be so considered; and that, even though non-compliance with Orders may on occasion be overlooked or condoned by a Unit Commander, such non-compliance may none the less amount to disobedience within the meaning of Article 26 of the Council's Regulations for the S.V.C. Moreover, in this case the Committee are of opinion that Mr. Heal's non-compliance with Company Orders was aggravated by the circumstances, as they cannot dissociate his action in this matter from that of other Non-Commissioned Officers in the Company.

(*b*) That on October 22 Mr. Heal, while still an active member of the Company rendered himself non-effective by returning his arms and equipment to Headquarters without leave.

The Committee can only regard Mr. Heal's action in this matter as exhibiting an entire lack of appreciation of the spirit of discipline upon which service in the S. V. C. is necessarily based.

(*c*) That on November 1 and subsequent occasions Mr. Heal failed to attend the Court of Enquiry when ordered to do so.

In this connexion the Committee note that notwithstanding repeated admonitions from Captain Cubitt, Mr. Heal persisted in placing his own interpretation on Article 2 of the Council's Regulations in disregard of the provisions of Article 26 by which he had undertaken on enrolment to be bound.

A full consideration of all the circumstances as set out above leaves no doubt in the minds of the Committee that the said circumstances did in fact warrant the action taken by the Commandant in regard to Mr. Heal as detailed in Corps Order No. 101 of December 6. The Committee recommend, however, that the word "dismissed" in the Order be amended to read "discharged."

The Committee recommend that their findings be brought to the attention of Mr. Heal. Thereafter, it appears to the Committee, the adjustment of the matter is in Mr. Heal's own hands. If he desires to express regret for what he has done, then it is understood that he can be reinstated forthwith and allowed to resign. If on the other hand Mr. Heal does not desire to do this then, in the Committee's view, no further action in the matter on the part of the Council is called for. It is further suggested that in the event of an adjustment being reached on the lines indicated, there would be no need to publish the findings of this Committee.

E. H. FRASER.
H. D. MARRYAT.
A. HILTON-JOHNSON.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, January 17, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to thank you for your letter of January 3 forwarding the report drawn up by you, Captain Marryat and Major Hilton-Johnson in regard to the dismissal of Mr. A. J. Heal from "B" Company British of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps and to ask you to accept and to convey to these two gentlemen the Council's sincere thanks and appreciation for your and their kind services in this connexion.

Following upon the recommendations and suggestions contained in your report the Council addressed Mr. Heal in terms of the attached letter of January 9. His reply of January 14 and the Council's rejoinder of to-day's date are submitted herewith for your information.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

Sir EVERARD FRASER, K.C.M.G.,
H. M. Consul-General.

(*Enclosure No. 1.*)

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 9, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to refer to the correspondence which has passed between us in regard to your "dismissal" from "B" Company British of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps, to send you herein enclosed a copy of the report drawn up by H. M. Consul-General, Captain Marryat and Major Hilton-Johnson, and to inform you that, in pursuance of the recommendations therein contained, the Council will, as you may prefer, either direct the re-issue of Corps Order No. 101 with the word "discharged" substituted for the word "dismissed" or upon an expression of regret for your action in this matter, direct withdrawal of the Corps Order in question and your immediate reinstatement with permission to resign.

Should the first alternative be adopted, the Council intends, in order to avoid future misunderstandings, to publish the report in the Municipal Gazette *in extenso*: on the other hand, should the second alternative be adopted, the report will be published to the Corps only with the concluding paragraph omitted, unless you should desire its publication.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

A. J. HEAL, Esq.

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(*Enclosure No. 2.*)

Shanghai, January 14, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I am in receipt of a letter from the Acting Secretary, dated January 9, enclosing copy of the report of the Committee appointed by the Council to advise it concerning my so-called "dismissal" from "B" Company S.V.C.

I beg to remind you that on December 23 in reply to your letter informing me that these three gentlemen would be asked to undertake this duty, I wrote suggesting that as business claims and legal points were involved two well-known gentlemen, one a business man and one a lawyer in official position should also be appointed. The Council refused my request. I also asked that a few simple and reasonable conditions should be observed, but only one was kept, namely that my father should be present with me. One condition was that my Enrolment Form should be produced as the only contract between myself and the Council. This was not done. By that I agreed amongst other things, that I would serve in the Corps and become an Efficient for three consecutive years. I served for four years without a mark against my name. As the Council did not produce my Enrolment Form I produced one also issued by the S.V.C. Staff, on the back of which it was stated that the Commandant had the right to dismiss any member "except a Non-Commissioned Officer." That form was detained by the Committee and has not been returned to me.

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I notice that the more serious charges brought against me in the Commandant's report have been dropped. The Council will know that as they refused my reasonable conditions, I did not in anyway undertake to abide by the findings of the Committee. I attended as a matter of courtesy only. The report of the Committee does not appear to me to be in accordance with the Regulations which I promised to obey nor with the usage of the S. V. C. since I have known it in three important matters.

1.—(Findings) Paragraph 2. The Committee admit that there is no regulation requiring a volunteer upon resigning to consider himself a member of the Corps until his resignation has been accepted, and I submit with all deference and respect that their view that a member's resignation cannot be effective until it has been accepted, is contrary to the plain words of Regulations No. 2 and 25 and to the customary procedure of the S. V. C. I had already completed my contract with the Council.

I also point out that at the time I resigned no "disciplinary circumstances" were then under "investigation by the Commandant." I would again mention that the Captain's report was dated *three days after* my resignation. The Committee must have been misinformed on this point. Thus the Committee's view on this matter falls to the ground and on their own showing the Captain had no reason for withholding acceptance of resignation.

2.—Paragraph 3 (a). I was absent from two drills only for satisfactory reasons which were laid before the Committee, one being detention by business claim. The Regulations do not give any Officer commanding a Company authority to make any drill compulsory. As a volunteer I more than fulfilled my obligations for efficiency as stated in part 3, pages 18 and 19, and at the time of my resignation I had already by a year more than completed my contract with the Council. It has never been accepted in the Corps that an Officer has such power. I respectfully ask the Council what authority the S. V. C. has over the business and/or civilian life of a member? I certainly never promised more than to make myself efficient for three years under penalty of $7 per year.

3.—(b). It is an entire innovation to hold that leave must be obtained before a volunteer can give in his kit. If this is so, why did the Orderly Room, which is entirely under the direct control of the Staff, readily accept my kit without question or demur, and at once give me an official receipt? My kit was in the Orderly Room for only two hours before my resignation was in the Captain's hands, and during that time I had to attend fully to my employer's business. If that made me "non-effective" why did the Captain retain the receipt for my kit for 9 days (October 22 to October 31)? Thus completely preventing me from being "effective" if this argument is correct.

4.—(c). As the Council knows I offered to attend the Court of Enquiry in private capacity but was refused. I have given no interpretation of Regulation No. 2, I only took the plain meaning of the English words, considering they meant what they said. Neither did the Captain give any interpretation.

I would refer the Council to the interviews between the Chairman of the Watch Committee and my father and myself arranged on his initiative before this Committee was appointed. The Chairman never suggested that a Captain's permission was required before a volunteer could resign. He plainly said to my father "I know your son has not done anything wrong" or words to that effect. He admitted that a "mistake" had been made and suggested a plan which he thought would satisfactorily end the trouble. In this connexion I beg to complain that the Council deleted an important paragraph of my letter dated December 18 in the copies laid before the Committee.

*In conclusion I beg to point out that the Council and the Committee have avoided any reference to the fact that my so-called "dismissal" was published broadcast in the public press by the Council's agents. I can only conclude that it was done for the purpose of publicly disgracing me. I do not know where the Council has the legal or moral authority to do so. The Council must know that in other cases of dismissal of volunteers, the dismissal has been posted in Company orders (a recent case in "B" Company will bear me out) so that only those concerned within the Company know. In some serious cases where men have been under the influence of drink while on parade and on duty (I need not enter into details) no Corps order has been published in the press.

If after four years of faithful voluntary service to the Council such is the possible reward, what attraction can the Shanghai Volunteer Corps have for men who desire to serve the Community?

As the Council has not in any way replied to my complaint in the last* paragraph I should be obliged if it will do so.

Yours truly,
ARTHUR J. HEAL.

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council
and Civil Commandant, S.V.C.

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(*Enclosure No. 3.*)

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 17, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of January 14 addressed to the Chairman of Council further on the subject of your "dismissal" from "B" Company British of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps.

In reply I am directed to inform you that the Council is unwilling to enter into any further argument upon the matter, and, as you have failed to indicate your wishes in respect of the suggestions contained in my letter of January 9, has no option but to direct the re-issue of Corps Order No. 101 with the word "discharged" substituted for the word "dismissed" and the publication in the next issue of the Municipal Gazette of the report drawn up by H. M. Consul-General, Captain Marryat and Major Hilton-Johnson, together with a copy of my letter of January 9 and a copy of this letter.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

A. J. HEAL, Esq.

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*Japanese Company.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant the promotion of 2nd Lieut. S. Kobayashi to be Lieutenant is authorized.

### Public Band.

*Sunday Concerts.*—An arrangement has been concluded with the Moscow Trio, Messrs. A. Chnelnitzki, V. Siroido, and C. Bakaleinikoff to give weekly performances at these concerts in conjunction with the Public Band until further notice.

The programme for next Sunday's concert will be found elsewhere in the Gazette and will be notified in the Press on the Saturday preceding each concert.

### Public School for Girls and Surplus Land.

With a view to completion of this site, arrangements have been concluded for the purchase of a piece of unregistered land at the corner of Tifeng and Yuyuen Roads at the rate of Taels 2,500 per mow or Taels 4,000 for Mow 1.6.

### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Great Western Road.*—An arrangement has been concluded with the China Realty Company Ld. for an improvement in the line of this road ex Lots 2321 and 2322, an area measuring Mow 0.105 of surplus roadland to be exchanged for an area measuring Mow 0.117, without monetary compensation.

### Hongkong Local Examinations.

The results achieved by pupils from the Council's schools, in the examinations held in December, 1918, are as follows:—

*Public School for Chinese*:—

Matriculation Examination:—

Pass: Zung Fu-gee (陳福祺)

Junior Examination:—

Pass: Feng Wah-koh (馮國華)
Chu Zoong-Vun (諸頌文)
Zun Zah-zun (陳澤潤)
Sing Tzu-jung (沈嗣榮)
Sung Ung-zei (沈恩滿)
Wai King-chong (魏鈞昌)
Chang Yu-yen (張玉延)

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Chuan Che-liang (龔繼良)
Lee Tse-kwei (李之桂)
*King Chou-son (金菊生)
Tai Chong-tsao (戴昌藻)
Hu Cheng-yung (胡承鏞)
Kwok Tah-kum (郭德金)
*Ng King-ching (吳錦慶)
Soong Tsoong-pa (宋松柏)

* Distinction in Book-keeping.

*Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese.*—Students who entered for Senior Local Examination, but who qualified for Matriculation:—

Pass: Zee Poeh-vung (徐博文)
Woo Chee-chong (胡季昌)

Senior Local Examination:—

Pass: Lee Bih-zung (李弼臣)

Junior Local Examination:—

Pass: Wong Chien-ming (王潛明)
Zung Foh-nyeu (鄭福元)
Yih Foh-mee (葉福綿)
Chen Tsung-yü (陳宗遇)

*Normal School*:—

Matriculation Examination:—

Wong Yoh-yoong (王學儁)

**Educational Grants in Aid.**

*St. Francis Xavier's College.*—Report and working account of the Orphanage for 1918:—

Shanghai, January 17, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I have the honour to forward you, herewith, the Working Account of the Orphanage, attached to the College, for the year 1918.

193 pupils attended the Orphanage, viz:—

Boarders:—

20 at an average pension of $8 per month=$1,600
49 entirely free
} Rec. $1,166

Day-Scholars—

40 at $2 per month =$800
14 at $1 per month =$140
79 entirely free
} Rec. $750

Will you be so kind as to convey to the Members of the Municipal Council our sincerest thanks for the generous assistance they give us in the education and support of the poor and needy children of Shanghai.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
BROTHER ANTONIN,
*Director.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

WORKING ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Municipal Grant, Tls. 2,500 | $3,406.20 |
| *Fees.* Day-Scholars | 750.00 |
| Boarders | 1,166.00 |
| Society of St. Vincent de Paul | 300.00 |
| Debit Balance | 12,300.80 |
| | $17,913.00 |

EXPENSES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Board of 69 boys at $10 per month for 10 months | $6,900.00 |
| Board of 38 boys at $10 per month for 2 months (holidays) | 760.00 |
| Half-Boarders | 120.00 |
| Washing and Mending | 1,946.00 |
| New Clothes | 500.00 |
| Games | 75.00 |
| Medical Attendance | 115.00 |
| Medicines | 78.00 |
| Stationery and Books supplied | 450.00 |
| Fuel, Light and Water | 960.00 |
| Shoes and Boots supplied | 875.00 |
| Repairs to Premises and Playground | 450.00 |
| Servants' Wages | 184.00 |
| Salaries of Teachers | 4,500.00 |
| | $17,913.00 |

BROTHER ANTONIN,
*Director.*

*St. Joseph's Institution.*—Statement of Accounts for 1918:—

*Translation of letter from St. Joseph's Institution, January 15, 1918.*

SIR,—I have the honour to send you, herein enclosed, the accounts of our Providence Orphanage for the year 1918.

Kindly convey to the Members of Council our best thanks for the grant which the Council has accorded us, without which we would have been obliged to greatly reduce the number of poor children received into the establishment.

I am, etc.,
M. DE ST. PHILOMÈNE,
*Mother Superior.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

WORKING ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Grant: English Municipality | $4,116.70 |
| " French " | 4,116.70 |
| Fees received | 2,040.00 |
| Donation | 1,500.00 |
| Revenue of the work-room | 1,231.58 |
| | $13,004.98 |

EXPENSES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 124 pupils at $8 per month | $11,904.00 |
| Location (part) | 5,578.00 |
| Washing | 2,976.00 |
| Water | 169.91 |
| Fuel and Light | 608.00 |
| Medicines | 195.25 |
| Outside Teachers (part) | 250.00 |
| Servants | 264.00 |
| Books and Stationery | 91.70 |
| Shoes | 215.00 |
| House linen and clothes | 442.82 |
| Excursions and rewards | 114.96 |
| Annual Prizes | 95.00 |
| Whitewashing and repairs | 380.00 |
| | 23,284.64 |
| Expenses | 23,284.64 |
| Receipts | 13,004.98 |
| Difference | 10,279.66 |

94 pupils entirely free of charge.
30 paying on an average $6 per month.

*Institution of the Holy Family.*—Statement of Accounts for 1918:—

Shanghai, January 20, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I beg to enclose herewith the Annual Financial Statement of the Institution.

Kindly allow me to express our sincere thanks for your benevolent help, which permits us to continue our work in spite of difficulties.

I am, Dear Sir,
Your obedient servant,
M. DE ST. SIMON,
*Mother Superior.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

WORKING ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Grant: Tls. 1,500 | $2,052.24 |
| School Fees, Day Scholars | 2,139.00 |
| | $4,191.24 |

EXPENDITURE.

| | |
|---|---|
| Salaries to Teachers | $10,080.00 |
| Salaries to Extra Teachers | 3,467.50 |
| Food, Boarders | 5,760.00 |
| Food, Half Boarders | 900.00 |
| Washing | 1,440.00 |
| Water | 125.00 |
| Lighting | 423.50 |
| Fuel | 1,024.29 |
| Repairing of Buildings | 1,797.99 |
| Infirmary | 93.65 |
| Linen, Clothes and Shoes | 1,948.40 |
| Books and Stationery | 140.84 |
| Servants | 1,531.00 |
| | $28,732.17 |

Loan for Buildings and Interest for the Loan $37,043.00

40 Boarders:—

12 gratis, 46 at very reduced fees, equivalent to 28 gratis
32 Half Boarders
168 Day Scholars
} *Gratis.*

88 Day Scholars at very reduced fees.

**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 54c | Bund | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | shed |
| 633 | Nanking | Cheng Ching Chee | | | addns. |
| 2382 | Chinwangtao | Y. Hirano | | 4 | |
| Unreg. W of 2079 | Ward | Chun Wei Ping | | | 5 sheds & bridge |
| 805 | E. Yalu | S. J. Powell | | 1 | |
| 2838 | Nanyang | P. Tilley | 1 | | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 445 | Amoy and Chekiang | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | 4 | | |
| 580 | Kweichow | Show Sung On | 6 | | |
| Unreg. E of 275 | Leehongkewka | Tsu Par Son | 4 | | |
| 2787 | Y'poo | Ah Choy | | | addns. & wall |
| 978 | Yochow | Denham & Rose | 4 | | |
| 6180 | Hart | Par Sun Pai | 2 | | watchman's lodge & wall |
| Unreg. W of 1653 | Manila | Fong Ven Sung | 10 | | |
| Unreg. N of 3306 | Sinza | Zao Yue Kee | 8 | | |

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## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 18.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to the following:—

Mr. R. E. Scatchard, Surveying Assistant from March 18.

Mr. R. P. Roberts, Surveying Assistant from April 19.

Mr. W. Harvey, Clerical Assistant from May 26.

The appointment of Assistant Inspector G. S. Brian is confirmed, under agreement, from January 1.

Miss G. Davey is appointed Stenographer and Typist on three months' probation from January 13.

The temporary service of Mr. F. S. Upham, 2nd Assistant Engineer, will terminate on March 31.

## Public Band.

On Sunday next, January 26, at 4.30 p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

1. Overture "Mignon" Thomas
2. Trio for Piano, Violin and Cello Arensky
   (*a*) Allegro moderato
   (*b*) Scherzo
   (*c*) Elegia
   (*d*) Finale—Allegro non troppo
   *(The Moscow Trio)*
3. Selection "Manon" Massenet

4. "Danse Piemontese" Sinigaglia
5. (*a*) "Morning" Mel Bonis
   (*b*) "Evening" " "
   *(The Moscow Trio)*
6. Ballet "Sylvia" Delibes
   (*a*) Prelude—Les Chasseresses
   (*b*) Intermezzo et Valse Lente
   (*c*) Pizzicati
   (*d*) Cortêge de Bacchus

A. DE KRYGER,
*Conductor-in-Charge.*

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, January 19, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 13 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all causes | 7 | 134 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Sanitary Station.

Custom House,
Shanghai, January 17, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to hand you, enclosed, a Statement of Receipts and Payments in connexion with the Sanitary Station at Woosung for the December Quarter, 1918.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
R. H. R. WADE,
*Commissioner of Customs*

The CHAIRMAN, Municipal Council.

| RECEIPTS. | | *Haikwan Taels* |
|---|---|---|
| Balance from September Quarter 1918 | | — |
| Foreign Municipal Council's Contribution | 1,346.50 | |
| French Municipal Council's Contribution | 471.28 | |
| Superintendent's Contribution | 2,693.00 | |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 44.88 | |
| Gain by Exchange | — | |
| *Interest on Mortgage A/c | — | |
| | | 4,555.66 |
| Total Receipts | | 4,555.66 |

| EXPENDITURE. | | |
|---|---|---|
| Salaries, Foreign Staff | 1,945.80 | |
| Chinese ,, | 1,087.00 | |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 22.44 | |
| Maintenance Account | 76.18 | |
| Advertisements, Telegrams, etc. | 21.64 | |
| Coal and Stores for Tender | 1,210.57 | |
| Total Expenditure | 4,363.63 | |
| Balance due on September 30, 1918 | 10,273.56 | |
| | | 14,637.19 |
| Debit Balance on Dec. 31, 1918 | | 10,081.53 |

*Total interest received to date Hk. Tls. 897.66

Prepared by
J. STEINBERG,
*District Accountant.*

R. H. R. WADE,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

## Report of Captain-Superintendent of Police for December.

Strength of the Force on December 31.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 6 | |
| Foreigners | 146 | |
| Japanese | 27 | |
| Sikhs | 532 | |
| Chinese | 1,467 | |
| | | 2,178 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 82 | |
| Followers | 207 | |
| | | 289 |
| | Total | 2,467 |

*Armed Robberies.*—During the month nine reports were made of armed robbery from houses. In connexion with these reports four persons have been arrested and remitted to the Court of the Shanghai Military Governor.

Five cases of attempted armed robbery from houses were also reported. Five arrests were made in connexion with three of these cases. Four of the prisoners have been dealt with and one is still under remand awaiting trial.

One report was received of armed highway robbery from the person on the street. Two persons were arrested for this offence, one being convicted whilst the charge against the other was not sustained.

Thirteen persons were arrested in connexion with armed robberies committed prior to December 1, 1918, including an armed robbery which was accompanied by murder. The charge against one of the thirteen men apprehended was not proceeded with and the others are at present under remand awaiting trial.

In addition to the above arrests five men were apprehended for being in possession of firearms and being members of a robber gang. These are under remand awaiting trial.

The five persons referred to in last month's report as being under remand at the end of November, 1918, on charges of robbery, have been sentenced to various terms of imprisonment.

*Larcenies.*—During the month 390 reports of property stolen were made at the various stations. Enquiries were made with successful results in 140 of these cases.

*Shop-breaking in Nanking Road.*—Between the night of December 9 and the morning of December 10 the Mikimoto Pearl Store, 31 Nanking Road, was broken into and jewellery to the value of $63,000 stolen. Two Russians were arrested in a house in Hongkew on December 11 on suspicion of being concerned with the case and are at present detained under remand. Three of the finger-prints left on the safe, which was forced open, corresponded with three of the fingers of the left hand of one of the prisoners.

These two men were also charged with breaking into 6A Kiangse Road on November 15 and stealing therefrom certain property which was valued at $787.

With reference to the first named of the above cases, the robbers gained access to the premises by forcing the front door with a jemmy. The door was somewhat flimsy and quite unsuitable for the protection of an establishment of this nature, whose front entrance should have been strongly guarded. Storekeepers and others who have valuable goods in stock, are earnestly requested to assist the Police by seeing that all entrances to their premises are protected in an efficient manner.

*Executions.*—On December 30 and 31, 1918, respectively two prisoners were shot at Loongwha. One of the men was arrested on February 10, 1918, for participating in two armed robberies in the Settlement, and the other was arrested on a warrant at Soochow and brought to Shanghai on September 25 last in connexion with the gold bar robbery on Robison Road on September 1, 1917.

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*Arrests in Connexion with Murder.*—Eleven men were arrested during the month in connexion with an armed robbery at 31 Tamsui Road on November 16, 1918, when Chinese P. C. 625 was shot and fatally wounded in an attempt to pursue and arrest the perpetrators.

*Robbery and Murder Outside Limits.*—Information has been received during the month of no fewer than seventeen piracies and robberies, some of which included a considerable number of houses, having occurred outside Settlement Limits in the region around Shanghai. In one instance the occupant of a house died as a result of being stabbed. In five other cases knife and bullet wounds were inflicted upon persons who resisted or tried to raise an alarm. One of the greatest in magnitude was that which took place near Chiso (川沙) on the Pootung coast on December 2, when a band of armed men about 200 strong disembarked from boats, plundered the houses in a village in the vicinity and sailed off to the South East carrying away booty valued at approximately $40,000.

*Special Constables.*—The effective strength of Special Constables on December 31 was 156 officers and men.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 379 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 136 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 132 records were received from the French Police out of which number 72 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For identification | 511 |
| Identified | 208 |
| Percentage | 40 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 7 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 34 |
| | 41 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 13.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 174 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 69 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud burglaries, etc. |
| 48 | *Second offenders.* |
| 24 | *Third offenders.* |
| 2 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 62 | *Habitual offenders* (serious) |
| 379 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for December.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed for the Public Works Department | Tls. | Nil |
| *Less.* | | Nil |
| Total | Tls. | Nil |
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the Public Works Department | Tls. | 9,142.95 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | | 5,031.53 |
| Total | Tls. | 4,111.42 |
| Grand Total earned by Convict Labour | Tls. | 4,111.42 |

**Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.**

K. J. McEuen,
*Captain-Superintendent of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:*— | |
| Absent from ship without leave | 1 |
| Assault | 1 |
| 2.—*Offences against property:*— | |
| Burglary | 2 |
| Larceny | 1 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:*— | |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:*— | |
| Dog | 1 |
| Arms | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 4 |
| Riding a bicycle after sunset without a light | 1 |
| Total | 12 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 3,388 | 3,388 |
| Others | 39 | 908 | 947 |
| Total | 39 | 4,296 | 4,335 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Arms confiscated | 1 |
| Fined | 3 |
| Imprisonment | 2 |
| Imprisonment and Fined | 1 |
| Remanded | 3 |
| Sent on board ship | 1 |
| To be kept in custody until ship leaves port | 1 |
| Total | 12 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY

on December 31.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 4 |
| Louza Station | 25 |
| Hongkew Station | 9 |
| Harbin Road Station | 2 |
| West Hongkew Station | 2 |
| Wayside Station | 3 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 1 |
| Sinza Station | 9 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 2 |
| Gordon Road Station | 2 |
| Gaol | 1,679 |
| Reformatory | 122 |
| Total | 1 860 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 716 | 988 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 716 | 988 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN

November 30 and December 27.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 109,352.75 |
| Recovered | 8,397.80 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on Nov. 30 | 55 | 370 |
| Captured | 315 | |
| Returned | 75 | 370 |
| Killed | 245 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 5 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 45 | |

**Parks Report for December.**

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players |
|---|---|
| Golf | 952 |
| Hockey | 132 |
| Football | 132 |
| Players | 1,216 |
| Non-players | 3,243 |
| Visitors | 4,459 |

*Nurseries:*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Young trees pruned | 800 |
| Seedlings transplanted | 12,500 |
| Cuttings inserted | 900 |
| Land cultivated | 1,549 fong |

*Road-Side Trees:*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Trees transplanted | 135 |
| ,, pruned | 2,474 |
| ,, topdressed | 73 |
| ,, fastened | 22 |
| ,, staked | 22 |
| ,, borers destroyed | 1,950 |

*Tress and Shrubs Planted at:*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Public School for Girls in Western District | 20 shrubs |

*Trees and Shrubs Transplanted at:*

| | |
|---|---|
| Jessfield Park | 4 trees |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | 16 shrubs |

*Turf Laid at:*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Public Recreation Ground | 35 fong |
| Bund Foreshore | 99½ ,, |
| Public Garden | 138 ,, |
| Soochow Road Foreshore | 7 ,, |
| Cathedral Compound | 58 ,, |
| Quinsan Square | 132 ,, |
| Studley Park | 14 ,, |

D. MacGregor,
*Superintendent of Parks.*

Countersigned,
C. Harpur,
*Acting Engineer and Surveyor.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

**CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.**

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

**工部局承攬信章程**

一 所有承攬各項本局承認全份項

二 未定估價必准攬價目由本局自有權亦有不認付

三 揮定之後該承攬人到局保其遵照合同辦理

四 所有承攬各人本局之信及承攬之價

五 所有取閱說明書若干付錢則

本局必將其錢數在此驗氣單內錢登

六 所有承攬信封固加蓋火漆其承攬何項應妥實封物必於信面寫明所投之錢款一律退還

後仍將該款俟得的承攬信

二部局總辦處以用此送信次概或由挂號

二時之前送至江西路二十四號十工

清信送來最善

清單費

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

**TENDERS INVITED**

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road** | | |
| 127 | Supply of 500 Summer Hats for the Chinese Branch | — | January 31 |
| 128 | Convicts' Food, in the following quantities monthly from March 1:— | — | February 17. Tenders should be accompanied by samples. |
| | Vegetables 7,000 lbs.<br>Onions 3,500 „<br>Salt fish 1,200 „<br>Beef 1,450 „<br>Pork 1,450 „<br>Salt 1,000 „<br>Bean Oil 750 „<br>Tea 90 „<br>For 6 or 12 months. | | |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund** | | |
| 490 | Supply of Tools | — | April 7 |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2564.**

**SPECIAL CONSTABLES.**

THE Council earnestly hopes that all those who have already enrolled as Special Constables will continue their services, which have been invaluable during the past year.

There is little prospect of filling up the vacancies at present existing in the Foreign Branch of the Force before the end of the present year, so that it is a matter of urgency to maintain the strength of the Special Branch at the number originally fixed In order, therefore, to meet the present and anticipated requirements, the Council invites further applications from male residents of the Settlement of 21 years of age and upwards, who are not members of either the Volunteer Corps or the Fire Brigade, for enrolment as Special Constables.

Selected applicants, who will enter into agreements with the Council terminable upon one month's notice, will be required to attend periodical drills, to pass a course in the use of fire arms and to undertake such duty as may be assigned to them, entailing under normal circumstances night duty for two hours at a time twice a week, between 6 p.m. and 12 midnight.

Applications for enrolment should be made in writing marked "Special Constables" and addressed to the Captain Superintendent of Police at the Central Police Station.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 9, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2568.**

**CHINESE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Municipal Offices will be closed to public business from Saturday, February 1, to Thursday, February 6, inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 23, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2569.**

**BRENAN ROAD RAILWAY CROSSING.**

THE making up of the approaches to this Crossing will be commenced on February 5, and the public is requested to proceed with caution pending completion of the work.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 23, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2570.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHINESE.**

(*Translation.*)

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the Spring term on Monday, February 17, at 9 a.m.

Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.

Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads.

Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.

Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25 except for the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $20, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Friday, February 14, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Saturday, February 15, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m, to receive and examine new pupils.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 30, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Watch Committee held on Tuesday, January 28, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. J. Johnstone *(Chairman)*
W. L. Merriman
Ed. White
E. C. Pearce

The meeting adjourned at 6.40 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, January 29, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
E. I. Ezra
T. Ibukiyama
Count L. Jezierski
Messrs. J. Johnstone
W. L. Merriman
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 5.20 p.m.

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### War Volunteers Memorial.

Interchange of letters with the British Chamber of Commerce on the subject of the reservation of a site for a proposed memorial to the local subjects of the Allied Powers who have laid down their lives during the war:—

Shanghai, January 30, 1917

SIR,—It is extremely probable that at the end of the present war steps will be taken by British, French, Italian, Russian and other residents of Shanghai to erect an Allied Monument to the memory of their countrymen who have fallen in battle. It would be premature to discuss the details of such a project at the present time, but the attention of my Committee has been drawn to the importance of securing as early as possible the reservation of a suitable site for a memorial. It has been suggested that the most suitable spot would be at the junction of The Bund and the Avenue Edward VII, and I am directed to inquire if the Council would be prepared to definitely reserve a site at that point for the purpose indicated.

Should the Council be prepared to make the suggested reservation, my Committee would at once take steps to secure the consent and co-operation of the French Municipal Council and the French Chamber of Commerce in the matter.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
H. B. STEWART,
*Secretary,*
*British Chamber of Commerce.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, February 5, 1917.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of January 30 requesting the reservation of a suitable site for a proposed memorial to the local subjects of the Allied Powers who have laid down their lives during the war, and in reply to inform you that, subject to the concurrence of the French Council, the site shown on the attached plan between the Transformer House and the Meteorological Station on the Bund at the end of the Avenue Edward VII will be reserved for this purpose.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

H. B. STEWART, Esq.,
Secretary,
British Chamber of Commerce.

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Shanghai, March 9, 1917.

DEAR SIR,—At the request of the Shanghai Municipal Council, my Committee approached the French Municipal Council, through the good offices of the French Chamber of Commerce, with regard to the erection, at the end of the war, of an Allied Monument to the memory of those soldiers who have fallen in battle.

I have now the pleasure to inform you that the French Municipal Council have agreed to our suggestion, and that they have reserved for that purpose the site mentioned, viz., the junction of Quai de France, Avenue Edouard VII and The Bund.

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In their letter to the French Chamber of Commerce agreeing to the proposal the French Municipal Council state they are desirous of facilitating the realization of such a patriotic project and have reserved for the erection of the monument, the land required.

I am, Sir,
Yours faithfully,
JOHN JOHNSTONE,
*Chairman,*
*British Chamber of Commerce.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 24, 1917.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 9 notifying the concurrence of the French Council to the reservation, for a memorial to the local subjects of the Allied Powers, who have laid down their lives during the war, of the site shown on the plan which was enclosed with my letter to you of February 5.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

J. JOHNSTONE, Esq.,
Chairman of the British Chamber of Commerce.

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Shanghai, March 26, 1917.

DEAR SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 24, and to thank the Council for the assistance given to the proposal for the erection of a memorial to citizens and subjects of allied countries, who have laid down their lives during the war.

Yours faithfully,
P. CAMPBELL,
*Acting Secretary,*
*British Chamber of Commerce.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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**Charity Organization Committee.**

Report and Statement of Accounts for 1918:—

REPORT OF THE CHARITY ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE OF THE KING'S DAUGHTERS' SOCIETY.

Seven members of The King's Daughters' Society were appointed to serve for the year on the Committee for Charity Organization.

Mrs. H. J. EVERALL, *Chairman.*
Mrs. P. A. H. CHAMBERS.
Mrs. A. E. ALGAR.
Mrs. H. M. GORTON.
Mrs. P. M. LANCASTER.
Miss M. JANSEN.
Mrs. A. J. STEWART, *Hon. Treas.*
Mrs. A. WHEEN, *Secretary.*

On leaving Shanghai at the end of June, Mrs. Everall resigned her office and Mrs. Gorton was elected in her place. The vacancy on the Committee was filled by Mrs. Macdonald. Mrs. Algar, who left in June, was succeeded by Mrs. Grant.

An Assistant Secretary has been engaged who speaks several languages. This has proved of great help in investigating cases.

The Committee accept with great regret the resignation of Mrs. Stewart, who has ably fulfilled the duties of Hon. Treasurer during the past two and a half years.

The total number of meetings has been twenty-four.

*Tenement House.*—In April the Committee were approached as to undertaking the management of the two tenement houses in Dixwell Road. The Municipal Grant does not cover this form of work, but the maintenance of one house—containing four flats—was made financially possible by four gentlemen very kindly promising $40 per mensem towards rental and upkeep. Therefore it was decided to make the experminent. The house is supervised by a sub-committee of three members of the Charity Organization Committee The aim is to provide temporary free quarters for families whose income is either very small or almost nil.

A letter was received from the Moral Welfare Society, asking for the co-operation of The King's Daughters' Society, and Miss M. Jansen was appointed to serve as a representative.

*Relief.*—Applicants for relief frequent the office in fairly regular numbers. New cases to the number of 205 were dealt with during the year. In addition there have been 100 cases carried over from the preceding twelve months, so that the total number of applicants is roughly 300 as against 213 for 1917. The applicants are of the following nationalities:—

| | |
|---|---|
| British | 39 |
| Armenian | 1 |
| Greek | 2 |
| Portuguese | 40 |
| Filipino | 16 |
| American | 9 |
| Czech | 4 |
| Russian | 24 |
| Roumanian | 15 |
| Italian | 9 |
| Norwegian | 4 |
| Swedish | 11 |
| French | 7 |
| Dutch | 3 |
| Finn | 16 |
| Pole | 1 |
| Servian | 2 |
| Spanish | 2 |
| | 205 |

The Committee have found work for 49 applicants, and have assisted 26 cases to leave Shanghai.

They have also responded to 540 calls for clothing.

During the months of February and March last, the political conditions in Siberia were sufficiently alarming to cause a large number of people to seek refuge away from Russia, and each ship arriving in Shanghai from Vladivostok has been crowded with destitute Russians. For such cases the Committee can do very little, as the opportunities of employment offering are not many and are out of all proportion to the numbers of applicants. In this connection recourse has been made to the Work Shelters of the Municipal Council, which, for a limited period, employ men and in return provide night lodging and breakfast.

There are still impossible cases on the Committee's books of men who live on public charity, who will not work. Until certain Consular Courts introduce a Vagrancy Act, this unsatisfactory state of affairs must exist.

The aims of the Committee are:—

(1) To make a thorough investigation of each case and obtain from different societies adequate relief.

(2) To improve the charitable system of the community.

It would facilitate the work of the Committee if the Public would co-operate in this matter. It is found that a great deal of money is given, often unadvisedly, to mendicants who call at offices during business hours. To insure the case is one of bona fide distress, it would be well to communicate with the Secretary, either by telephone North 2516, or by referring the applicant to the Society's Office, No. 5 North Soochow Road.

Printed forms are obtainable at the Office, to be filled in by the would-be benefactor as to the amount of money or other relief to be given, if the case, upon investigation is found to be deserving. This procedure would render unsuccessful the practices of the professional beggar.

A better working arrangement to meet the charitable needs of the Community could also be brought about if the different Societies would report to the Charity Organization Committee, and confidential exchanges be made as to what is done for families in which they are interested.

(3) To improve the condition of the poor.

Want and sickness so often go hand in hand that it is not surprising to find a continuous register of appeals from cases which exhibit symptoms of tuberculosis. The Committee look forward with hope to the opening of the sanatorium for patients who suffer from this dread scourge, and who are so undesirable a menace to the health of all with whom they come in contact.

Several cases, mentally deficient have to be recorded. Such cases are difficult to deal with, as no suitable accommodation is available, the Mental Ward being reserved for patients who have been certified as insane. It is evident that in the near future efforts must be made to secure suitable occupation and lodging for paupers who are not sufficiently unbalanced to be certified as insane, and on this account to be confined in an asylum or the Mental Ward. Beyond supervising the lodgings which their friends provide, and satisfying themselves that these poor people are fed, the Committee find that under existing circumstances nothing further can be done

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The establishment of a branch of the Public Library and Free Reading Room on the North side of the Garden Bridge would be of inestimable value.

The Committee have great pleasure in recording valuable co-operation between the various charitable societies and themselves, and would like to take this opportunity of expressing their thanks for the wholehearted way in which the officials of these organizations have rendered assistance.

BEATRICE GORTON,
*Chairman.*

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS.

TENEMENT HOUSE FUND.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To Donations | | $400.00 |
| | | $400.00 |
| By Rent and Taxes | | $245.54 |
| Water | | 8.40 |
| Furniture and Fittings | | 58.35 |
| Maintenance and Repairs | | 25.60 |
| Balance in hand | | 62.11 |
| | | $400.00 |

CHARITY ACCOUNT.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To Balance from 1917 | | $ 72.69 |
| Donations—Disbursements on account of Local Charity Funds recovered, etc. | | 2,835.20 |
| Loans | | 100.00 |
| Money refunded to Charity Organization Committee | | 50.00 |
| Beloin Trust Fund | | 689.65 |
| Sundry Sales | | 7.00 |
| Transfer from Petty Cash to Bank | | 1.00 |
| | | $3,755.54 |
| By Rents | | $ 15.00 |
| School fees | | 375.50 |
| Board and Lodging | | 509.50 |
| Passages | | 73.51 |
| Medical Aid | | 16.50 |
| Hire of Furniture | | 12.50 |
| Alms | | 488.19 |
| Loans repaid | | 50.00 |
| Money refunded to St. George's Society and Ladies' Benevolent Society | | 60.00 |
| Upkeep of tenement house | | 337.89 |
| Beloin money in trust refunded | $679.65 | |
| Beloin's rent | 10.00 | |
| | | 689.65 |
| Miscellaneous | | 3.00 |
| Transfer from Petty Cash to Bank | | 1.00 |
| Balance in Bank | | 98.30 |
| Cash in hand | | 25.00 |
| | | $3,755.54 |

WORKING ACCOUNT.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To Balance from 1917 | | $1,892.26 |
| Municipal Grant | | 4,923.60 |
| Charges to King's Daughters' Society for rent and telephone | | 444.41 |
| Money refunded per Mrs. Lancaster | | 30.00 |
| Interest at 2 per cent. up to date | | 9.92 |
| | | $7,300.19 |
| By Salaries and Wages— | | |
| Foreigners | $3,165.11 | |
| Chinese | 72.00 | |
| | | $3,237.11 |
| Rent and Taxes | | 1,245.20 |
| Telephone Service | | 163.16 |
| Stationery and Postage | | 82.22 |
| Fuel | | 77.85 |
| Water | | 48.00 |
| Maintenance and Repairs | | 26.64 |
| Locomotion | | 703.74 |
| Loan to Mrs. Lancaster | | 30.00 |
| Sundries | | 6.75 |
| Balance in Bank | | 1,679.52 |
| | | $7,300.19 |

Audited and found correct,
H. S. BENNER.

P. M. STEWART,
*Hon. Treasurer.*

## Decorations.

The Council's stock of flags may be hired for decorative purposes; the scale of charges as below is in force, with a minimum charge of $5. Applications should be made and delivery taken at the Public Works Department, 7A The Bund; two days' notice of requirements should be given. Any flags lost or damaged will be charged for.

*4 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags*—
Union Jack, Australia, Canada, India, United States of America, Belgium, France, Italy, Russia, Portugal, Japan, China, Servia, Roumania, Montenegro $0.40 each

*3 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags*—
Union Jack, Red, White and Blue Ensigns, Australia, Canada, Ceylon, Hongkong, India, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, New Zealand, Queensland, Straits Settlements, South Australia, New South Wales and Western Australia. United States of America, Belgium, Denmark, France, Holland, Italy, Japan, China, Mexico, Montenegro, Norway, Portugal, Russia, Servia, Spain, and Sweden $0.25 each

*2 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags*—
Union Jack, Red, White and Blue Ensigns, St. George's, St. Andrew's and St. Patrick's Crosses, Australia, Canada, India, Ireland, New South Wales, New Zealand, Queensland, Scotland, Victoria and Wales. United States of America, France, Belgium, Italy, Portugal, Russia, Japan, China, Servia, Montenegro $0.10 each

*Banners*, 9-ft. by 3-ft., fitted with pole, ornament and cord $0.15 each

*Banners*, 5-ft. by 3-ft., fitted with stick $0.10 each

*3-ft. Pennants* on lines $0.05 for ten

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 25.

*Police Force.*—Sub-Inspector W. G. Brown is permitted to terminate his service on March 27.

1st Class Constable E. Ritchie is permitted to terminate his service, under medical certificate, on February 28

2nd Class Sergeant L. E. Todd is promoted to be 1st Class Sergeant from January 1.

*Health Department.*—The service of Probationer Nurse A. M. Donald terminated on January 23, the date of expiry of her agreement.

Miss E. Gilbertson is engaged as a candidate for an appointment as Probationer Nurse, on six months' trial from February 1.

*Educational Department.*—Mr. J. R. Trindle is appointed temporarily as Assistant Master in the Public School for Boys from January 6.

Mrs. F. W. Snape is appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls from January 6.

Mrs. J Frost, temporary Drawing Mistress in the Public School for Chinese, is permitted to terminate her service on January 31.

Mrs. J. B. Grant is appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese from February 15.

## Public Band.

On Sunday next, February 2, at 4.30 p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

1. Overture "A Roman Carnival" Berlioz
2. Trio for Piano, Violin and Cello "A la memoire d'un grand Artist" Tschaikowsky
   (*a*) Pezzo elegiaco
   (*b*) Tema con variazioni
   Var 1 Andante con moto
   „ 2 Piu mosso
   „ 3 Allegro moderato
   „ 4 L'istesso tempo
   „ 5 L'istesso tempo
   „ 6 Tempo di valse
   „ 7 Allegro moderato
   „ 8 Fuga
   „ 9 Andante
   „ 10 Tempo di Mazurka
   „ 11 Moderato
   (*c*) Finale—Allegro resoluto e con fuco
   *(The Moscow Trio)*
3. "Rhapsodie No. 2" Liszt
4. (*a*) "Prelude" Massenet
   (*b*) "Romance" Glinka
   *(The Moscow Trio)*
5. Symphonic Poem "Ultava" Smetana

A. DE KRYGER,
*Conductor-in-Charge.*

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, January 26, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 1 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 3 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 14 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all causes | 4 | 144 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 56 | Bund | Palmer & Turner | | | addns. |
| 53 | Szechuen | P. Tilley | | | addns. |
| 6475 | Haichow | A. Damsgaard | 1 | | |
| Un-reg. W of 1270 | Tongshan | Zung Kee Kee | | | 4 work-sheds |
| 7209 | Ward | S. J. Powell | | 4 | wall |
| 1480 | B'bling Well | China Realty Co., Ld. | | | altns. |
| 791 | Chengtu | R. E. Steward-son | 1 | | wall |
| 6334 | Ferry | Zung Tai | | | 2 sheds |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 406 | Hankow | Procure des Lazaristes | | | altns. & addns. |
| 791 | Chengtu | R. E. Steward-son | 2 | | |

**Fire Brigade Report for December.**

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 17, as against 35 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 8,125 (Foreign, Tls. 2,500; Chinese, Tls. 5,625), as against Tls. 35,950 (Foreign, Tls. 400; Chinese, Tls. 35,550) during December 1917. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 546,000 (Foreign, Tls. 500,000; Chinese, Tls. 46,000), as against Tls. 1,058,000 (Foreign, Tls. 850,000; Chinese, Tls. 208,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 8, Watch towers 4, Street alarms 2, Messengers 2 and Police 1.

The general alarm was given on 4 occasions, the remaining 13 being station calls.

These calls proved to be 10 small fires, 1 chimney fire, 4 false alarms and 2 fires outside the Settlement.

The supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Sparks or embers from stove | 4 |
| Dropped match or cigarette end | 2 |
| Lamp upset | 2 |
| Stone or hard foreign substance in scutching machine | 1 |
| Overheated machine | 1 |

The premises affected were:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Foreign buildings | 3 |
| Chinese buildings | 18 |

Of these fourteen houses were more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The water used at fires during the month was 110,200 gallons.

The Brigade was occupied 10 hours and 35 minutes at fires, or supposed fires, and the Staff was employed for a further 85½ hours watching and damping down.

The fires of note during the month were:—

*M. 1772 Avenue Road, December 4, at 4.42 p.m.*—No. 7 Company, who were the first to arrive, found No. M 1772 Avenue Road, a mattress-makers' establishment situated within 100 yards of the Sinza Station) well alight. The flames had already obtained a grip on the adjoining premises and were rapidly sweeping along the roofs on either side. A line of hose was promptly got to work but owing to the low pressure this had little effect and it was not until two pumps with additional lines of hose were got to work at the back and front that the fire was checked and finally extinguished. Nine houses were more or less damaged mostly in the roofs and ceilings.

*M. 526 Foochow Road, December 12, at 3.50 a.m.*—The rear portion of No. M. 526 Foochow Road, a picture frame-makers' shop, was found to be well alight, and the fire spreading to the empty restaurant above. Lines of hose were got to work through the fronts of the premises affected whilst other streams were taken round the back and the outbreak extinguished after about an hour's hard work. The Brigade were successful in checking the flames from working through to the front, but naturally a certain amount of water damage was done to the goods stored there, whilst a quantity of picture-framing material, which was stored at the back, was destroyed.

*10 Markham Road, December 24, at 5.20 a.m.*—No. 7 Company, who were the first to arrive, found an outhouse of No. 10 Markham Road, a foreign residence which had been converted into a camphor factory by Messrs. Suzuki & Co., well alight. Streams were got to work on the front and sides to prevent the flames spreading to the main building, whilst another stream was got to work from a sampan on the creek side, and after about an hour's work the outbreak was subdued. Fortunately there was no wind as otherwise the main building and a large matshed would have probably been destroyed.

M. W. PETT,
*Chief Officer*

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call: Time of | Call: How received | Alarm given | Locality | District: Municipal | District: Fire | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire: Brigade | Time at fire: Staff | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. 3 | 5.07 p.m. | Sinza Police | Station | M 475-6 Avenue Rd. | Western | 7 | Chinese | | 10 minutes | | One man injured |
| 4 | 4.42 p.m. | Sinza Tower | General | M 1772 Avenue Rd. | " | 7 | " | 9 damaged | 80 " | 25 hours | |
| 7 | 6.35 p.m. | Telephone | Station | 21 Yu Yuen Road | " | 7 | Foreign | | 30 " | 2 " | |
| 12 | 3.50 a.m. | " | General | M 526 Foochow Rd. | Central | 4 | Chinese | 3 damaged | 1½ hours | 16 " | |
| 12 | 2.00 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | Station | EA 1168-71 Wuchow Rd. | Eastern | 1 | | | 15 minutes | | False Alarm |
| 13 | 5.47 p.m. | Telephone | " | Burkill and Chengtu Rds. | Western | 7 | | | 10 " | | do. |
| 14 | 10.53 p.m. | " | " | N. Soochow/ N. Shanse Rds. | Northern | 8 | | | 20 " | | do. |
| 15 | 3.25 a.m. | Sinza Tower | General | Chapei | Outside | | | | 70 " | | |
| 17 | 8.10 p.m. | Street Alarm | Station | Nanking and Honan Rds. | Central | 4 | | | 5 " | | False Alarm |
| 22 | 9.42 a.m. | Telephone | " | 306 Woochang Rd. | Northern | 2 | Chinese | | 25 " | 8 hours | |
| 24 | 5 20 a.m. | " | General | 10 Markham Road | Western | 7 | Foreign | 1 damaged | 95 " | 12 " | |
| 26 | 5.25 p.m. | " | Station | B 1119 Sinza Road | " | 7 | Chinese | | 15 " | ½ hour | Chimney |
| 27 | 10.16 p.m. | Street Alarm | " | U 1274 Peking Rd. | Central | 3 | " | | 20 " | 12 hours | |
| 28 | 2.35 p.m. | Messenger | " | CA 9-10 Kashing Rd. | Northern | 2 | " | 1 damaged | 20 " | 2 " | |
| 30 | 9.14 a.m. | Telephone | " | 40 Yangtszepoo Rd. | Eastern | 1 | Foreign | | 1 hour | 8 " | |
| 30 | 3.25 p.m. | Messenger | " | off Yangtszepoo Rd. | " | 1 | Chinese | | | ½ hour | |
| 30 | 6.40 p.m. | Sinza Tower | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | 70 minutes | | |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

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## Mixed Court Report for December.

Mr. A. D. Blackburn sat as Assistant British Assessor from December 4.

In September, 1918, attention was drawn to the then congested state of the Special Criminal Hearing List. By refusing to allow any, but cases in which the charge was of a serious nature, to be added to this list, the Court has reduced the number of such cases now pending to five, the lowest number for years and of these five cases three should be finished early in January.

The Civil Courts have been unable to make much progress with ordinary civil cases owing to the large number of cases filed against enemy subjects. Judgment was entered during the month in no less than 34 cases in which the Bureau of Liquidation of the Deutsch-Asiatische Bank was the plaintiff.

Here follow returns of Offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with, Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention and Chinese Civil Cases.

M. O. SPRINGFIELD,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
K. J. McEUEN,
Captain-Superintendent of Police.

### OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| **1.—Offences Against the Person :—** | |
| Allowing Children in Brothels | 1 |
| Assault | 17 |
| Attempted suicide | 4 |
| Murder | 1 |
| Rape | 1 |
| Causing grievous bodily harm | 1 |
| Sodomy | 2 |
| **2.—Offences Against Property :—** | |
| Burglary | 15 |
| Cruelty to animals | 14 |
| Embezzlement | 3 |
| Obtaining money by threats | 7 |
| False pretences | 6 |
| Forgery | 4 |
| Fraud | 3 |
| Godown-breaking | 4 |
| House-breaking | 6 |
| Larceny | 203 |
| Receiving stolen property | 11 |
| Robbery | 12 |
| **3.—Offences of a Public Nature :—** | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 12 |
| Carts | 48 |
| Club | 1 |
| Dogs | 11 |
| Foodshops | 10 |
| Lodging houses | 3 |
| Motor cars | 19 |
| Opium | 9 |
| Pawnshops | 3 |
| Rickshas | 1,289 |
| Tea shops | 5 |
| Wheel-barrows | 117 |
| Wine shops | 4 |
| Hawkers | 9 |
| Breach of Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following :— | |
| Arms | 1 |
| Fireworks | 4 |
| House refuse | 108 |
| Indecent advertisements | 2 |
| Lotteries | 4 |
| Nuisances | 1,230 |
| Prostitutes | 69 |
| Traffic | 70 |
| Bribery | 1 |
| Coin, uttering counterfeit | 9 |
| Contempt of Court | 1 |
| Disorderly conduct | 19 |
| Gambling | 37 |
| Loitering with intent | 3 |
| Obstructing the Police | 2 |
| Returning after expulsion | 7 |
| Smuggling | 3 |
| Political | 6 |
| 4.—Miscellaneous Cases | 13 |
| TOTAL | 3,444 |

### SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2,668 |
| Cases withdrawn | 6 |
| Cautioned | 9 |
| Compensation | 1 |
| Dismissed | 71 |
| Fined | 403 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 3 |
| Imprisonment | 186 |
| " and expulsion | 79 |
| Reformatory | 4 |
| Released on security | 1 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 3 |
| Sent to Military Governor of Shanghai | 4 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 5 |
| Sent to French Police | 1 |
| TOTAL | 3,444 |

### WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On December 1 | 53 |
| Received | 32 |
| Released | 33 |
| On December 31 | 52 |

### SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 195 |
| " served | 143 |
| Warrants issued | 28 |
| " executed | 4 |

### FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants withdrawn | 1 |
| Summonses issued | 33 |
| " served | 22 |
| " withdrawn | 2 |
| Presons summoned | 20 |
| Sealing orders issued | 119 |
| " " executed | 33 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 43 |
| " " withdrawn | 16 |
| " " not executed for various reasons | 27 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 8 |

### CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 140 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 50 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 78 |
| " heard | 134 |
| " in course of hearing | 14 |
| " concluded | 86 |
| " awaiting first hearing on Dec. 31 | 135 |
| Summonses issued | 132 |
| " served | 80 |
| " withdrawn | 6 |
| Warrants issued | 26 |
| " executed | 7 |
| " withdrawn | 10 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 7 |
| " summoned | 88 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 53 |
| Sealing orders issued | 37 |
| " " executed | 8 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 3 |
| " " withdrawn | 3 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 5 |
| Sealing orders pending | 23 |

### SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 70 |
| Bonds accepted | 71 |
| " rejected | 9 |

### HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On December 1 | 69 |
| Received | 22 |
| Released | 30 |
| On December 31 | 61 |

### SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dodge & Seymour | American | Peter Neubourg | $1,060 | Proceeding |
| Union Eastern Trading Co. | Russian | Liang Voong-san and Kwauh Yuin-tsoo | Breach of Contract Tls. 13,932.80 | Judgment for Plaintiff for Tls. 8,721 against Liang Voong-san. The other defendant dismissed. |
| R. T. Hope | British | Bank of Territorial Development. | $3,500 | For Plaintiff for $3,500 |
| Boyes Basset & Co. | do. | Wei Khe-wo | $500 | For defendant |
| Henry Yuen Chai | do. | Dzung Ngoh-ding | Tls. 2,080 | For defendant |
| C. A. M. Marques | Portuguese | Liang Voong-san | Tls. 8,333—Breach of Contract. $5,000 damages. | Judgment reserved |
| J. P. Bisset & Co. | British | Ling Yih-zeu | Tls. 8,559.04 $916.65 | Proceeding |
| G. Passeri | Italian | Bureau of Liquidation of the Deutsch-Asiatische Bank | For remuneration | For plaintiff for Tls. 178,617.36 and $24,593.19 |
| F. W. Hadley | American | Tong Ung-tuh | Tls. 600 and $46.00 | Proceeding |
| Shanghai Land Investment Co. | British | Richard Neumann | That defendant be ordered te vacate premises — 14 Astor Road. | Proceeding |
| James Noble | do. | Zau Zae-sung | Tls. 800 | For plaintiff with costs. Question of damages reserved. |

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## Health Officer's Report for December.

The condition of the Public Health was remarkably good. The Isolation Hospitals have been practically empty. There were no cases of Smallpox either among foreign or Chinese residents, though cases were brought on a ship. Over 1,000 free vaccinations were done at the Branch Health Offices during the month, though in the absence of Smallpox it was difficult to get people to come. No plague infection in either rats or man occurred. A very few cases of Influenza strayed into the month. A Chinese case of Cerebrospinal fever was reported: the prevalence of this disease in Hongkong at the present time is very small compared with last winter. Towards the end of the month there were a few cases of mild Diphtheria. The entirely abnormal weather, wet and dull instead of the usual bright dry weather probably had some effect in producing such a remarkable absence of communicable disease.

Public Health, however, is not entirely an absence of disease but concerns also the physiological functioning of the community. A main factor of this is good food; and of foods milk is of primary importance. Whether milk is necessary subsequent to infancy is doubtful except for the sustenance of invalids, yet cow's milk has become, in the form of milk, butter and cheese, in proportion to the energy it furnishes, one of the commonest foods throughout life. Cow's milk, however, is one of the most dangerous foods because it forms such a good medium for keeping alive and propagating certain of the bacterial causes of disease. In Shanghai sterilising, preferably by raising it to the temperature of boiling water, is necessary. As regards quality Shanghai milk is abnormally rich in cream on account of the oily nature of the cotton seed cake which forms the chief food of the cows; from this and an abundance of chopped straw the complete food milk is manufactured in Nature's wonderful laboratory. It may be recorded, as a result of careful inspection, and especially of careful systematic testing in the Laboratory, the quality has been so improved that whereas 12 years ago the percentage of adulterated samples of milk was 35 it is now under 2. Milk is, however, 25 per cent. dearer now than it was twelve years ago; but there are other factors to account for this besides the lessening of adulteration.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention Work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### DEATHS.

| | Foreign. | | Chinese. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Resident | Non-resident. | |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 | 1 | 63 |
| Beri-beri | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| From all causes | 23 | 4 | 503 |

### INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Paratyphoid Fever | 6 |
| Diphtheria | 3 |
| Dysentery | 2 |

### ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases Admitted—Diphtheria | 5 | 3 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 3 |
| Other Diseases | 1 | 21 |
| Discharged | 12 | 17 |
| Died | 0 | 1 |
| Remaining last day of month | 4 | 24 |

### MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 8,400 |
| Bacterial " " | 130 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 11 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 416 |
| Analyses | 51 |

### VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted. | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 24 | 0 |
| Surgical | 13 | 0 |
| Maternity | 10 | 0 |
| | — | — |
| Total | 47 | 0 |

### SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen | 1731 | 1 | 1731 | 1 | 0 |
| Sheep | 2738 | 0 | 2738 | 2 | 0 |
| Calves | 380 | 0 | 380 | 1 | 0 |
| Pigs | 453 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

### SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 224 | 602 | 154 | 258 | 1238 |
| Rats plague infected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation | 3200 | 3000 | 2500 | 1400 | 10100 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 3985 | 4227 | 2860 | 1968 | 13040 |
| Poisoned baits laid | 166400 | 156000 | 67300 | 72800 | 462500 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier | 0 | 192 | 0 | 0 | 192 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 11 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

### GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox | 350 | 431 | 227 | 308 | 1,316 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 2 | 7 | 0 | 3 | 12 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 14 | 42 | 49 | 19 | 124 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 44 | 730 | 80 | 295 | 1,149 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 410 | 1,011 | 848 | 1,681 | 3,950 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 0 | 263 | 50 | 119 | 432 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 0 | 6 | 11 | 17 |
| Defective drainage amended | 21 | 35 | 45 | 13 | 114 |
| Insanitary wells abolished | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Proper water supply provided | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 7 | 9 | 4 | 1 | 21 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 6 | 2 | 17 | 3 | 28 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 0 | 28 | 0 | 28 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 10 | 30 | 0 | 40 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Offensive trade processes amended | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 9 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 12 | 8 | 5 | 7 | 32 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 22 | 58 | 90 | 27 | 197 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Notices of intention to proceed served | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 0 | 7 | 11 | 17 | 35 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 240 | 423 | 422 | 467 | 1,552 |
| Outside hawkers licensed | 540 | 597 | 514 | 335 | 1,986 |
| Food prosecutions | 0 | 11 | 5 | 1 | 17 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 0 | 34 | 24 | 7 | 65 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,890 | 2,743 | 3,100 | 3,060 | 12,793 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 6,491 | 3,190 | 2,492 | 1,991 | 14,164 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 1,419 | 487 | 70 | 149 | 2,125 |

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**REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.**

**Sample received** December 22, 1918.

**Report sent out** January 10, 1919.

**Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.**

**Physical Characters.**—Yellowish green colour with considerable opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| **Solid Matter in Solution** | 16.40 |
| **(a) Volatile** | 6.00 |
| **(b) Fixed** | 10.40 |
| **Appearance on Ignition**—Slight charring | |
| **Total Hardness** | 11.40 |
| **(a) Temporary** | 6.40 |
| **(b) Permanent** | 5.00 |
| **Chlorine** | 2.90 |
| **Nitrogen as Nitrates** | 0.0620 |
| **Saline Ammonia** | 0.0018 |
| **Albuminoid Ammonia** | 0.0116 |
| **Poisonous Metals** | Nil |
| **Nitrites** | Nil |
| **Phosphates** | Minute traces |
| **Sulphates** | Traces |
| **Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° C.** | 0.0330 |

**Bacteriological Examination.**—Nutrient agar plates at 23° C. and 37° C. showed an average of 32 and 12 microbes per cubic centimetre respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in quantities of 2 c.c. and upwards of the water.

**Report on Analysis.**—The results show satisfactory purification.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

**CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.**

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

**工部局承攬信章程**

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 未定價目錄自有本局各項承攬全份

三 押行估必之准用款人辦人券

四 所有以後承攬入各人遵照合人局知有公信及關理

五 目所有取消登本人之本辦是極利

六 所本局必將該款錢清單錢則本局仍有到局保該承局稀局

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單費 信送來最善用此次概免交挂號 二時之前以須送信 部局總辦處至江西路二號 面寫明送信 漆其承攬何項工料等物 所有承攬信款項工料實固加蓋火 後明本所局必將該款錢清單在此若須付錢內登 仍所取消登錢則有以後登入本人遵攬合人局知悉 到定估必之准用款承辦是極利 局保該承局稀局

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|

### POLICE FORCE

**Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 127 | Supply of 500 Summer Hats for the Chinese Branch | — | January 31 |
| 128 | Convicts' Food, in the following quantities monthly from March 1:— | — | February 17. Tenders should be accompanied by samples. |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Vegetables | 7,000 lbs. | For 6 or 12 months. |
| Onions | 3,500 ,, | |
| Salt fish | 1,200 ,, | |
| Beef | 1,450 ,, | |
| Pork | 1.450 ,, | |
| Salt | 1,000 ,, | |
| Bean Oil | 750 ,, | |
| Tea | 90 ,, | |

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

**Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund**

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|---|---|---|---|
| 490 | Supply of Tools | — | April 7 |

### ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT

**Information at to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 184 | 14 Miles of Triple Braid Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | March 20 |
| 185 | 13 ,, Vulcanised Cable and Wire | Tls. 5 | ,, 20 |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

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## NOTICE.

THE undersigned, in pursuance of the respective provisions of Articles IX and VIA of the Land Regulations for the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, hereby give notice that Thursday and Friday, February 20 and 21, are fixed upon for the election of Councillors and for the election, by registered owners of land in the Settlement, of a Land Commissioner, for the Municipal year 1919.

Nomination papers should be returned to the Council Room not later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, February 13, 1919.

Shanghai, February 1, 1919.

D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium.*

T. RAASCHOU,
*Consul-General for Denmark.*

A. ARIYOSHI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*

E. D. H. FRASER,
*Consul-General for Great Britain.*

V. GROSSE,
*Consul-General for Russia.*

J. E. HULTMAN,
*Consul-General for Sweden.*

THOMAS SAMMONS,
*Consul-General for the United States of America.*

J. H. DE RÉUS,
*Consul-General for the Netherlands.*

G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy.*

JORGE R. DE OLIVEIRA,
*Consul-General for Portugal and in charge of Cuban Consulate-General.*

H. A. WILDEN,
*Acting Consul-General for France.*

T. KNUDTZON,
*Acting Consul-General for Norway.*

HUGO REISS,
*Consul for Brazil.*

JULIO PALENCIA,
*Consul for Spain.*

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2574.**

**REPATRIATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.**

WHEREAS since the declaration of war by the Republic of China on the Empires of Germany and Austria-Hungary, the Subjects of the said former Empires (hereinafter called "Enemy Subjects") have been suffered to remain within the confines of the said Republic, under permits issued, within the limits of the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, by the Municipal Council. **And Whereas** by Mandate issued on the twenty-eighth day of January, 1919, bearing the seal of the President of the said Republic the repatriation of Enemy Subjects is duly ordered. **And Whereas** by Proclamation issued on the eleventh day of February, 1919, bearing the seal of the Commissioner of Defence for Sungkiang and Shanghai certain regulations are prescribed for giving effect to the said Mandate. **And Whereas** the said Proclamation has been countersigned by the Senior Consul and by him transmitted to the Municipal Council with the request that the same be posted within the said Settlement. **And Whereas** the said request and a translation of the Proclamation are set forth at length in the Municipal Gazette published on the thirteenth day of February, 1919. **And Whereas** the Head Office for the Repatriation of Enemy Subjects referred to in the said Proclamation has been established at No. 121 Bubbling Well Road within the limits of the said Settlement with the assent of the Municipal Council as a measure of co-operation with the Chinese Government and for general convenience. **And Whereas** the said Proclamation has been countersigned and sealed by the Municipal Council and duly posted and for the peace and good order of the said Settlement certain instructions giving effect thereto have been duly communicated to Enemy Subjects resident within the limits of the said Settlement.

**Now therefore be it known** and let all such Enemy Subjects take note that the said instructions must be strictly obeyed. **Be it also known** and let all such Enemy Subjects who may fail for any reason to receive a copy of the said instructions or who may desire to make any enquiries in regard thereto or to claim exemption from repatriation under the provisions contained in the said Proclamation take note that they must make application forthwith at the Head Office for the Repatriation of Enemy Subjects above referred to. **Be it further known** and let all such Enemy Subjects take note and observe that failure to comply with the said instructions and with such further instructions and regulations as may be issued hereafter from time to time to give effect to the said Proclamation will render the delinquents liable to prosecution.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 13, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2510.**

**7% LOAN 1918.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VI passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on March 27, 1918, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1918.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year. They will be issued at par and will be redeemed on December 31, 1928.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from The Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B. Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 29, 1918.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2564.**

**SPECIAL CONSTABLES.**

THE Council earnestly hopes that all those who have already enrolled as Special Constables will continue their services, which have been invaluable during the past year.

There is little prospect of filling up the vacancies at present existing in the Foreign Branch of the Force before the end of the present year, so that it is a matter of urgency to maintain the strength of the Special Branch at the number originally fixed In order, therefore, to meet the present and anticipated requirements, the Council invites further applications from male residents of the Settlement of 21 years of age and upwards, who are not members of either the Volunteer Corps or the Fire Brigade, for enrolment as Special Constables.

Selected applicants, who will enter into agreements with the Council terminable upon one month's notice, will be required to attend periodical drills, to pass a course in the use of fire arms and to undertake such duty as may be assigned to them, entailing under normal circumstances night duty for two hours at a time twice a week, between 6 p.m. and 12 midnight.

Applications for enrolment should be made in writing marked "Special Constables" and addressed to the Captain Superintendent of Police at the Central Police Station.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 9, 1919.

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MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2570.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHINESE.**

*(Translation.)*

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the Spring term on Monday, February 17, at 9 a.m.

Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.

Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads.

Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.

Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25 except for the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $20, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Friday, February 14, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Saturday, February 15, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m, to receive and examine new pupils.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, January 30, 1919.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2571.**

**REGISTRATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.**

**(Amendment of Permit Conditions).**

NOTICE is hereby given that Conditions 2 and 3 of the permits issued to German and Austro-Hungarian subjects, in pursuance of the provisions of Municipal Notification No. 2466, have been amended to read as follows:—

*2.—Commencing on Thursday, February 13, 1919, the holder (if a male) is required to present himself in person daily, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. at the Police Station of his district in order to have his permit checked by the Police.*

*3.—On and after Thursday, February 13, the holder will not be permitted to change his or her address.*

On and after Thursday, February 13, all German and Austro-Hungarian male subjects of 16 years of age and upwards are, therefore, required to report to the Police daily, instead of twice weekly as at present, and this Condition and the other Conditions of the Permit must be strictly observed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, February 12, 1919.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2572.**

**CLOSE SEASON FOR GAME.**

THE public is hereby reminded that the sale of pheasants is prohibited after February 16, and that of deer, hare, patridges and all small birds after March 1. No prohibition attaches to the sale of snipe, quail, woodcock and wild fowl.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, February 13, 1919.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2573.**

**TAVERN LICENCES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Watch Committee will sit on Friday, April 11, to decide upon the number and locality of Foreign Taverns to be licensed during the ensuing year.

Applications for new licences, upon the form obtainable at the Revenue Office, must be forwarded to the undersigned before March 17.

Thereafter, by public notification, an opportunity will be afforded to Ratepayers to protest against or support before the Committee the issue or renewal of any licence.

No fresh licences will be issued during the twelve months ensuing and until the next annual sitting of the Committee.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, February 13, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Health Committee held on Friday, January 31, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. J. Johnstone *(Chairman)*
S. J. Halse
Dr. J. W. Jackson
Mr. Ed. White

*Absent:*

Dr. E. L. Marsh

The meeting adjourned at 6.05 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Library Committee held on Tuesday, February 11, 1919, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*

Rev. C. E. Darwent (*Chairman*)
Messrs. F. C. Kendall
R. F. C. Master

The meeting adjourned at 12.35 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, February 12, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
E. I. Ezra
T. Ibukiyama
J. Johnstone
W. L. Merriman
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 6.20 p.m.

**Resignation of Member.**

Count L. Jezierski's resignation as a member of the Council has been accepted with regret. The vacany thereby caused in the membership of the Council will not be filled until after the Election of Councillors for 1919.

**China's War Measures.**

*Repatriation of German and Austro-Hungarian Subjects*:—Correspondence with the Senior Consul in regard to the posting in the Settlement of a Proclamation issued by General Lu Yung-hsiang, Commissioner of Defence for Sungkiang and Shanghai:—

Shanghai, February 12, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to enclose herewith for posting in the Settlement a proclamation issued by General Lu Yung-hsiang, Military Governor for Sungkiang and Shanghai, concerning the repatriation of enemy subjects.

Kindly let me know how many exemplars you desire and I shall forward them to you as soon as possible.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

*(Enclosure.)*

*Translation of Proclamation by the Commissioner of Defence for Sungkiang and Shanghai, dated February 11, 1919.*

Whereas the repatriation of Enemy Subjects has been decided upon by the Cabinet in accordance with Article 3 of the Regulations for the Treatment of Enemy Subjects; and whereas arrangements for their transportation from Shanghai have been made:

I hereby proclaim to you all, Enemy Subjects, that you are required to make all necessary arrangements for early departure by sea and to communicate, if necessary, with the Head Repatriation Office as provided for in Articles IV, V, VI and VII below.

Art. I. The Head Office for the Repatriation of Enemy Subjects is at 121 Bubbling Well Road (next door to the Bureau of Foreign Affairs), with two Branch Offices at

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the Headquarters of the 1st section of the Fire Brigade, South Gate, and at the Office of the Shanghai-Hangchow Railway, in the Shen Ngan Alley, North Honan Road, respectively.

Art. II. All personal effects may be taken away by their owners. The allowance of baggage for each person is limited to 350 pounds.

Art. III. Household furniture and similar movable property may be disposed of by their owners.

Art. IV. An Inventory of property left behind by each Enemy Subject shall be made out and presented personally to the Head Repatriation Office.

Art. V. Any Enemy Subject who is too ill to leave shall report the fact in writing to the Head Repatriation Office at 121 Bubbling Well Road within three days of the date of issue of this Proclamation, so that he or she may be examined by the doctors appointed for the purpose.

Any person who, under this Article, is found to be guilty of malingering shall be duly punished.

Art. VI. Any Enemy Subject having any application to make regarding repatriation shall send in his or her application to the Head Repatriation Office within five days of the date of the issue of this Proclamation.

Art. VII. Exemption from repatriation may be considered in the following cases:—

(*a*) Enemy Subjects above the age of sixty years.

(*b*) Enemy Subjects whose services have been retained by the Dutch Consulate-General.

(*c*) Enemy Subjects who are medical practitioners.

(*d*) Enemy Subjects who have been guaranteed by the Ministers of the Allied Powers.

(*e*) Enemy Subjects whose illness has been examined and certified by the doctors appointed.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, February 12, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of to-day's date transmitting a Proclamation issued under the seal of General Lu Yung-hsiang, Defence Commissioner for Sungkiang and Shanghai, bearing your counter-signature and promulgating certain regulations in regard to the repatriation of German and Austro-Hungarian subjects.

In reply I have the honour to inform you that whilst consistently maintaining the view that the establishment of Chinese Government offices within the Settlement should not be sanctioned, the Council recognizes its bounden duty in this instance to co-operate so far as in its power lies in the Repatriation Measures to be taken by the Chinese Government. Accordingly the Council assents, as a measure of co-operation and for general convenience, to the establishment at No. 121 Bubbling Well Road of the Head Office for the Repatriation of Enemy Subjects.

I have the honour further to inform you that, in accordance with your request the Proclamation transmitted by you will be posted in the Settlement to-morrow morning, that instructions giving effect thereto will be duly communicated by the Police to German and Austro-Hungarian subjects resident in the Settlement and that a Municipal Notification referring to the said Proclamation and to the establishment of the Repatriation Office and enjoining compliance with the instructions above referred to will be published in to-morrow's issue of the Municipal Gazette.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

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### Volunteer Corps.

*"B" Company, British.*—The resignation of 2nd Lieut. L. M. ff Beytagh has been forwarded by the Commandant and accepted by the Council with regret.

### Fire Brigade.

The Chief Officer notifies the Council of the following appointments for the ensuing year on election by the Companies:—

*Mih-Ho-Loong Company.*—Foreman, H. W. P. McMeekin, 1st Assistant Foreman, C. V. Jensen.

*Hongkew Company.*—Foreman, P. C. Mansfield, in succession to Foreman E. S. Thellefsen, resigned, 1st Assistant Foreman, A. F. T. Holland, 2nd Assistant Foreman, F. E. Fraser.

*Deluge Company.*—Foreman, J. W. Stavers, 1st Assistant Foreman, W. G. Smith, 2nd Assistant Foreman, H. P. B. Jones.

These appointments are confirmed.

### Hongkew Disturbances.

Further correspondence with the Japanese Consul-General is appended, in continuation of that published in the Gazette of October 28 and December 31, 1918:—

Shanghai, January 11, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of December 27 on the subject of the regrettable disturbances which occurred in the Hongkew District in July last, in which the Council have dealt with the various points raised in my letter of November 4. Before commenting on the Council's conclusions I desire to express my sincere thanks for the Council's kind consideration of the several points raised which have undoubtedly involved a great deal of time and trouble on their part.

I desire to express disagreement with a great many of the views and decisions of the Council as contained in their letter of December 27, but I do not think it is necessary at this juncture to reply to them again in their entirety, as I should in many cases only be reiterating or amplifying what I expressed in my letter to the Council of November 4, which views I still maintain.

I would, however, suggest that the Council give reconsideration to the question of (a) the assembling of Chinese Police; (b) compensation to Japanese who have suffered loss or injuries; (c) the funeral expenses of Japanese constable.

(*a*) The Council admits that the assembling of the Chinese Police in the Hongkew Market on the night of July 19 undoubtedly constituted a severe breach of discipline. The narrative of events proves that 25 armed and 21 unarmed Chinese Police had failed to return to the Station to report off duty. Whatever the Council surmises may have prompted these constables to assemble, cannot in any way excuse these constables for failing to report and return their arms to the Station. In spite of the fact that Police beats are so arranged as to converge on the Station, the Council must surely realize that it was something more than coincidence which accounted for their gathering at one particular spot, as they would return to the Station from various directions. In my previous letter I remarked that Inspector Reeves' statement "that they were quite quiet and orderly" as *extraordinary*, by this I intended to convey that it was *extraordinary* that no steps were taken by Inspector Reeves to induce the Chinese constables to return to the Station and report off duty. It is not likely that the Chinese constables would foolishly disclose any preconceived plan at that particular stage by unseemly conduct. The facts that the relief constables also refused to go on duty without their arms: later tried to gain possession of them: and eventually flouted discipline and rushed out of the Station and joined the other constables are matters which the Council cannot fail to recognize as strong evidence that there must have been some preconceived plan. The reports of the assembling of Japanese at various adjacent roads does not in any way account for their conduct, as it is most improbable that a crowd of Japanese civilians would attack a well-armed force such as the Chinese constables constituted. It appears that the Council is unable to adopt criminal proceedings against any particular Chinese constables concerned in the riot. The Council, however, must know the 25 constables who were in possession of arms on the night of July 19 when fatalities occurred, and I would suggest that further investigation be made in this connexion with the view to dismissing these particular constables from the Council's employ. I did not suggest to the Council in my previous letter that the whole 120 constables should be so dealt with, but only those who were primarily concerned, as the criminals, I venture to suggest, must be among those constables who were in possession of arms, on that occasion.

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(*b*) "The Council cannot accept any responsibility for compensation in respect of loss of life or injuries or damage to property, and in reply to your contentions I have the honour to point out that in so far as such loss of life, injuries and damage can be ascribed to the Chinese constables it certainly did not arise out of action taken by them within the scope of their employment." The Council admits that these constables committed a serious breach of discipline; and ignores the fact that they were in uniform and in possession of arms, the property of the Council, and even made use of their whistles. Further, those constables had not reported off duty and no relief constables had taken over their duty. The Council will in no way be performing an act of grace by referring this question of compensation to the next ratepayers' meeting neither are any acts of grace asked for or anticipated. The Council is undoubtedly responsible, according to all known precedents, to provide compensation under these particular circumstances. I, therefore, desire the Council give this matter their reconsideration.

(*c*) Regarding the funeral expenses for the Japanese constable, I am rather surprised that the Council should not have regarded this as an exceptional circumstance. The conditions prevailing at that particular time gave cause for more expensive obsequies than usual. Therefore, I would suggest that the Council may reconsider this question.

I note that the Council is unable to agree "that the question of racial feeling does not enter into the matter at all." In this connexion I would remind the Council that there was no exhibition of racial feeling on the part of any Chinese civilians neither did any Chinese civilians participate in the disturbances, only Chinese constables were concerned. Therefore, I can find no reason for the Council's conclusions on this point in regard to these disturbances.

In conclusion, you may feel assured that all regret these disturbances and sympathize with those who have been the unfortunate victims, and trust the Council will consider the foregoing statements with a view to avoiding any repetition of such happenings.

Awaiting the favour of an early reply,

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. ARIYOSHI,

*Consul-General for Japan.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,

Chairman, Municipal Council.

Council Room,

Shanghai, January 30, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of January 11 further on the subject of the disturbances which occurred in the Hongkew District in July last and in reply to inform you that the Council can add little to the views already expressed on this subject. In deference to your suggestion, however, the Council has given further careful consideration to those points to which you direct specific attention.

In reference to the first—the assembling of the Chinese Police in the Hongkew Market on the night of July 19,—I have the honour to state that the Council does not seek to excuse those constables who failed to report and return their arms to the Hongkew Station: on the contrary they have all been punished by class reduction. The assumption that all of the 25 armed and 21 unarmed constables gathered at one particular spot is incorrect. There does not appear to the Council to be anything remarkable in the fact that a number did actually gather in the Market; in many cases the road that they would naturally take on leaving their beats, which converge on the Hongkew Station, would lead past the Market or in its vicinity and it is not unusual for the gathering of a few to attract others who may hear of such gathering or who may note it from a distance, particularly is this the case in times of tension: nor does there appear to be anything extraordinary in the fact that no steps were taken by Inspector Reeves to induce the assembled constables, whose conduct showed not the slightest indication of the disorder which followed later, to return to the Station and report off duty. As a detective officer in plain clothes, Inspector Reeves acted correctly under the circumstances in proceeding forthwith to the Station to report to his superior officer and to ascertain why it was that the relief had not turned out. That the relief constables refused to go on duty without their arms, later tried to gain possession of them and eventually rushed out of the Station and joined their comrades outside, if considered without reference to the other incidents in connexion with the disturbances, might certainly suggest that there was some pre-conceived plan on their part: but considered in conjunction with such other incidents there is not, in the Council's opinion, the least doubt that their action was promoted solely by fear of attack by Japanese, not on them as a body but rather on them individually, as had in fact been the case during the days preceding the night of July 19. In this connexion it must be borne in mind that the evidence shows that there were a number of armed Japanese amongst the crowds, which were prominent during the disturbances.

As to the second point—the question of compensation—the Council has expressed its intention of recommending to the Ratepayers at the forthcoming Annual Meeting that reasonable compensation be paid to those who suffered in the course of the disturbances purely as an act of grace and not in admission of any liability: it cannot accept your statement that it is undoubtedly responsible according to all known precedents, nor does it ignore the fact that the constables who were concerned in the events of July 19 were in uniform and in possession of arms.

As to the third point—the funeral expenses of the Japanese Constable, who, it is regretted, lost his life during the disturbances,—the Council does not consider that there were any such circumstances as warranted or gave cause for more expensive obsequies than are customary, e.g., in the case of a constable who is killed by armed robbers whilst in the execution of his duty.

The Council concurs that there is no evidence that Chinese civilians took any active part in the disturbances, though a section of the Japanese civilian community unquestionably did so.

In conclusion I have the honour to express appreciation of your expression of regret and sympathy for those who have suffered by reason of the disturbances and to give expression to the hope that nothing of a like nature may again occur to disturb the peace of the Settlement and the friendly character of the relations which exist between the Council and yourself.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. C. PEARCE,

*Chairman.*

A. ARIYOSHI, Esq.,

Consul-General for Japan.

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**Special Constables.**

The resignation of Mr. R. H. R. Wade, Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Police (Specials), has been accepted in terms of the following letter:—

Council Room,

Shanghai, February 6, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that your resignation as Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Police (Specials), from February 16, due to your approaching departure from Shanghai, has been communicated to the Council and accepted with regret.

In respect thereto, I am directed to express the members' deep appreciation of the very great assistance you have rendered to Mr. A. L. Anderson, Assistant Superintendent, since the inception of this Branch of the Force, by loyal performance of the duties assigned to you and by tactful suggestion, which the Council understands, has been ever available despite your prolonged ill-health.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Acting Secretary.*

R. H. R. WADE, Esq.,

Commissioner of Customs.

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**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Nanking Road.*—The claim of Messrs. Atkinson & Dallas, Ld., has been accepted for the surrender of the scheduled area of Lot 29 on the basis of compensation at the assessed value Tls. 70,000 per mow plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender and less one-third for betterment on that portion of the scheduled area necessary to widen the road to 40-ft. and without deduction in respect of the remainder of the scheduled area—the sum payable for Mow 0.186 on these terms is Tls. 12,064.

*Kiangse Road.*—The claim of Messrs. Algar & Co., Ld. has been accepted for the area required for this road from Lot 124 at the rate of Tls. 35,151 per mow plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender and less one-third for betterment, or Tls. 1,134 for Mow 0.044.

*Yuyuen Road.*—The owners of the following properties have consented to surrender without compensation the areas of their lots required to widen this road to 50-ft. It is hoped that other owners will consent to do likewise without delay so that arrangements may be put in hand for carrying out the widening throughout the whole length of this road:

| *Consular Lot No.* | *Agent or Owner.* | *Area.* |
|---|---|---|
| B.C. Lot 9420 | Davies & Brooke | 0.061 |
| B.C. „ 8713 | China Realty Co., Ld. | 0.164 |
| U.S. „ 2263 | R. H. Parker | 0.055 |
| Netherlands Lot 4. | H. C. de Rijke | 0.003 |
| „ „ 13 | do. | 0.012 |
| U.S. Lot 2209 | F. J. Raven | 0.026 |
| „ „ 2011 | W. H. Lunt | 0.029 |
| B.C. „ 8045 | Atkinson & Dallas Ld. | 0.054 |
| „ „ 8047 | do. | 0.072 |
| „ „ 8044 | do. | 0.027 |
| „ „ 8040 | do. | 0.046 |
| „ „ 8041 | do. | 0.050 |
| „ „ 8043 | do. | 0.026 |
| „ „ 8046 | do. | 0.031 |

**Parks and Open Spaces.**

*Wayside Park.*—A request has been made on behalf of the players of lawn bowls in the Yangtszepoo district that arrangements be made for the playing of lawn bowls in this park. The Council after giving consideration to this request, and in the view that bowling greens in this park will be popular and well patronized, has authorized provision therefor in the budget for the current year of Tls. 2,140. The most suitable part of the ground would appear to be between the sunk gardens and the lily pond but owing to the position of the central path there is insufficient room for a full sized green and it will be necessary, therefore, to construct two greens, each of which can be played one way only.

**Annual Contracts.**

*Wheeling Contract.*—The Engineer reports that the present contractor has proved unsatisfactory and upon his recommendation the contract has accordingly been cancelled and the security of Tls. 500 has been forfeited. The services of Hsu Quain-kee have been utilized for the past few days and have proved satisfactory and the Engineer's recommendation has, therefore, been approved to accept his tender for the remainder of the current year at the rate of Tls. 0.76 per fong per mile.

**Electricity Department.**

*Extension Scheme.* — The programme of generating plant extensions recommended in the subjoined report by the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager and approved by the Electricity Committee, has been endorsed by the Council and a second 18,000 Kilowatt turbo-generator and condenser have been ordered from the General Electric Company of New York:—

Shanghai, December 6, 1918.

PART I.

In my report to the Committee which I presented last year, and which led to the ordering of the 18,000 kilowatt turbo-generator and other plant now on order in the United States, I outlined the general proposal indicating that the 18,000 kilowatt machine would be erected in the original (1913) portion of the Riverside power house. The machine was to be placed in the position now occupied by the two A.E.G. 2,000 K.W. machines. At the time this report was made it was anticipated that both the 10,000 K.W. Parsons and the 5,000 K.W. Fraser and Chalmers' machines would have been delivered, erected and put into commission long enough before the arrival of the 18,000 K.W. machine to allow the removal of the A.E.G. sets and their old foundations, so that whilst these changes were taking place there would be sufficient plant in the stations to meet all the demands.

Since that report was written many things have happened and the position has materially changed. The non-delivery of the Parsons' set makes it inadvisable to scrap the two 2,000 K.W. A.E.G. machines for the present. The electrical generators of these two machines, as the Committee is aware, have broken down to such an extent that the repairs cannot be undertaken by the Department, as we have not the appliances or material for reconstructing them. It is hoped that it will be possible for these two generators to be reconstructed in Japan, and if this reconstruction is completed during next year it will be advisable to retain the machines as stand-bys and for meeting peak loads. In these circumstances it is not now considered advisable to instal the 18,000 K.W. machine in the space originally allotted.

The proposals which I now have to make are as follows:—

1.—The reconstruction of the generators of Machines Nos. 1 and 2, and their retention for a few years on their existing foundations in the 1913 section of the power house.

2.—The erection of the two 2,000 K.W. Willans turbines outside the West end of the 1913 boiler house in a temporary building.

3.—The 18,000 K.W. machine to be installed in a new extension of the turbine room, that is, at the North end of the 1916 section. This extension would form the nucleus of an entirely new addition to the power house.

In this section would be installed the 18,000 K.W. General Electric machine now on order and another machine of the same size which I propose recommending the Committee to order as early as possible. These two machines together would form an extension of 36,000 kilowatts.

In addition to these machines it will, of course, be advisable to order the necessary boilers, pumping plant, auxiliaries, switchgear and additional underground high pressure cables, but in the meantime it is considered advisable to order the second 18,000 K.W. machine as soon as authority can be obtained for so doing. It may not be necessary to order the boilers at the same time, or at least not the whole of the boilers which will ultimately be required for the new boiler house, which must be designed to contain boilers sufficient to provide a complete boiler house unit for 36,000 kilowatts. It is reasonable to expect that the boilers could be obtained sooner than the turbo-generator.

With regard to the extension building, I should recommend the extension to be carried out in conformity with the rest of the power station building, i.e., of steel, but under the present conditions it may not be possible to obtain the steel at a reasonable price in such time as to be available when the 18,000 K.W. machine now on order is delivered. In such circumstances the building extension might have to be carried out in re-inforced concrete.

I have drawn up a table showing the estimated load increases up to and including 1924, and also the proposed method of dealing with these demands. I think, if anything, the estimated loads are perhaps conservative, but they follow closely the increases of the last few years. I would, however, remind the Committee, that as the undertaking increases in size so are the yearly increases of load likely to be on a much greater scale.

With the installation of the second 18,000 K.W. machine, which it is proposed should be ordered without delay, the present limit of the site would be reached. The next step would be to remove all the A.E.G. turbine plant, amounting to 14,000 K.W., and in the space released to instal another 18,000 K. W. unit, retaining the 1913 boiler plant for supplying it with steam. Then may come the time to erect a second power station on the recently acquired adjacent property, complete with turbine, boiler, transformer,

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switchgear and coal handling plant, etc. The size of turbines which would be first installed in the second power house would depend upon the development of the undertaking and the demand for electricity in and around Shanghai.

I have carried this scheme up to 1924 because it would seem better that the Committee and the Council should have an idea of what extensions may have to be provided to meet the increased business of the undertaking, and, furthermore, if the general scheme is adopted it will enable the Department to plan ahead with more certainty and comprehension. What should be aimed at is a programme which definitely places on record the minimum requirements which have to be met, and one which should as far as possible eliminate extensions carried out on the principle of meeting our requirements by emergency measures. In the past it has been found that the demands have overtaken the various extension programmes, and the Department has really never caught up to the position of being able to operate with a safe margin. The larger the undertaking becomes the more important is it that no risks should be taken because of the heavy responsibility which now, and more so in the future, has to be met in respect of obligations to consumers.

It will be seen from the foregoing remarks that the ultimate demands for electricity supply in Shanghai and its neighbourhood cannot be foreseen. It may, however, be seen with a very reasonable degree of accuracy what has to be met within the next five years. My personal opinion, which is also shared by the executive technical staff of the Department, is that these extensions which I have outlined do not by any means cover the ultimate possibilities of Shanghai's electrical requirements, therefore, whilst these proposals might seem to embody very large extensions indeed, they should not be looked upon as approaching the ultimate capacity of the undertaking. They should, on the other hand, indicate how very much greater will be the expansion in the not very distant future.

The figures given in this report set out in detail the estimated increase of demand up to 1924, together with the suggested sizes of plant units to meet this.

| | *Plant Capacity in Kilowatts* | *Estimated Demand in Kilowatts* | *Safe Load in K.W. with due allowance of spare plant* |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1919 | 38,000 | 29,000 | 27,000 |
| 1920 | 79,000 | 34,000 | 36,000 |
| 1921 | 65,000 | 39,000 | 42,000 |
| 1922 | 83,000 | 45,000 | 60,000 |
| 1923 | 83,000 | 53,000 | 60,000 |
| 1924* | 83,000 | 58,000 | 60,000 |
| or | 103,000 | | |

*If the load increases more than estimated it may become necessary to have the first part of the second power house on the adjacent land completed and have available additional generating plant in 1924.

PROGRAMME OF EXTENSIONS SHOWING THE PLANT CAPACITY, SAFE LOAD AND ESTIMATED LOAD FROM 1919-1923.

1919.—Same as shown in Report of November 15, 1918.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Plant Capacity | | | 38,000 K.W. |

1920.—Riverside—as above 38,000
*Add*—Parsons 10,000
G.E.C. (first) 18,000
,, (second) 18,000
84,000
Remove from Fearon Road 5,000
79,000 — 79,000 K.W.

| | |
|---|---|
| Plant Capacity | 79,000 |
| Spare 18,000 and 5,000 | 23,000 |
| | 56,000 |
| Safe Load | 56,000 |
| Estimated Load | 34,000 |

1921.—Riverside—as above 79,000
Remove A.E.G.—14,000 14,000
65,000 — 65,000 K.W.

| | |
|---|---|
| Plant Capacity | 65,000 |
| Spare 18,000 and 5,000 | 23,000 |
| | 42,000 |
| Safe Load | 45,000 |
| Estimated Load | 39,000 |

1922.—Riverside—as above 65,000
*Add*—18,000 in space formerly occupied by A.E.G. plant 18,000
83,000 — 83,000 K.W.

| | |
|---|---|
| Plant Capacity | 83,000 |
| Spare 18,000 and 5,000 | 23,000 |
| | 60,000 |
| Safe Load | 60,000 |
| Estimated Load | 45,000 |

1923.—Riverside—as above 83,000 — 83,000 K.W.
No additions

| | |
|---|---|
| Plant Capacity | 83,000 |
| Spare 18,000 and 5,000 | 23,000 |
| | 60,000 |
| Safe Load | 60,000 |
| Estimated Load | 53,000 |

1924.—Riverside—as above 83,000 — 83,000 K.W.
No additions

| | |
|---|---|
| Plant Capacity | 83,000 |
| Spare 18,000 and 5,000 | 23,000 |
| | 60,000 |
| Safe Load | 60,000 |
| Estimated Load | 58,000 |

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PART II.

The Committee having approved in principle the recommendations contained in my Report Part I, prices for an 18,000 K.W. turbo generator and condenser were obtained by cable through Messrs. Preece, Cardew, Snell & Rider in London, and the General Electric Company was asked to submit a tender for an exact duplicate of the machine now being built by them. The lowest price quoted through London was £92,000, whilst the offer of the General Electric Company was G$441,269. Neither of these prices include the electrically driven circulating water pump required for supplying the condenser with circulating water. The price quoted by the General Electric Company for this particular section of the plant is G.$21,800. A price for this particular pump has not been obtained through London, but it may be assumed that it would be practically the same as the figure quoted by the General Electric Company. It will be seen that the quotations from London and New York are practically the same and, therefore, on the question of price there is nothing in favour of one over the other offer. The quotation from London merely gives the price, there are no details concerning steam consumption nor the size of the condenser, amount of circulating water required or any technical information. This information was not asked for in the first place because it was merely desired to get comparative prices; since, however, these prices are so close I recommend the Committee to accept the General Electric Company's offer. The point which has to be particularly considered is the urgency of getting new plant so that the Department will not have to go through another period such as it has experienced during the past twelve months and may have to experience for the next year. If the tender from London were considered its acceptance could not be made for some months, because it would be inadvisable to place a contract for such a large unit without having all the technical information at hand. Neither this nor drawings showing the arrangement of the plant could be received for some few months, during which time nothing could be done towards extending the Riverside Power Station to accommodate the new plant. On the other hand, if the General Electric Company's offer is accepted, it is only necessary to send a telegram to the Company to duplicate the plant already on order.

If the Committee agree with me that as a matter of expediency it is wiser to place another contract with the General Electric Company for an exact duplicate machine and equipment, there is nothing to prevent the Department at once getting out plans for the new building, which would enable the Public Works Department to arrange a contract for the concrete foundations. The drawings of the 18,000 kilowatt plant now under construction are here in Shanghai, and the foundation drawings for the machine are also here, therefore the complete scheme can be immediately put in hand because the exact positions which the two machines would occupy can be definitely determined. The weights which the concrete raft would have to support are likewise known, and there is nothing to prevent the complete lay-out of the extension to be put in hand as soon as the drawings are ready.

An additional reason in favour of having a duplicate set is that of interchangeability. Although the disastrous defects which developed in the A.E.G. plant may not be expected with the General Electric machines, yet from experience of other undertakings all over the world we know that defects in machines do develop, and whilst a recurrence of the late disasters is not likely, it seems advisable that if it is possible by duplicating machinery to minimise such a risk, then full justification may be claimed for the adaptation of such a scheme. It will be recalled that when the two 5,000 K.W. A.E.G. machines broke down it was possible by transferring part of one machine to another one to restore 5,000 kilowatts in a comparatively short time. Had the two machines been of different make and design that would not have been possible.

Even without anticipating serious trouble with these machines, the advantages of duplication would be felt at such times when either of the machines was being dismantled for the annual overhaul which it rightly ought to have. It is conceivable that during this period the auxiliary plant or some other minor part of the machine in use might give temporary trouble. In such an instance the auxiliaries of the machine which were being overhauled could within a very short time be used for the other machine, and so prevent both machines, aggregating 36,000 kilowatts, being out of commission for more than a short period.

Summarised, the advantages of duplicating the General Electric machine are in the order of importance (1) valuable saving of time in constructing the power house extension and carrying out a complete extension scheme immediately and (2) interchangeability of parts.

To my mind the advantage of (1) being able to immediately carry out the power house extensions forms an argument in favour of placing the contract as recommended. It is reasonable to assume that if the General Electric plant is ordered it will be in commission at least six months earlier than if the order is placed in London, owing to the unavoidable delay which would necessarily arise before all the various details could be settled between this office and London. The quicker delivery of the machine would place this undertaking in a position to meet the requirements of the public service with a safer margin of reserve plant at an earlier date. There would also be a gain in operating conditions, because for every month this new machine is on load there should be a corresponding saving in the coal consumption beyond that obtainable with the plant recently installed under the 1916 Extension scheme. I have given this matter very close attention, in conference with the senior members of the technical staff, and from the point of view of expediency and the safeguarding of the Department's interests, I feel it my duty to recommend acceptance of the General Electric Company's offer. If the Committee approves my suggestion, it would probably enable us to scrap the 14,000 kilowatts of A.E.G. plant in 1920 or 1921, and give time to clear out their old foundations and prepare for the installation of another 18 000 kilowatt set in the space so released in the 1913 part of the Riverside power house. It would, furthermore, make it possible to postpone the erection of the second power house on the new property until a later date, and generally, I think, would be more economically sound in the long run.

PART III.

This section of the Report is intended to show as nearly as possible the generating plant, switchgear, transformers and cables which should be ordered to provide adequate means of meeting the demands for electricity during the period 1919-21. The plant recently ordered in the United States is not included as provision has already been made for it. Neither is the multifarious material and equipment which is constantly being purchased for the distribution of electricity included. The Report deals only with those specific items which are major extensions such as turbine, generator and condensing plant; boilers and boiler house equipment; power house switchgear and transformers; large substation switchgear and transformers; and underground trunk cables; and also power house buildings. The estimated cost of the various items enumerated is necessarily approximate; it is based upon the cost of recently ordered plant. Exchange is taken at Tls. 1=4/-.

Schedule of principal items and date of ordering same.

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1919.

(1) One 18,000 K.W. turbo-alternator, condenser and electrically driven circulating pump.

(2) 6,600 volt switchgear for H.T. feeders and power house transformers. (This switchgear to replace the existing 6,600 volt switchgear which will be transferred to Tonquin Road Sub-station.)

(3) Steelwork for turbine room but not including boiler house.

(4) Four boilers (approx. 80,000-lbs. evaporation each) two steel chimneys, four fans.

(5) Steam pipework, valves, feed pumps and feed piping for four boilers.

(6) Power house transformers at Riverside.

(7) 22,000 volt switchgear for control of 18,000 K.W. generator, power house transformers, and three trunk feeders.

(8) Underground trunk cables Riverside and Fearon Road.

(9) Circulating water pipework for 18,000 K.W. turbine condenser.

(10) Steelwork for boiler house, including coal bunkers.

(11) Coal handling plant Riverside.

(12) Two 22,000 volt trunk cables to be laid from Fearon Road to Tonquin Road sub-station.

(13) Fearon Road 22,000 volt switchgear for Tonquin Road two trunk feeders.
Fearon Road 22,000 volt switchgear for Riverside three trunk feeders.

(14) Tonquin Road sub-station 22,000/6,300 volt transformers.

1920.

(15) Four boilers (approx. 80,000-lbs. evaporation each), two steel chimneys, four fans.

(16) Steam pipework, valves, feed pumps and feed piping for four boilers.

The dates given for the time of ordering are chosen, as far as possible, to avoid placing contracts earlier than necessary, and having in view the probable time required for manufacture and delivery.

The estimated cost of the above is Tls. 2,195,000.

T. H. U. ALDRIDGE,
*Engineer-in-Chief & Manager.*

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### Public School for Girls.

*National Froebel Union Examination.*—The Council has been notified that the Higher Certificate, Part I of the National Froebel Union, has been awarded to Miss H. MacGregor, Student Mistress, who gained a first class distinction in one subject and second class distinctions in three subjects.

*Kindergarten.*—The lease from Mr. J. Ambrose of No 24 Kungping Road has been renewed for a further period of one year terminating on November 30, 1919.

### Public Band.

On Sunday next, February 16, at 4.30 p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

1. Overture "The Najades" Bennett
2. Trio for Piano, Violin and Cello
   "A la memoire d'un grand Artist" Rachmaninoff
   (*a*) Moderato
   (*b*) Tema con variazioni
   Var. 1 Andante
   „ 2 Lento
   „ 3 Allegro-scherzando
   „ 4 L'istesso tempo
   „ 5 Allegro Vivace
   „ 6 Andante
   „ 7 Moderato
   (*c*) Finale—Allegro resoluto
   (*The Moscow Trio*)

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3. "Farandole" Bizet
4. "Slavonic Rhapsody" Dvorak
   (Cello Solo: Mr. C. Bakaleinikoff)
5. Selection "La Navarraise" Massent

A. DE KRYGER,
*Conductor-in-Charge.*

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### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 81B | Kiangse | Wong Kor Sung | | | shed |
| 22 | Yuenming-yuen | Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld. | | | addns. & lift tower |
| 101 | N. Soochow | Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. | | | altns. & addns. |
| Unreg. W of 1270 | Kungping | Tsu Par Son | | | shed |
| 6015 | Kwanghsin | Palmer & Turner | | | addns. |
| 2894 | Seymour | China Realty Co., Ld. | 1 | | servants' quarters |
| 4709 | W. Soochow | Nagai Wata Kabushiki Kaisha | | | block staff quarters |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| Unreg. N of 7490 | Pingliang | Shun Zin Kee | 3 | | |
| Unreg. S of 1338 | Thibet | Wong Seng Chong | 3 | | |

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, February 2, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Diphtheria | 2 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 19 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 4 | 129 |

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, February 9, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 18 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 4 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 148 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8.

*Police Force.*—Sikh Constable No. 235, Phula Singh, is discharged, invalided, from February 3.

*Fire Brigade.*—Mr. F. M. Howard, Inspecting Officer, is appointed Departmental Engineer from September 1, 1918.

*Health Department.*—Miss K. Edelman is re-engaged as Nurse under an agreement from December 25, 1918.

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Inspector F. J. Drakeford is permitted to terminate his service on March 31.

*Public Works Department.*—Inspector A. R. White is invalided from January 13.

Mr. W. J. McErlean is appointed Clerical Assistant on probation from January 3.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. J. S. Tyson is appointed Shift Engineer on three months' probation from December 19, 1918.

*Educational Department.*—Mr. R. Ross, Assistant Master in the Public School for Boys, is appointed Senior Assistant Master from January 1.

Mrs. J. Reddick, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, was permitted to terminate her service on December 31, 1918.

Mrs. C. Irving is appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls from January 6.

Mrs. W. H. Corneck is appointed temporarily as Shorthand Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, from February 1.

*Secretariat.*—Mr. J. M. McKee, Chief Clerk, is appointed Acting Assistant Secretary from January 1, 1919.

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**Engineer's Report for January.**

The carrying out of works has again been delayed on account of the weather, frost or rain having prevailed on the majority of the days.

A slight fall of snow occurred on Tuesday, the 21st, but beyond taking steps for sanding the wood-paved roads and bridge approaches which became very slippery towards night, no special action by the Department was necessary.

*Roads.*—Bubbling Well Road is being widened between Hardoon Road and Hart Road to its scheduled width of 70-ft.

West Soochow Road is being made up for its full width east of Tonquin Road adjoining the recently constructed bunding.

Lay Road is being made up for its full width from Yangtszepoo Road to the River front.

Chemulpo Road is being raised north of Yangtszepoo with mud obtained from the Waterworks Company.

An ash track is being laid in Pingyang Road from Pingliang Road to Yangtszepoo Road.

The footpaths are being made up to their proper width and kerb and channel laid in Weihaiwei Road from Mohawk Road to Yates Road.

*Bridges.*—Extensive repairs are being carried out to the Hanbury Road Bridge.

*Bundings.*—The construction of the bunding by contract in West Soochow Road east of Tonquin Road and fronting Cadastral Lots 4640 and 4628 has been completed.

Two short lengths of timber bunding are being constructed in Brenan Road adjoining the Soochow Creek, where recent subsidences have occurred.

Extensive repairs are being carried out to the timber bundings of the Hongkew Creek along both Fearon Road and Dixwell Road.

*Central Offices.*—The Consulting Heating Engineer in London has been authorized to place the order with the manufacturers for the bulk of the material required in the heating plant.

*Isolation Hospital — Discharge Block.*—The work has been somewhat retarded by weather conditions. A great deal of the joinery work has been prepared and the concrete floors to first floor verandah and bathroom have been laid. The brickwork has been built up to the level of the first floor windows, which have been fixed in position.

*Public School for Chinese.*—Various minor alterations are in progress in the Annex, involving removal of partitions, etc., and enclosing the verandah on the first floor. Half the upper floor is being fitted up as a laboratory.

*Riverside Power Station.*—All of the centering under the new Coal Conveyor has now been removed, and the railing on the platform put in place. Work has been commenced on the foundations for the Willans Turbines, but very little has been done on this or on the leanto adjoining the Boiler House owing to the unsatisfactory weather conditions.

*Fearon Road Power Station.*—The construction of switch and transformer cubicles is in progress at the east end of the Boiler House.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—2,908.50 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

*Cleansing and Watering.*

Road sweepings collected 8,222 cartloads
Used for raising land 727 „
Water used for street watering 1,100,600 gallons

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,312 |
| Foremen | 210 |
| Mafoos | 159 |
| Artisans | 278 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 824 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 20 admissions during the month and 55 cubic feet of stone were broken.

*New Buildings.*

Summary of work done during the month.

| *Description of Work.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 291 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 76 |
| Plans approved | 52 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,972 |
| Boundary walls erected<br>Carpenter sheds erected<br>Repairs to buildings effected<br>New shop fronts inserted<br>Shop fronts, etc., painted<br>Alterations effected<br>Fences erected<br>Sign-boards erected<br>Drying stages erected<br>Temporary mat sunshades erected | 400 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected over roadway | 3 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 10 |
| Summonses | 3 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 30 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 50 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction, the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by Public Works Department | 10 |
| First intimation notices issued | 10 |

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 57 |
| Boundary stone certificates issued | 56 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 27 |
| New lots put under taxation | 27 |
| Assessed value of land placed under taxation Tls. | 93,400 |
| Official plans prepared | 33 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 145 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 100 |
| Surveys made in connexion with Road Widenings and/or Extensions | 56 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are, or may in future, be of use to the public | 57 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Eastern District | 12 |
| Western „ | 33 |

C. HARPUR,
*Acting Engineer & Surveyor.*

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## Summary of General Municipal Rate, December Quarter.

### Foreign.

| | 1918. | | 1917. | | 1916. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. |
| | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | 696 | 2,589,069 | 683 | 2,472,707 | 672 | 2,357,306 |
| Northern do. | 1,017 | 940,715 | 1,017 | 917,807 | 1,034 | 913,483 |
| Eastern do. | 733 | 915,484 | 718 | 878,656 | 695 | 854,591 |
| Western do. | 1,012 | 1,257,476 | 1,004 | 1,230,137 | 967 | 1,176,829 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 627 | 407,828 | 580 | 362,032 | 559 | 380,917 |
| Total | 4,085 | 6,110,572 | 4,002 | 5,861,339 | 3,927 | 5,683,126 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 3,109 | 4,606,118 | 3,051 | 4,380,186 | 2,958 | 4,351,612 |
| do. Chinese | 862 | 1,298,949 | 805 | 1,187,884 | 780 | 1,059,593 |
| Unoccupied | 114 | 205,505 | 146 | 293,269 | 189 | 271,921 |
| Total | 4,085 | 6,110,572 | 4,002 | 5,861,339 | 3,927 | 5,683,126 |
| Tax Collected:— | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | | 72,089 | | 68,166 | | 65,870 |
| Northern do. | | 26,205 | | 24,364 | | 24,319 |
| Eastern do. | | 26,399 | | 24,544 | | 24,041 |
| Western do. | | 34,580 | | 32,481 | | 31,981 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 5,712 | | 5,065 | | 5,197 |
| Total | | 164,985 | | 154,620 | | 151,408 |

### Chinese.

| | 1918. | | 1917. | | 1916. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. |
| | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | 11,917 | 5,560,247 | 11,912 | 5,269,598 | 11,504 | 5,067,811 |
| Northern do. | 16,608 | 3,008,687 | 16,603 | 2,976,693 | 16,237 | 2,890,139 |
| Eastern do. | 17,257 | 1,574,535 | 16,820 | 1,509,327 | 16,319 | 1,442,909 |
| Western do. | 14,804 | 2,102,543 | 14,587 | 2,058,428 | 14,906 | 2,093,476 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 1,224 | 109,814 | 1,226 | 109,954 | 1,223 | 109,462 |
| Total | 61,810 | 12,355,826 | 61,148 | 11,924,000 | 60,189 | 11,603,797 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 1,972 | 478,334 | 1,809 | 447,603 | 1,732 | 421,336 |
| do. Chinese | 57,864 | 11,251,530 | 57,451 | 10,929,043 | 56,250 | 10,546,149 |
| Unoccupied | 1,974 | 625,962 | 1,888 | 547,355 | 2,207 | 636,312 |
| Total | 61,810 | 12,355,826 | 61,148 | 11,924,000 | 60,189 | 11,603,797 |
| Tax Collected:— | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | | 157,456 | | 152,552 | | 146,982 |
| Northern do. | | 86,585 | | 84,875 | | 81,663 |
| Eastern do. | | 45,145 | | 42,473 | | 40,474 |
| Western do. | | 58,482 | | 57,155 | | 55,882 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 1,556 | | 1,564 | | 1,549 |
| Total | | 349,224 | | 338,619 | | 326,550 |

E. L. Allen, *Superintendent of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

**CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.**

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

**工部局承攬信章程**

一 凡有承攬各項本局應用之物品一概須由本局自有稀利承攬全份或一份

二 所有承攬價目雖是極低本局亦有去定承攬之權

三 行定估價之後須辦妥本局認可之保證金方准承攬人到局之後本局各人入局之信用及承攬之價目

四 所有以後承攬登記入本局之人須繳付一定之保證金方准辦理

五 本局有取閱將所敷錢數清單若干之權本局必將其錢數明細單付登錄內之人知悉

六 後明所敷錢數之後本局仍將該款一俟得有退還之日即將此款付還承攬人

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

面漆其承攬信送時來之前以須在定期二十四工信

部寫明送至江西路十號

二時之後辦處理或上午十工

所有承攬信款必須封固加蓋火漆

清單費

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road** | | |
| 128 | Convicts' Food, in the following quantities monthly from March 1:— Vegetables 7,000 lbs.; Onions 3,500 ,,; Salt fish 1,200 ,,; Beef 1,450 ,,; Pork 1,450 ,,; Salt 1,000 ,,; Bean Oil 750 ,,; Tea 90 ,, — For 6 or 12 months. | — | February 17. Tenders should be accompanied by samples. |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund** | | |
| 490 | Supply of Tools | — | April 7 |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road** | | |
| 184 | 14 Miles of Triple Braid Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | March 20 |
| 185 | 13 ,, Vulcanised Cable and Wire | Tls. 5 | ,, 20 |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### POLICE FORCE

Tender No. 127

Supply of 500 Summer Hats for the Chinese Branch

| | per hat |
|---|---|
| Lao Yuen Zing | $1.20 |
| Yung Nu Jang | 1.18 |
| *Shing Zung | 1.15 |

*Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2574.**

**REPATRIATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.**

**WHEREAS** since the declaration of war by the Republic of China on the Empires of Germany and Austria-Hungary, the Subjects of the said former Empires (hereinafter called "Enemy Subjects") have been suffered to remain within the confines of the said Republic, under permits issued, within the limits of the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, by the Municipal Council. **And Whereas** by Mandate issued on the twenty-eighth day of January, 1919, bearing the seal of the President of the said Republic the repatriation of Enemy Subjects is duly ordered. **And Whereas** by Proclamation issued on the eleventh day of February, 1919, bearing the seal of the Commissioner of Defence for Sungkiang and Shanghai certain regulations are prescribed for giving effect to the said Mandate. **And Whereas** the said Proclamation has been countersigned by the Senior Consul and by him transmitted to the Municipal Council with the request that the same be posted within the said Settlement. **And Whereas** the said request and a translation of the Proclamation are set forth at length in the Municipal Gazette published on the thirteenth day of February, 1919. **And Whereas** the Head Office for the Repatriation of Enemy Subjects referred to in the said Proclamation has been established at No. 121 Bubbling Well Road within the limits of the said Settlement with the assent of the Municipal Council as a measure of co-operation with the Chinese Government and for general convenience. **And Whereas** the said Proclamation has been countersigned and sealed by the Municipal Council and duly posted and for the peace and good order of the said Settlement certain instructions giving effect thereto have been duly communicated to Enemy Subjects resident within the limits of the said Settlement.

**Now therefore be it known** and let all such Enemy Subjects take note that the said instructions must be strictly obeyed. **Be it also known** and let all such Enemy Subjects who may fail for any reason to receive a copy of the said instructions or who may desire to make any enquiries in regard thereto or to claim exemption from repatriation under the provisions contained in the said Proclamation take note that they must make application forthwith at the Head Office for the Repatriation of Enemy Subjects above referred to. **Be it further known** and let all such Enemy Subjects take note and observe that failure to comply with the said instructions and with such further instructions and regulations as may be issued hereafter from time to time to give effect to the said Proclamation will render the delinquents liable to prosecution.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 13, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2571.**

**REGISTRATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.**

**(Amendment of Permit Conditions).**

NOTICE is hereby given that Conditions 2 and 3 of the permits issued to German and Austro-Hungarian subjects, in pursuance of the provisions of Municipal Notification No. 2466, have been amended to read as follows:—

*2.—Commencing on Thursday, February 13, 1919, the holder (if a male) is required to present himself in person daily, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. at the Police Station of his district in order to have his permit checked by the Police.*

*3.—On and after Thursday, February 13, the holder will not be permitted to change his or her address.*

On and after Thursday, February 13, all German and Austro-Hungarian male subjects of 16 years of age and upwards are, therefore, required to report to the Police daily, instead of twice weekly as at present, and this Condition and the other Conditions of the Permit must be strictly observed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2579.**

**REGISTRATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.**

**(Amendment of Permit Conditions)**

NOTICE is hereby given that an additional Condition has been added to the permits issued to German and Austro-Hungarian subjects, in pursuance of the provisions of Municipal Notification No. 2466, as follows:—

*4.—Commencing on Monday, February 24, 1919, the holder (if a female) is required to present herself in person between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. three times each week (i.e., on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays) at the Police Station of her district in order to have her permit checked by the Police.*

On and after Monday, February 24, all German and Austro-Hungarian female subjects of 16 years of age and upwards are, therefore, required to report to the Police thrice weekly, and this Condition and the other Conditions of the Permit must be strictly observed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 20, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2573.**

**TAVERN LICENCES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Watch Committee will sit on Friday, April 11, to decide upon the number and locality of Foreign Taverns to be licensed during the ensuing year.

Applications for new licences, upon the form obtainable at the Revenue Office, must be forwarded to the undersigned before March 17.

Thereafter, by public notification, an opportunity will be afforded to Ratepayers to protest against or support before the Committee the issue or renewal of any licence.

No fresh licences will be issued during the twelve months ensuing and until the next annual sitting of the Committee.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 13, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2581.**

UPON the resignation of Mr. W. E. Leveson, Mr. N. O. Liddell is appointed Secretary to the Council.

E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 19, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2582.**

**RIVERSIDE POWER STATION.**

NOTICE is hereby given that henceforward visitors cannot be admitted to the Riverside Electric Power Station or property without a pass signed by the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager personally.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 27, 1919.

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MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2583.**

**BUILDING PERMITS AND ELECTRICAL OVERHEAD CABLES AND FIXTURES.**

TO prevent the serious interference with electric cables, wires or fixtures which is caused by contractors during building operations, the following clause has been added to all Building Permits and will be strictly enforced from March 1:—

*That at least three days' notice be given in writing to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager of the Municipal Electricity Department before any scaffolding or scaffold poles be erected, if such scaffolding or scaffold poles when erected will be within three feet of any electric cables wires or fixtures. The person to whom the permit is issued will be held responsible for any damage or interruption to supply which may be caused by the erection of the structure for which the permit is granted.*

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 27, 1919.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2584.**

**FREEDOM OF SHANGHAI.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Certificate of the admission of Mr. E. C. Pearce as a Freeman of the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, drawn up and signed in accordance with Resolution XI passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers held on March 27, 1918, and the casket in which it is to be placed will be presented to Mr. Pearce at the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Ratepayers.

This Certificate and photographs of the casket may be viewed at the Revenue Office, 7A The Bund, where sheets for signature by supporters of the aforesaid Resolution may be signed by Ratepayers until March 29, 1919.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 27, 1919.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2585.**

**HUNGJAO ROAD RAILWAY CROSSING.**

THE making up of the approaches to this Crossing will be commenced on March 10, and the public is requested to proceed with caution pending completion of the work.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 27, 1919.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2586.**

**INFLUENZA.**

**Spread by Droplets Sprayed from Nose and Throat.**

OWING to the prevalence of Influenza the following precautions are advised:—

Avoid crowds and gatherings of all kinds.

Especially avoid people who cough and sneeze without covering with a handkerchief.

Wear a mask to prevent infection (a pattern may be obtained at the Health Office) or tie a handkerchief round the mouth and nose or hold a handkerchief to the nose and mouth when there is danger.

If you get Influenza go to bed and stay there until the doctor permits getting up and so avoid the dangerous complication of Pneumonia Do not allow anyone to come near unless wearing a mask or at least a handkerchief round the nose and mouth.

The above applies also to colds, bronchitis, pneumonia and tuberculosis.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 5, 1919.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2587.**

**ROAD PLANS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that plans showing new roads, extension and widening of existing roads, and extension of lands already occupied by public works and for purposes of sanitation, in the Five Districts of the Settlement, as required in Articles VI and VIA of the Land Regulations, are now open to inspection at the Public Works Office. Copies thereof, when prepared, will be sent to the several Consular Land Offices.

Landowners and agents are reminded that, under the provisions of Land Regulation VIA proprietors have the right, for three months after the publication of notice that the plans are open to inspection, to protest in writing against any road, extension or widening of road, or extension of public works, or establishment of sanitary building or works, therein scheduled, following thereafter the procedure laid down in that Regulation.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 6, 1919

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2588.**

**7% (SHORT TERM) LOAN 1918.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for debentures in this loan will close on Saturday, March 15

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 6. 1919.

**AT the meeting of the Permanent Education Committee held on Friday, February 28, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—**

***Present*:**

Rev. Dr. F. L. Hawks Pott (*Chairman*)
Messrs. E. I. Ezra
E. C. Pearce

***Absent*:**

Mr. R. F. C. Master

**The meeting adjourned at 5 o'clock, p.m.**

**AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Friday, February 28, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—**

***Present*:**

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
J. H. Dollar
E. I. Ezra

***Absent*:**

Mr. T. Ibukiyama

**The meeting adjourned at 7 o'clock, p.m.**

**AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, March 3, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—**

***Present*:**

Messrs. E. I. Ezra (*Chairman*)
A. Howard
H. A. J. Macray

**The meeting adjourned at 5.15 p.m.**

**AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, March 5, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—**

***Present*:**

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
J. H. Dollar
E. I. Ezra
A. Howard
J. Johnstone
W. L. Merriman
Ed. White

***Absent*:**

Messrs. T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray

**The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.**

**General Hospital.**

*Finance.*—In accordance with the terms of the appended correspondence with the Governors of the General Hospital and the French Council, the Council has decided to recommend to the Ratepayers, at the forthcoming Annual Meeting, the assumption of responsibility for the deficit on the Hospital Working Account:—

Shanghai, April 12, 1918.

SIR,—Regarding the matter of interest on overdraft with the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation as guaranteed by the Councils, I am directed by the Governors to inform you that commencing from January 1, 1918, it has been arranged that the total interest payable will be charged by the Bank to the Hospital account direct and that the same will be collected quarterly in due proportion from

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the Councils by the Hospital. It is considered that this arrangement will best meet the convenience of all concerned.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. H. MANCELL,
*Secretary,*
*Shanghai General Hospital.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, April 13, 1918.

SIR,—I am directed by the Governors to request you to be good enough to forward me cheques in payment of the interest on the Hospital Bank account overdraft as follows:—

Tls. 4,474.74 for the quarter ending December 31, 1917.

Tls. 4,307.45 for the quarter ending March 31, 1918.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. H. MANCELL,
*Secretary,*
*Shanghai General Hospital.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, April 26, 1918.

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that the Council assents to the arrangement referred to in your letter of April 12 whereby its contributions of interest under its guarantee of a portion of the Hospital overdraft will for the future be collected by you instead of as heretofore by the Bank. Will you kindly note that the quarterly request therefor to the Municipal Treasurer should be accompanied by a detailed statement showing how such contributions are calculated.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

A. H. MANCELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Shanghai General Hospital.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, April 26, 1918.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 13 requesting payment of the Council's contributions in respect of interest on the Hospital overdraft for the past two quarters.

In reply I am directed to enquire whether the contributions include interest on the working account overdraft as well as on the building account overdraft and to point out that the Council's guarantee only applies to the latter, its responsibility in regard to the former being limited to Tls. 3,500 the authorized grant-in-aid towards the expenses of treating indigent patients. I am also to enquire whether the rents derivable from a portion of the Hospital property have been applied in relief of the interest on the building account overdraft in accordance with the arrangement reached in 1912 when the guarantee of the building account overdraft was extended to include an amount of Tls. 90,000 which was then advanced by the Bank to enable extension of the Hospital site.

It is noted that a portion of the George Ford estate, represented by sixty shares of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation has not yet been realized. It is assumed that pending realization the interest on these shares will be credited in reduction of the interest on the building account overdraft and not in reduction of the capital amount of this overdraft.

I am to request that you will kindly give the above matters your early consideration so that the amount of the Council's contribution may be agreed and paid without delay.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

A. H. MANCELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Shanghai General Hospital.

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Shanghai, May 21, 1918.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of April 26 and in reply to inform you as follows:—

For convenience sake your enquiries are dealt with by number.

1.—"Do the Council's contributions include interest on the working account overdraft."

The answer is that on April 17, 1917 an amount of Tls. 34,970.11 being overdraft in the Hospital current account with the Bank, was transferred to the debit of the Hospital general overdraft account with the Bank, thus a proportion of the interest on Tls. 34,970.11 is included in the interest charged to the Council since April 17, 1917. The Municipal Treasurer was informed of this at an interview which I had with him

2.—"Have the rents derivable from a portion of the Hospital property been applied in relief of the interest on the building account overdraft in accordance with the arrangement reached in 1912."

The answer is that up to June, 30, 1917, the rents were so applied. Since that date the rents have not been so applied, the reason being that the Council's acceptance of the financial scheme, details of which were set forth in my letter to you of March 6, 1917, nullified the previous arrangement. The financial scheme included no reference to the rents received by the Hospital and the amount of Tls. 90,000, interest on which was to be met by the rents, was specifically merged into the Council's guarantee. In connexion with this matter it will be of interest to note that the lease from which the rentals are derived will expire on May 31, 1918, and the demolition of the houses on the property in accordance with the Hospital reconstruction scheme will then be taken into consideration by the Governors.

3.—*George Ford Estate. 60 Shares of the Hongkong & Shanghai Bank.* The value of these shares standing in the Hospital Books is Tls. 24,000 which if realized would at 7 per cent. relieve the Bank overdraft account of Tls. 1,680 per annum. This is almost identical with the yearly return likely to be received from dividend and bonus on the shares. Pending realization it was not the intention of the Governors to utilize the interest on these shares in reduction of the interest on overdraft but in reduction of the capital amount of overdraft and this has been done.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. H. MANCELL,
*Secretary,*
*Shanghai General Hospital.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, June 10, 1918.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 21, further in reference to your request for payment by the Council of a proportion of the interest due on the Hospital bank overdraft for the quarters ending December 31, 1917, and March 31, 1918, and in reply to make the following observations:—

1. The Governors have no authority to transfer the overdraft on the Hospital current account to the overdraft guaranteed by the Council nor has the Council any authority to accept responsibility therefor.

2. It is incorrect to state that the Council's acceptance of the financial scheme set forth in your letter of March 6, 1917, nullifies the arrangement in regard to rents: to this extent, therefore, the interest payable by the Council under its guarantee should be relieved. If on May 31 at expiry of the lease, to which reference is made, the demolition of the houses is decided on, then the arrangement in regard to rents will at least be suspended.

3. In the Council's opinion the interest on the 60 Hongkong & Shanghai Bank shares should be utilized in reduction of the interest on and not in reduction of the capital amount of the building scheme overdraft.

Subject to the necessary rectification accordingly of the interest account, which kindly arrange direct with the Treasurer, the interest due under the Council's guarantee will, I am directed to state, be paid forthwith.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

A. H. MANCELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Shanghai General Hospital.

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Shanghai, July 1, 1918.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of June 10 and in reply to inform you as follows:

Par. 1. The Governors accept the Council's views on the subject of the transfer of the Hospital current account overdraft. This acceptance raises the important question as to what body will be ultimately responsible for the annual deficit in the Hospital finances, which for convenience sake I have dealt with in a separate letter.

Par. 2. The Governors are unable to modify their views on the question of rents as expressed in my letter to the Council of May 21. These views receive additional support from the estimate of Hospital financial working which was forwarded to the Council, on October 17, 1916, in which the item of Tls. 5,000 rent on Chinese shops is earmarked to go against the working expenses of the Hospital.

Par. 3. The Governors are agreeable to the Council's view that the interest on 60 Hongkong & Shanghai Bank shares should be utilized in reduction of the interest on and not in reduction of the capital amount of the building scheme overdraft

As requested I will accordingly arrange direct with the Municipal Treasurer the necessary rectification of the interest account

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. H. MANCELL,
*Secretary,*
*Shanghai General Hospital.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, July 1, 1918.

SIR,—In further reference to Paragraph 1 of your letter of June 10 I am directed to inform you as follows:

The acceptance by the Governors of the Council's view "that the Governors have no authority to transfer the overdraft on the Hospital current account to the overdraft guaranteed by the Council nor has the Council any authority to accept responsibility therefor" at once raises the important question as to what body will be ultimately responsible for the annual deficit shown by the Hospital finances.

The Governors firmly hold the opinion that the present uncertainty on the question should be definitely terminated at as early a date as possible and to effect this they submit to the Council the following proposals:—

That, in addition to its guarantee of interest on Building account overdraft with the Hongkong Bank, the Council will, subject to confirmation by the Ratepayers at their next Meeting, accept forthwith:—

First: liability for the sum of Tls. 46,299 being overdraft in Bank No. 2 Account at June 30, 1918;

and secondly: the liability for any future annual deficit that may arise in the Hospital finances as and from July 1, 1918.

Such deficit to be the amount stated in the Hospital balance sheet published in March of each year and duly certified to by the Hospital auditors. The amount of deficit so ascertained to be reimbursed by the Council annually to the Hospital.

The Governors consider that this is a reasonable proposal embodying as it does only the principle that the financial loss of working a public institution like the General Hospital should be borne out of the public rates.

In support of the proposal, the views of the Chairman of the Council when addressing the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers held in March 1912, and apparently approved by the Ratepayers, may be recalled with advantage. Speaking of the "important question of Hospital accommodation" he said: "We look upon the Shanghai General Hospital, in fact if not in name, as an institution of the same public importance as that of any of our purely Municipal undertakings."

To allay any misgivings that might arise in assuming responsibility for the annual Hospital deficit, the figures for the past five years are stated below:

For the year ending December 31, 1913, Tls. 3,743.02.
For the year ending December 31, 1914, Tls. 12,559.41.
For the year ending December 31, 1915, Tls. 18,276.66.
For the year ending December 31, 1916, Tls. 16,274.56.
For the year ending December 31, 1917, Tls. 4,477.14.

Showing an average annual amount of Tls. 11,066.

It is estimated that for the next five years the maximum amount of deficit will not exceed Tls. 31,000 per annum.

The Governors submit their views, as set forth above, to the consideration of the Council with confidence, believing that the carrying of the same into effect will definitely place the financial position of the General Hospital on a sound and stable basis, and as being therefore in the public interests of the Shanghai community, ensuring that modern accommodation and efficient arrangements for the treatment of its sick members will be permanently available.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. H. MANCELL,
*Secretary,*
*Shanghai General Hospital.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, July 30, 1918.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of July 1 accepting the Council's views contained in paragraphs 1 and 3 of the Council's letter to you of June 10 but expressing dissent with that contained in paragraph 2.

In reply I am directed to reiterate the Council's views contained in the said paragraph and to affirm that the rents therein referred to should not be applied towards the expenses of the Hospital Working Account but in reduction of the Council's guarantee.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

A. H. MANCELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Shanghai General Hospital.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, July 30, 1918.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of July 1 in which the question of the ultimate responsibility for the deficit on the Hospital Working Account is treated at length, and in reply to inform you that the Council is giving the views therein stated its careful consideration, but that it is unlikely that any expression of the Council's views thereon can be communicated to you until the early Autumn.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary*

A. H. MANCELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Shanghai General Hospital.

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Shanghai, October 19, 1918.

SIR,—Referring to your letter of July 30 last regarding the question of the ultimate responsibility for the deficit on the Hospital Working Account, I am directed to request you to be good enough to forward an expression of the Council's views thereon, referred to in your letter as likely to be communicated to me in the early autumn.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. H. MANCELL,
*Secretary,*
*Shanghai General Hospital.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 5, 1918.

SIR,—In reply to your letter of July 1 on the subject of the ultimate responsibility for the deficit on the Hospital Working Account you set out figures for the past five years showing an annual deficit of Tls. 11,066 and you stated that it was estimated that the maximum amount of deficit for the next five years would not exceed Tls. 31,000 per annum.

As the Council is taking up this question of responsibility for the deficit on the Working Account with the French Municipal Council I shall be glad if you can kindly give me the detailed figures above referred to corrected and revised so as to accord with the Hospital accounts as they will stand when effect is given to the observations contained in the Council's letter of June 10 in reply to your letter of May 21 with

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further reference to your request for payment by the Council of a proportion of the interest due on the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank's overdraft for the quarters ending December 31, 1917, and March 31, 1918.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

A. H. MANCELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Shanghai General Hospital.

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Shanghai, November 27, 1918.

SIR,—In reply to your letter of November 5, after revision in accordance with the Council's letter of June 10 last, the figures for the past five years of the annual deficit shown by the Hospital finances are as below. It will be noticed that the revision affects only the amount for 1917:

For the year ending December 31, 1913, Tls. 3,743.02.
For the year ending December 31, 1914, Tls. 12,559.41.
For the year ending December 31, 1915, Tls. 18,276.66.
For the year ending December 31, 1916, Tls. 16,274.56
For the year ending December 31, 1917, Tls. 8,722 00.

For the further information of the Council it may be stated that the estimated Hospital deficit for the year 1918 is Tls. 36,500.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. H. MANCELL,
*Secretary,*
*Shanghai General Hospital.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 29, 1918.

SIR,—I am directed to thank you for your letter of November 27 giving me the information requested in my letter to you of November 5 in regard to the General Hospital's deficit on Working Account.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

A. H. MANCELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Shanghai General Hospital.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 29, 1918.

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that the Council has been addressed recently by the Governors of the General Hospital on the subject of the ultimate responsibility for the deficit on the Hospital Working Account present and future.

As you will recollect the Council agreed in 1917 to increase its guarantee of the Hospital Building Account overdraft with the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank to such sum, not exceeding a total of Tls. 520,000, with interest at 6 per cent. (since raised to 7 per cent.) per annum, as might be required to carry out the Hospital extension scheme, the French Council agreeing at the same time to accept responsibility on similar terms for a sum of Tls. 166,666. The Council and the French Council also make annual grants-in-aid of Tls. 3,500 and Tls. 1,750 respectively towards the expenses of treating indigent patients, but apart therefrom neither has ever accepted any responsibility in respect of the Hospital Working Account. After due consideration, however, the Council has reached the view that responsibility for the deficit on this account should rightly be borne by the Council and the French Council in the proportions that have been customary in the past, two-thirds and one-third respectively.

As, however, the assumption of this further financial responsibility will in effect involve acceptance of entire responsibility for the finance of the Hospital the Council is of the opinion that its acceptance should be conditional on some greater measure of financial control by the two Councils than at present exists. This end might I am to suggest be achieved by the separation of the Hospital House and Finance Committee into two separate committees, the latter to consist of the French Council's representative on the Board of Governors and two members of Council. This arrangement can be carried out without modification of the Hospital Trust Deed, and so far as can be ascertained without formal enquiry it will be acceptable to the Governors. I am accordingly directed to enquire whether with this suggested measure of financial control in operation the French Council will be willing to assume responsibility for one-third of the existing deficit on the Hospital Working Account and one-third of any future annual deficit, the Council recommending the Ratepayers at the next Annual Meeting to sanction acceptance of responsibility for the remaining two-thirds.

In making this enquiry I am directed to state that the Council is informed that the deficit on June 30, 1918, amounted to approximately Tls. 50,000 that the average annual deficit for the past five years was Tls. 12,315, and that the estimated annual deficit for 1918 and the next five years will not exceed Tls. 36,500.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

The SECRETARY,
French Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, November 30, 1918.

SIR,—In reference to the matter of transferring certain amounts from the Hospital Bank Building Account to Hospital Bank Working Account which the Council wishes to be done and concerning which I saw you on November 26, I am directed to inform you as follows:

I informed the Bank that the Hospital Governors requested an overdraft in the Hospital No. 2 or Working Account up to an amount of say Tls. 75,000 this to hold good until after the next Ratepayers' Meeting has been held or say to May 31, 1919. The proposed overdraft would be made up by the transfer of approximately Tls. 51,000 from the Hospital No. 1 account and the balance by such sums as may be required for the Hospital Working account up to May 31, next. That so far as could be ascertained the Council is favourably considering their recommendation at the next Ratepayers' Meeting that past and future annual deficits in the Hospital finances should be taken over and guaranteed by the Council.

The Bank's reply is that the request constitutes an application for an unguaranteed overdraft which they would not consider. That the overdraft would be granted subject to the Council writing to the Bank stating its intention to recommend to the Ratepayers at the next annual Meeting that the overdraft should be taken over and guaranteed by the Council, and subject to a personal guarantee jointly and severally by the Hospital Governors of the proposed overdraft.

The Governors understand that the Council has addressed the French Council inviting it to share in the responsibility for the annual Hospital Deficits, and that the Council postpones further action in the matters stated above until an answer has been received from the French Council.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. H. MANCELL,
*Secretary,*
*Shanghai General Hospital.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, December 7, 1918.

SIR,—Supplementary to my letter to you of November 30, I am directed to inform you that the Hospital Governors are not prepared to furnish any guarantee to the Bank for Hospital Bank Overdrafts other than the land and buildings security already in the Bank's possession, and also that the Governors are unable to do anything further in the matter than await its settlement by the Council dealing directly with the Bank.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. H. MANCELL,
*Secretary,*
*Shanghai General Hospital.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room.
Shanghai, December 21, 1918.

SIR,—I am directed to enquire whether the French Council has yet given consideration to my letter of November 29 on the subject of the ultimate responsibility for the deficit on the Hospital's Working Account, present and future, since

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the Council is being rather pressed for its views on this question by the Governors of the Hospital.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant.
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

The SECRETARY,
French Municipal Council.

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*Translation of letter from the French Municipal Council dated December 27, 1918.*

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letters of November 29 and December 21 on the subject of the financial position of the Shanghai General Hospital.

In reply I am directed to inform you that the French Council can only confirm the terms of its letter of October 16 on this subject addressed to the Secretary of the Hospital. It is of the opinion that to produce the result that the Governors of the Hospital have in view such a general reorganisation would be necessary, that the Municipal Administration of the French Settlement could not participate.

Under these circumstances the French Council regrets its inability to increase the total of its grant, holding the view, moreover, that this is amply sufficient for the services that the French Council derives from the Shanghai General Hospital.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
G. LAFERRIÈRE,
*Secretary*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room.
Shanghai, January 27, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to refer to your letter of July 1, 1918, in which the question of the ultimate responsibility for the deficit on the Hospital Working Account was treated at length and to state that after giving the matter its very careful consideration the Council has decided to recommend to the ratepayers that the responsibility on this account be assumed by the Community subject to the proviso that the newly formed Hospital Finance Committee shall consist of two members of Council and one other member and that the responsibility assumed in regard to future deficits shall extend only to such expenditure as shall be recommended by that Committee.

I shall be glad if you will kindly inform me whether the Governors of the Hospital accept these conditions so that the requisite provision for the deficit at the end of the past year and for the estimated deficit for this year may be included in the Budget to be presented at the forthcoming Meeting of Ratepayers.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary*

A. H. MANCELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Shanghai General Hospital.

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Shanghai, February 19, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 27 and to state that the Governors have noted with satisfaction the Council's decision to recommend to the ratepayers that the responsibility for the Hospital deficit be assumed by the Community.

The Governors accept the Council's proviso concerning the Hospital Finance Committee subject to the conditions stated being in accordance with the Hospital Trust Deed.

To give effect to this proviso the Governors have further amended the Hospital Rule 2, page 29, referring to the constitution of the House and Finance Committees so that the Finance Committee shall consist of three members *not necessarily Governors* who shall superintend all matters concerning Hospital expenditure including the monthly accounts of the Mother Superior and shall report quarterly on all matters dealt with in the interval.

You will have noted from my letter of November 27, 1918, that the amounts constituting the deficit are as recapitulated below:

For the year ending December 31, 1913, Tls. 3,743 02.
For the year ending December 31, 1914, Tls. 12,559.41.
For the year ending December 31, 1915, Tls. 18,276.66.
For the year ending December 3, 1916, Tls. 16,274.56.
For the year ending December 31, 1917, Tls. 8,722.00.

also that the estimated deficit for the year 1918 is Tls. 36,500.

For the purpose of inclusion in the budget, as mentioned in your letter, I am further directed to state that the deficit for 1919 is estimated at Tls. 37,000.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. H. MANCELL,
*Secretary,*
*Shanghai General Hospital.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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## Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Chekiang Road.*—The claim of Messrs. Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. has been accepted for improving the corner of this road ex Lot 563 at the assessed rate of Tls. 21,000 per mow, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, or Tls. 439 for Mow 0.019.

*Tongshan Road.*—This road was originally scheduled on the north bank of the Singkeipang and followed the very irregular course of the Creek. It is recognized, however, that the pronounced bends will tend to restrict the utility of the road in future years and in accordance with the policy of making provision, as and when possible, for straightening and improving the more important roads in the Settlement, the suggestion of the Engineer has been approved to arrange an increase in the width of the road to 50ft. and to modify the approach and the bends where practicable. The details of these proposed modifications appear on this year's issue of the official plans of road extensions and widenings.

The application of the owners of Lot 1165 has been approved to include within the lot that part of the old road land not required under the above arrangement and measuring Mow 0.088 upon payment of the assessed value thereof, Tls 484.

In like manner Messrs. Lester, Johnson & Morriss have been permitted to incorporate in Lot 1169 a strip of land measuring Mow 0.373, on condition that Mow 0.010 at the western corner of the lot is surrendered for the Dent Road and payment is made for the balance of area, a sum of Tls. 1,924.

## Educational Department.

*Public Schools for Chinese.*—The Headmasters report the following entries for the Spring Term:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Public School for Chinese | 434 |
| Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese | 400 |
| Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese | 151 |
| Polytechnic Public School for Chinese | 148 |

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MARCH 1.

*Police Force.*—2nd Class Sergeant B. Hemingway is permitted to terminate his service on February 28.

*Health Department.*—Miss E. C. Ensor and Miss E. Towner are appointed Nurses from February 16.

Inspector H. V. Starling is permitted to terminate his service on May 31.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. L. J. Hughes, Surveying Assistant, from May 1.

Mr. F. P. Bartley, Surveying Assistant, returned from War Service, resumed duty on February 21.

Inspector H. Fitzgeorge is transferred for duty at the Pingchiao Quarry from March 3, vice Assistant Inspector A. T. Kriger.

*Electricity Department.* — Long leave is granted to Mr. A. H. Blagden, Deputy Engineer-in-Chief and Manager, from March 3.

Mr. W. J. Taylor is appointed Assistant in the Installation Department from February 10, under an agreement terminable at three months' notice.

Mr. W. Tinker is appointed Shift Engineer on three months' probation from January 13.

Mr. A. D. Buchanan, Shift Engineer, is permitted to terminate his service on March 31.

Mr. T. H. Harden, temporary Clerical Assistant, is permitted to terminate his service on February 28.

Long leave is granted to Mr. W. F. Dearn, Assistant in the Installation Department, from March 15.

*Finance Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. H. M. Mann, from April 15.

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## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, March 2, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 23 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 2 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 1 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 192 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Public Band.

On Sunday next, March 9, at 4.30 p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

1. Overture "Cleopatra" Enna
2. Trio for Piano, Violin and Cello Beethoven
   (*a*) Allegro
   (*b*) Adagio Cantabile
   (*c*) Scherzo-Allegro Assai
   (*d*) Finale-Presto
   (*The Moscow Trio*)

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3. "Dance of the Hours" from the Opera La Gioconda Ponchielli
4. "Symphonic Variations" Boellmann
   (Cello Solo: Mr. C. BAKALEINIKOFF)
5. "Norwegian Carnival" Svendsen

A. DE KRYGER,
*Conductor-in-Charge.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 80 | Szechuen | S. A. Hardoon | | | go-down |
| 6015 | Kwanghsin | Palmer & Turner | | | addns. to mill |
| 6015 | Yangtszepoo | Y. Ohara | | | covered way |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 700 | Avenue Edward VII & Chekiang | Ching Quai Yun | 24 | | |
| 496 498A 498B | Fokien | Ying Ven Cheng | 17 | | |
| S of 917 | East Yalu | Tse Moo Moo | 4 | | |
| 80 | Market | C. C. Stevenson | 3 | | |
| 561 | Chengtu & Shanhaikwan | Davies & Brooke | 18 | | |
| N of 770 & 770 | Sinza | do. | 13 | | |

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

### CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

### 工部局承攬信章程

一、所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二、承攬者須自有本局各項章程

三、行文之後必須用國語

四、本局有權保留承攬人之權

五、本局有權取消承攬人之權

六、所有承攬人到局公信及辦理公事之人必須用國語

本局有權定價承辦本局各項工程

本局有權定價必須是極利益

本局有權保留承攬人之權

本局有權取消承攬人之權

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2574.**

**REPATRIATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.**

**WHEREAS** since the declaration of war by the Republic of China on the Empires of Germany and Austria-Hungary, the Subjects of the said former Empires (hereinafter called "Enemy Subjects") have been suffered to remain within the confines of the said Republic, under permits issued, within the limits of the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, by the Municipal Council. **And Whereas** by Mandate issued on the twenty-eighth day of January, 1919, bearing the seal of the President of the said Republic the repatriation of Enemy Subjects is duly ordered. **And Whereas** by Proclamation issued on the eleventh day of February, 1919, bearing the seal of the Commissioner of Defence for Sungkiang and Shanghai certain regulations are prescribed for giving effect to the said Mandate. **And Whereas** the said Proclamation has been countersigned by the Senior Consul and by him transmitted to the Municipal Council with the request that the same be posted within the said Settlement. **And Whereas** the said request and a translation of the Proclamation are set forth at length in the Municipal Gazette published on the thirteenth day of February, 1919. **And Whereas** the Head Office for the Repatriation of Enemy Subjects referred to in the said Proclamation has been established at No. 121 Bubbling Well Road within the limits of the said Settlement with the assent of the Municipal Council as a measure of co-operation with the Chinese Government and for general convenience. **And Whereas** the said Proclamation has been countersigned and sealed by the Municipal Council and duly posted and for the peace and good order of the said Settlement certain instructions giving effect thereto have been duly communicated to Enemy Subjects resident within the limits of the said Settlement.

**Now therefore be it known** and let all such Enemy Subjects take note that the said instructions must be strictly obeyed. **Be it also known** and let all such Enemy Subjects who may fail for any reason to receive a copy of the said instructions or who may desire to make any enquiries in regard thereto or to claim exemption from repatriation under the provisions contained in the said Proclamation take note that they must make application forthwith at the Head Office for the Repatriation of Enemy Subjects above referred to. **Be it further known** and let all such Enemy Subjects take note and observe that failure to comply with the said instructions and with such further instructions and regulations as may be issued hereafter from time to time to give effect to the said Proclamation will render the delinquents liable to prosecution.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 13, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2571.**

**REGISTRATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.**

**(Amendment of Permit Conditions).**

NOTICE is hereby given that Conditions 2 and 3 of the permits issued to German and Austro-Hungarian subjects, in pursuance of the provisions of Municipal Notification No. 2466, have been amended to read as follows:—

*2.—Commencing on Thursday, February 13, 1919, the holder (if a male) is required to present himself in person daily, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. at the Police Station of his district in order to have his permit checked by the Police.*

*3.—On and after Thursday, February 13, the holder will not be permitted to change his or her address.*

On and after Thursday, February 13, all German and Austro-Hungarian male subjects of 16 years of age and upwards are, therefore, required to report to the Police daily, instead of twice weekly as at present, and this Condition and the other Conditions of the Permit must be strictly observed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2579.**

**REGISTRATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.**

**(Amendment of Permit Conditions)**

NOTICE is hereby given that an additional Condition has been added to the permits issued to German and Austro-Hungarian subjects, in pursuance of the provisions of Municipal Notification No. 2466, as follows:—

*4.—Commencing on Monday, February 24, 1919, the holder (if a female) is required to present herself in person between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. three times each week (i.e., on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays) at the Police Station of her district in order to have her permit checked by the Police.*

On and after Monday, February 24, all German and Austro-Hungarian female subjects of 16 years of age and upwards are, therefore, required to report to the Police thrice weekly, and this Condition and the other Conditions of the Permit must be strictly observed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 20, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2583.**

**BUILDING PERMITS AND ELECTRICAL OVERHEAD CABLES AND FIXTURES.**

TO prevent the serious interference with electric cables, wires or fixtures which is caused by contractors during building operations, the following clause has been added to all Building Permits and will be strictly enforced from March 1:—

*That at least three days' notice be given in writing to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager of the Municipal Electricity Department before any scaffolding or scaffold poles be erected, if such scaffolding or scaffold poles when erected will be within three feet of any electric cables, wires or fixtures. The person to whom the permit is issued will be held responsible for any damage or interruption to supply which may be caused by the erection of the structure for which the permit is granted.*

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 27, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2584.**

**FREEDOM OF SHANGHAI.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Certificate of the admission of Mr. E. C. Pearce as a Freeman of the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, drawn up and signed in accordance with Resolution XI passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers held on March 27, 1918, and the casket in which it is to be placed will be presented to Mr. Pearce at the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Ratepayers.

This Certificate and photographs of the casket may be viewed at the Revenue Office, 7A The Bund, where sheets for signature by supporters of the aforesaid Resolution may be signed by Ratepayers until March 29, 1919.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 27, 1919.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2586.**

**INFLUENZA.**

**Spread by Droplets Sprayed from Nose and Throat.**

OWING to the prevalence of Influenza the following precautions are advised:—

Avoid crowds and gatherings of all kinds.

Especially avoid people who cough and sneeze without covering with a handkerchief.

Wear a mask to prevent infection (a pattern may be obtained at the Health Office) or tie a handkerchief round the mouth and nose or hold a handkerchief to the nose and mouth when there is danger.

If you get Influenza go to bed and stay there until the doctor permits getting up and so avoid the dangerous complication of Pneumonia Do not allow anyone to come near unless wearing a mask or at least a handkerchief round the nose and mouth.

The above applies also to colds, bronchitis, pneumonia and tuberculosis.

The usual symptoms of Influenza are sudden chill, followed by muscular pain, headache, backache, unusual tiredness and fever.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, March 5. 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2587.**

**ROAD PLANS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that plans showing new roads, extension and widening of existing roads, and extension of lands already occupied by public works and for purposes of sanitation, in the Five Districts of the Settlement, as required in Articles VI and VIA of the Land Regulations, are now open to inspection at the Public Works Office. Copies thereof, when prepared, will be sent to the several Consular-Land Offices.

Landowners and agents are reminded that, under the provisions of Land Regulation VIA proprietors have the right, for three months after the publication of notice that the plans are open to inspection, to protest in writing against any road, extension or widening of road, or extension of public works, or establishment of sanitary building or works, therein scheduled, following thereafter the procedure laid down in that Regulation.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary*

Council Room,

Shanghai, March 6, 1919

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2588.**

**7% (SHORT TERM) LOAN 1918.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for debentures in this loan will close on Saturday, March 15

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, March 6. 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2589.**

**TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.**

To facilitate the control of traffic, the following regulations with regard to vehicles picking up and setting down passengers at the Town Hall, Clubs, and Theatres are re-published for general information:—

(1) *Town Hall.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles will set down their passengers facing westward and will draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Empty vehicles will rank in the Kwangse and Kweichow Roads and will take up passengers facing westward and will leave in the same direction.

(2) *Shanghai Race Club.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing westward, and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank in Myburgh and Mohawk Roads, also a single rank in front of the Race Club's premises. All vehicles will take up passengers facing westward and leave in the same direction.

(3) *Lyceum Theatre.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing northward, and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank in Soochow Road, with front of vehicles facing Museum Road. Vehicles will enter from the north end of Museum Road and take up passengers facing southward and leave in the same direction.

(4) *Victoria Theatre.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing eastward, and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank in Haining Road, and take up passengers facing westward, and leave in the same direction.

(5) *Apollo Theatre*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers approaching from the south may set down facing northward, and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank in Haining Road, and a single line on North Szechuen Road, north of the entrance; the latter will take up passengers facing southward and leave in the same direction.

(6) *Shanghai Club.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing southward and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank on the east side of the Bund and take up passengers facing northward and leave in the same direction.

(7) *Masonic Club.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing northward, and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank on the east side of the Bund, and take up passengers facing southward, and leave in the same direction.

(8) *Olympic Theatre.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing eastward and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank in Burkill Road, and a single line on the north side of Bubbling Well Road, west of the entrance, and take up passengers facing eastward and leave in the same direction.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, March 13, 1919.

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**AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Wednesday, March 12, 1919, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—**

***Present*:**

**Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)**
**J. H. Dollar**

***Absent*:**

**Mr. T. Ibukiyama**

**The meeting adjourned at 12.45 p.m.**

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**AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, March 12, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—**

***Present*:**

**Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)**
**A. Howard**
**J. Johnstone**
**H. A. J. Macray**
**W. L. Merriman**
**Ed. White**

***Absent*:**

**Messrs. J. H. Dollar**
**E. I. Ezra**
**T. Ibukiyama**

**The meeting adjourned at 5.15 p.m.**

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**Volunteer Corps.**

Retired rank of Major, with the right to wear the prescribed uniform, has been conferred on Captain W. M. Dowdall (retired) in consideration of long and valued service in the Corps.

**Stray Dogs.**

Correspondence with the Shanghai Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals on the subject of the provision of new kennels adjoining the Yangtszepoo Police Station and for improvement of the existing kennels at the Gordon Road Station:—

Shanghai, November 30 1918.

SIR,—I understand from the Captain Superintendent of Police that a request has been made to the Shanghai Municipal Council for

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the provision, during 1919, of new kennels for the stray dogs at Gordon Road Police Station and that alternate schemes are provided for; the first, comprising entire rebuilding with a roof provided, the second, to provide six large kennels only.

My Committee desire me to submit for your consideration the following remarks and they trust that the Council will understand that such remarks are made in no spirit of criticism or of interference with Municipal matters, but they desire to put forward the claims of those dumb animals who cannot speak for themselves if such can be done without trespassing on the Council's prerogatives

My Committee feel strongly that the time has come when better provision should be made for the stray dogs and for that reason would respectfully urge the Council to adopt the major scheme, the reason being that in this climate of great extremes dogs are liable to suffer—through no fault of their own—unwarranted tortures in Summer owing to the presence of "ticks."

I am informed by the police officer in charge that in the hot months he has spent hours picking "ticks" out of one dog alone, which in 3 days' time is as bad as ever and nearly every dog is dead lame after being in the kennels for three days. As many of the dogs are kept in the kennels for a month and cannot walk about, it is unnecessary for me to further enlarge on what they must undergo.

The only way, I understand, to eliminate this is to have the kennels entirely enclosed and so prevent the access of "tick" flies as is done at Messrs. Keylock and Pratt's establishment, where I understand the trouble from "ticks" is reduced to a minimum.

Again, during the intense cold weather the only protection the dogs have at present is a canvas covering over the front of the cage, which for a dog treated as a pet at home is certainly a great hardship.

My Committee feel so strongly on the matter that they would be prepared, if the same met with the Council's approval, to make a contribution towards the cost, which I understand would be somewhere in the neighbourhood of Tls. 3,000.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
K. E. NEWMAN,
*Hon. Sec. and Hon. Treas.,*
*S. S. P. C. A.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, February 10, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to refer to your letter of November 30, 1918, in regard to the need for improvement in the housing of stray dogs captured by the Police, and to inform you that the Council has decided to make provision in the Budget for this year for an estimated expenditure of Tls 7,000 for the construction of new kennels adjoining the Yangtszepoo Police Station and for improvement of the existing kennels at the Gordon Road Station.

The Council gladly accepts the offer of your Society to make a contribution towards the cost and as the Budget will shortly be printed for presentation to the Ratepayers, I am directed to request that you may kindly inform me of the amount which your Society intends to contribute.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

K. E. NEWMAN, Esq.
Hon. Secretary and Treasurer,
Shanghai Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

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Shanghai, February 27, 1919.

SIR,—In reply to your letter of the 10th instant I have to inform you that my Committee have directed me to say that they are prepared to contribute a sum of Tls. 1,000 towards the cost of the new kennels.

In order to avoid interfering with investments my Committee would be glad if the Council would accept payment in two instalments of Tls. 500 each; the first to be paid during the month of April, and the second when the kennels are completed.

My Committee in making this contribution feel sure that the Council will permit properly accredited members of the Society to make occasional visits to the kennels and trust the Council will give due consideration to any suggestions that may be made by the Society from time to time as to the administration of the kennels in question.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
K. E. NEWMAN,
*Hon. Sec. and Hon. Treas.,*
*S. S. P. C. A.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai March 7, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 27, containing a definite offer by your Society to contribute a sum of Tls. 1,000, in two instalments of Tls. 500 each, towards the cost of improved housing for stray dogs captured by the Police.

In reply, I am directed to convey to you the Council's appreciation of this generous offer, and to state that any suggestions regarding the administration of the kennels which the Society may submit from time to time will receive the Council's careful consideration: it should, however, be clearly understood by the members of the Society that no actual form of control can be shared by them in return for the contribution in question.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant.
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

K. E. NEWMAN, Esq.
Hon. Secretary and Treasurer,
Shanghai Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

## Tramways.

*Railless Service.*—Further correspondence with Mr. G. E. Tucker in continuation of that published in the Gazette of January 16:—

Shanghai, February 13, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your esteemed favour of January 10, replying to my letter of November 24, and my further letter of November 26, covering a petition signed by numerous ratepayers and myself, and to note that the Council finds itself unable to acquiesce in the protest against the further use of Peking Road for railless trams.

The concluding paragraph of your letter, however, to the purport that it is not the intention of the Council to grant any monopoly with regard to passenger transport in favour of the Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld., seems to cover the ground which was intended by the second portion of the protest, and while I am not authorized to speak for any other signer of the protest other than in the terms of the protest, it seems to me that the Council's statement in this respect may be regarded as satisfactory to those who are opposed to seeing the transportation facilities of this community given away, any further than at present, except after discussion by and sanction of the Ratepayers as provided by the Land Regulations.

I would call the Council's attention to the fact that in the same speech which is cited as authority for the present concession for railless trams the chairman used the following language:—

> "We confidently assume your assent to this and to such further reasonable development of the system, as a feature of the tramway concession, as the Council may think fit to approve from time to time."

The tramway concession, originally given to the Shanghai Electric Construction Co., does not in any way include railless trams and is essentially monopolistic, in its terms, and the above quoted speech if taken in connexion with the disavowal of monopolistic intent mentioned in your letter of January 10 to me would seem to make it desirable that the Council's attitude be more clearly stated.

I would ask, moreover, with reference to the second paragraph of your letter, whether it is the Council's considered contention that the mentioning of a project by the Chairman of the Council at a ratepayers' meeting which is not debated and which under the rules adapted under Resolution 3 at the ratepayers' meeting in 1916 apparently cannot be debated, is to be construed as giving effective consent to any proposition that may be set forth. This contention, if it can be sustained would seem to establish a dangerous precedent, and it would appear that a clear statement of the Council's attitude in this matter is desirable.

I have the honour to remain,
Yours faithfully,
G. E. TUCKER.
The SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, February 27, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 13 on the subject of the Railless Tram Service and in reply to re-affirm that in sanctioning the railless extension along the Peking Road or in sanctioning any other extension of the railless service the Council does not grant any monopoly in regard to passenger transport in favour of the Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld., nor has it any intention of doing so. In the Council's opinion no clearer statement could possibly be made in regard to the Council's attitude towards the question of extension of the railless tram service.

In reply to the question contained in the concluding paragraph of your letter, I am directed to point out that Resolution IV passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers held in 1916 provided for the adoption of the Report for the year ended December 31, 1915, that the question of extension of the railless system was raised in such Report and that it is accordingly the Council's considered contention that it was competent to the Ratepayers assembled at that Meeting to discuss this question. Apart from this consideration, however, I am to point out that it would be quite impracticable that every intended action of the Council should be made the subject of a separate resolution at the Ratepayers' meetings though the Council adopts this course in preference to mere mention of its intentions when in its opinion the matter is such as to require a separate resolution.

In conclusion I am directed to inform you that in order to avoid any suggestion in the future, that the Ratepayers have not had a proper opportunity of expressing their views on extension of the railless tram system, the Council has decided to seek the specific directions of the Ratepayers, by separate resolution at the forthcoming Meeting, as to whether or not the matter of extensions shall be left to the Council's discretion or whether each proposed extension shall be submitted for the approval of the Ratepayers before definite consent thereto is accorded by the Council.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

G. E. TUCKER, Esq.

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MARCH 8

*Police Force.*—Sub-Inspector C. Mills, returned from war service, resumed duty on February 19.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. C Cazier, Surveying Assistant, from June 21.

*Educational Department.*—Mr. G. H. Parkes is appointed School Keeper and Assistant Boxing Instructor in the Public School for Boys on three months' probation from March 3.

Mrs. H. McKenna, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls is permitted to terminate her service on March 31.

Mrs. F. W. Snape, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is transferred to be temporary Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls from April 1.

*Finance Department.*—Mr. H. M. Mann, Acting Deputy Treasurer, is appointed Assistant Treasurer from October 12, 1918, under a new agreement terminable at three months' notice.

*Revenue Office.*—Collector E. Mellows, returned from war service, resumed duty on March 1. He is appointed Assistant Licensing Inspector from that date under a new agreement terminable at three months' notice.

## Public Band.

On Sunday next, March 16, at 4.30 p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

1. Overture "Hunyadi Laszlo" Erkel
2. Trio for Piano, Violin and Cello Saint-Saëns
   (*a*) Preambule
   (*b*) Menuet
   (*c*) Intermezzo
   (*d*) Finale
   (*The Moscow Trio*)
3. "Czardas" Grossmann
4. Piano Concerto Grieg
   1st movement only
   (Solo: Mr. A. CHEMELNITZKI)
5. Selection from "Samson and Dalila" Saint-Saëns

A. DE KEYGER,
*Conductor-in-Charge.*

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, March 9, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 19 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 |
| Influenza | — | 34 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 1 | 0 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 187 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 25 | Jinkee | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | altns. & addns. |
| 39 | Kiukiang | do. | | | altns. |
| 128 | Peking | E. D. Sassoon & Co. | | 1 | |
| 16 | Peking and Yuenming-yuen. | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | altns. |
| 27 | Yuenming-yuen | Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld. | | | bridge |
| Unreg. S of 916 | Chaoufoong | Sing King Kee | | | 8 sheds, kitchen & latrine |
| 7293 | Seoul | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | bunding |
| 7209 | Ward | S. J. Powell | | 1 | chimney |
| 2460 | Yangtszepoo | Ewo Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| 3007 | Carter | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | watchman's lodge |
| 4709 | Macao | Nagai Wata Kaisha | | | addns. |
| 4595 & 4580 | W. Soochow | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | 6 | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 292 | N. Chekiang | Foo Koong | | | addns. |
| Unreg. N of 8880 | Sungpan | P. Y. Tsau | 5 | | |
| Unreg. W of 1270 | Tongshan | P. Tilley | 3 | | |
| Unreg. W of 7100 | Ward | Ah Sing | 1 | | |
| 458 | Chengtu | Zee Tsze Foong | 4 | | |

## Fire Brigade Report for January.

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 18, as against 50 for the corresponding period last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 49,525 (Foreign Tls. 40,175, Chinese Tls. 9,350) as against Tls. 43,800 (Foreign Tls. 15,500, Chinese Tls. 28,300) during January 1918. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 196,500 (Foreign Tls. 134,000, Chinese Tls. 62,500) as against Tls. 1,003,200 (Foreign Tls. 840,700, Chinese Tls. 162,500) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Police 7, Telephone 5, Watch Towers 3 and Street alarms 3.

The general alarm was given on 10 occasions, the remaining 8 being station calls.

These calls proved to be 1 large fire, 14 small fires, 2 false alarms and 1 fire outside the Settlement.

The supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—

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|---|---|
| Sparks from stove | 4 |
| Lamp upset | 2 |
| Arson | 3 |
| Lighted candle upset | 1 |
| Defective flue | 1 |

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|---|---|
| Clothing in contact with foot warmer | 1 |
| Naked light in contact with gasolene vapour | 1 |
| Unknown | 3 |

The premises affected were:—

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|---|---|
| Foreign buildings | 4 |
| Chinese buildings | 32 |

Of these two houses were destroyed by fire and 32 others were more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The water used at fires during the month was 392,741 gallons.

The Brigade was occupied 15 hours and 45 minutes at fires, or supposed fires, and the Staff was employed a further 468 hours watching and damping down.

Unfortunately three lives were lost and six other persons injured at a fire which occurred at No. VV 383 Amoy Road on January 13 attended by the Brigade.

The fires of note during the month were:—

*15 B. Jessfield Road, January 7—11.58 p.m.*—No. 7 Company found an outbuilding occupied by Mr. Wen Tsung-yao full of smoke, and material alight between the ceiling of the ground floor and the wood floor above. When this floor was opened up a large quantity of oil soaked cotton was found, more particularly in the north-west corner. A box was discovered under the stairs, and in an opening in the lath and plaster lining of the under side of the staircase a further quantity of oil soaked cotton was found.

Apparently it was an attempt on Mr. Wen's life, some persons knowing that he would be upstairs, got over the wall, forced the iron bars from one of the windows, got inside, made these preparations, and after setting fire to the building made a hurried escape. Fortunately the premises were fairly airtight, and the fire was retarded sufficiently for the Brigade to make a good stop. The material damage was slight.

*VV383 Amoy Road, January 13—2.28 a.m.*—On arrival the Brigade found a small shop on the west side of Amoy Road well alight on the ground and first floors. Lines of hose were laid and the fire easily checked. A considerable time after the arrival of the Brigade it was reported that there had been loss of life, and it was discovered that 3 women, 2 men and 1 boy had been injured either by burns or by jumping from the first floor. Three of these were conveyed to Shantung Road Hospital by the Brigade. As soon as possible the building was searched, and the body of a girl was found in the front room on the first floor, and the bodies of a boy aged 10 years and a girl aged 6 years in the back room on the ground floor.

The fire was caused by a lamp being upset during a quarrel.

*W163-4 Kweichow Road, January 22—4.10 a.m.*—Two shops in Kweichow Road opposite the west side of the Town Hall were found to be well alight. Difficulty was experienced with some of the hydrants which were frozen. The flames swept across the road and ignited some of the window sashes of the Town Hall, cracked the glass, and set fire to one of the curtains inside. The sashes were dealt with by a jet outside. The Town Hall staff extinguished the curtain fire with buckets of water.

One house was gutted and 5 damaged.

*9 Kiaochow Road, Arts and Crafts Factory, January 25, 9.50 p.m.*—At 9.50 p.m. a call was received from the Police for a fire at No. 9 Kiaochow Road, and on arrival the Brigade found the west end of the Arts and Crafts Factory building in flames and already doomed.

Every endeavour was made to prevent the fire from crossing the yard, and to tackle the main building. The fire was successfully confined to this building, but some stacks of timber in the yard close to the building were more or less damaged.

The Brigade were handicapped by the water pressure, this did not improve for some considerable time, and between 3,000 and 4,000 feet of hose had to be used.

By 11 p.m. a stop was effected. Unfortunately the Brigade received a very late call. It is alleged that the Watchman on the premises was asleep, and the first intimation of the fire was received from a trooper who galloped to Bubbling Well Road Police Station. The factory building was practically destroyed.

M. W. PETT,
*Chief Officer.*

**RECORD OF CALLS.**

| Date | Call: Time of | Call: How received | Alarm given | Locality | District: Municipal | District: Fire | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire: Brigade | Time at fire: Staff | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. 1 | 2.22 a.m. | Sinza Tower | Station | Chapei | Outside | | | | 50 minutes | | |
| 3 | 12.47 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | 24 Jessfield Rd | Western | 7 | Foreign | 1 damaged | 30 ,, | | |
| 3 | 2.14 a.m. | Wayside Police | ,, | JH 504 off Kwenming Rd. | Eastern | 1 | Chinese | 1 ,, | 30 ,, | 16 hours | |
| 5 | 4.30 a.m. | West Hongkew Police | General | IB 165-6 North Thibet Road | Northern | 8 | ,, | 7 ,, | 85 ,, | 62 ,, | |
| 7 | 1.29 p.m. | Street Alarm | ,, | B 171 Sinza Rd. | Western | 7 | ,, | 1 ,, | 30 ,, | 71 ,, | |
| 7 | 11.58 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | 15B Jessfield Road | ,, | 7 | Foreign | 1 ,, | 35 ,, | 65 ,, | |
| 10 | 12.39 a.m. | Louza Police | ,, | U 881 off Peking Rd. | Central | 6 | Chinese | 2 ,, | 80 ,, | 112 ,, | |
| 13 | 2.28 a.m. | Central Tower | ,, | Vv 383 Amoy Road | ,, | 6 | ,, | 5 ,, | 70 ,, | 15 ,, | 3 lives lost and 6 persons injured |
| 13 | 5.00 a.m. | ,, | ,, | Z203 Kwangse Rd. | ,, | 5 | ,, | 3 ,, | 55 ,, | 12 ,, | |
| 16 | 9.09 p.m. | Street Alarm | Station | Sinza/Markham Rds. | Western | 7 | | | 10 ,, | | False Alarm |
| 18 | 3.05 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Bubbling/Mohawk Rds. | ,, | 7 | | | 10 ,, | | do. |
| 18 | 7.16 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | QA 213 off South Chengtu Road | ,, | 7 | Chinese | 1 damaged | 35 ,, | 3 hours | |
| 22 | 4.10 a.m. | ,, | General | W 163-4 Kweichow Rd | Central | 5 | ,, | 1 destroyed 5 damaged | 85 ,, | 36 ,, | |
| 22 | 10.55 a.m. | Police Box 7 | ,, | J 418 Avenue Edward VII | ,, | 4 | ,, | 4 damaged | 50 ,, | 30 ,, | |
| 25 | 9.50 p.m. | Central Police | ,, | 9 Kiaochow Road | Western | 7 | Foreign | 1 destroyed | 3½ hours | 42 ,, | |
| 30 | 2.34 p.m. | Harbin Rd Police | Station | CH 53 off Harbin Rd. | Eastern | 1 | Chinese | | 15 minutes | | |
| 31 | 1.55 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | AA 8 off Old China Street | Northern | 2 | ,, | 1 damaged | 30 ,, | 4 hours | |
| 31 | 11.25 p.m. | Yangtszepoo Police | General | 1 Thorburn Road | Eastern | 1 | Foreign | | 35 ,, | | |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

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**Report of Captain-Superintendent of Police for February.**

Strength of the Force on February 28.

| | | |
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| Officers | 6 | |
| Foreigners | 144 | |
| Japanese | 28 | |
| Sikhs | 526 | |
| Chinese | 1,468 | |
| | | 2,172 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 81 | |
| Followers | 219 | |
| | | 300 |
| | Total | 2,472 |

*Armed Robberies.*—During the month four reports were made of armed robbery from houses in the Settlement. This is the lowest number of armed robberies reported during this particular month for the past five years. In connexion with these reports one man was arrested and is at present under remand awaiting trial

Two reports were received of unsuccessful attempts at armed robbery, one of which occurred in the West Hongkew and the other in the Sinza district.

One case of armed highway robbery and attempted murder was reported in the West Hongkew district. In this connexion three persons were arrested and are at present under remand.

One report was also received from the Wayside district of a highway robbery in which no arms were used.

During the month thirty-five persons were arrested in connexion with cases of armed robbery which occurred and were reported to the Police prior to February 1, 1919. All were dealt with by the Mixed Court. Twenty were remitted to the Court of the Military Governor of Sungkiang and Shanghai, four were sent to the Chinese City Authorities, five were sentenced to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol, four were expelled from the Settlement whilst the charges against two were dismissed.

Of the ten persons referred to in last month's report as being under remand at the end of January, eight were convicted on charges of armed robbery and sent to the Court of the Military Governor, one was released on security whilst the charge against another was not proceeded with.

The twelve persons referred to as being under remand at the end of December 1918 on charges of armed robbery are still awaiting sentence.

*Murder.*—Two cases of murder have to be recorded during the month, one of the victims being an ex-Governor who was shot and fatally wounded by a pistol bullet fired at him by a bystander whilst riding in a ricsha along Shanhaikwan Road at about 9 a.m. on February 8. The other was that of a child who died as the result of injuries received from being thrown to the ground by its mother in a fit of insanity from the window of a house in Dalny Road.

A case of attempted double murder and suicide occurred on February 22 at a house in Yalu Road wherein an Annamite Constable, with a service revolver, fired at and inflicted bullet wounds on an American engineer and a Chinese female on the morning of February 22. The Annamite, who was in the employ of the Police of the French Settlement, had finished duty a short time previously and wore his Police uniform beneath a tweed overcoat. The would-be murderer committed suicide by firing a bullet which entered his mouth and came out at the back of his head.

*Executions.*—During the month seven men, who were found guilty of having committed armed robbery in the Settlement, were executed at Loongwha in the presence of a representative of the Municipal Police.

*Mikimoto Pearl Case.*—About $58,000 worth of property out of an estimated value of $63,000 stolen from the Mikimoto Pearl Shop on Nanking Road between the night of December 9 and the morning of December 10 has now been recovered by the Police. The two men, Jimbetsky and Zilberstein, who were arrested on a charge of breaking into the above-mentioned premises were, as already reported, remitted to the District Court of Vladivostock for trial on January 11. Nothing further was heard of the case until the early morning of March 3 when Zilberstein was detected in the Public Gardens carrying off the property which he had dug out of the ground in which it had been buried.

It may be well in this connexion to draw attention to the necessity of having something done to hedge restrictions around Siberian criminals who reach Shanghai by the Tientsin-Pukow and Shanghai-Nanking Railways.

*Reports of Property Stolen.*—During the month 346 reports of property stolen were made at the various Stations. Enquiries were made with successful results in 116 of these cases.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 326 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 105 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 105 records were received from the French Police out of which number 51 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
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| For identification | 431 |
| Identified | 156 |
| Percentage | 38 |

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| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 8 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 22 |
| | 30 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 7.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 157 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 64 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 41 | *Second offenders.* |
| 15 | *Third offenders.* |
| 4 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 45 | *Habitual offenders* (serious) |
| 326 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for February.*

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|---|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed for the Public Works Department | Tls. | Nil |
| *Less.* | | Nil |
| Total | Tls. | Nil |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the Public Works Department | Tls. | 1,140.42 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | | 555.34 |
| Total | Tls. | 585.08 |
| Grand Total earned by Convict Labour | Tls. | 585.08 |

**Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.**

E. I. M. BARRETT,
*for Captain-Superintendent of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

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|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:*— | |
| Absent from ship without leave | 2 |
| Assault | 3 |
| Writing a disrespectful letter to Foreign Consul | 1 |
| 2.—*Offences against property:*— | |
| Larceny | 1 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:*— | |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:*— | |
| Bakery | 1 |
| Dogs | 2 |
| Fire-arms, carrying | 1 |
| House Refuse | 1 |
| Nuisance | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 1 |
| Morphia, selling | 1 |
| Riding a bicycle after sunset without a light | 1 |
| Total | 16 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 2,308 | 2,308 |
| Others | 30 | 856 | 886 |
| Total | 30 | 3,164 | 3,194 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Dismissed | 2 |
| Fined | 9 |
| Imprisonment | 2 |
| Remanded | 2 |
| Revolver confiscated | 1 |
| Total | 16 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 907 | 256 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 907 | 256 |

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PRISONERS IN CUSTODY
on Febuary 28.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 6 |
| Louza Station | 28 |
| Hongkew Station | 9 |
| Harbin Road Station | 4 |
| West Hongkew Station | 24 |
| Wayside Station | 7 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 1 |
| Sinza Station | 1 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 1 |
| Gordon Road Station | 2 |
| Gaol | 1,638 |
| Reformatory | 119 |
| Total | 1,840 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN
February 1 and February 28.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 36,840.32 |
| Recovered | 19,093.71 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 31. 1. 19. | 41 | 312 |
| Captured | 271 | |
| Returned | 52 | 312 |
| Killed | 216 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 3 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 41 | |

## Health Officer's Report for February.

The condition of the Public Health continued remarkably good until towards the end of the month when there were signs of a recrudescence of Influenza.

Recrudescences of Influenza are to be expected. The last great epidemic which broke out thirty years ago occurred at intervals from 1889 to 1894, with a maximum incidence in 1891. There seems to be no essential difference between the past and the present epidemics. Both originated in the east and spread over the world within a year travelling generally from east to west. Like Measles, Influenza is most infectious during the early stage and the importance of late carriers in spreading the disease is doubtful. The infection is of extreme communicability and nearly always from person to person, being rapidly destroyed outside the infected person. The rapidity of spread from one place to another is only limited by the means of transportation of persons. Specific vaccines against Influenza are so far without value but the outlook is hopeful against the secondary pneumonia which is the main factor of danger.

The only measures which have, so far, proved effective in controlling Influenza are limitation of crowding, education of the public in preventive measures, early isolation at home or in hospital and the wearing of masks.

The limitation of crowding requires perhaps some explanation. In big cities, and this would especially apply to Shanghai, it has been found that the closing of schools, churches, cinemas, etc., made little or no difference, as the majority of people readily found other ways of congregating in big cities. Theoretically, schools increase contact between children. But, if schools are closed and children are not kept strictly at home or under special supervision, they tend to loaf about and make more contacts than if at school. In a well ventilated and heated school, with teachers on the look out for pupils with colds, fever and aching limbs, whom they should immediately exclude from school for at least a week, there is no need for closing. In the case of schools with boarders it may become necessary to exclude day scholars. The condition in rural districts is different, for there the closing of schools may stop spread of disease. Should closing be considered advisable the closing of non-essential gatherings such as cinemas, theatres, churches and public funerals should first be dealt with.

The education of the public in preventive health measures is of first importance, as responsibility in the control of Influenza rests chiefly on the individual. People should remain at home on a suspicion of Influenza, even if only a cold, which may often be a mild case of Influenza. If each individual were to realize his personal responsibility more good would be accomplished than in any other way.

Early isolation is advisable, not necessarily in hospital but at home. It is the duty of every person as soon as he suspects that he is developing the disease to retire immediately to his home and all cases at home should be isolated so far as possible from the rest of the family. So far quarantine has not been effective in preventing the spread of the disease round the world.

It is recommended that face masks be worn by all persons who must of necessity come in contact with known cases of Influenza. This measure is particularly valuable for nurses and for the well members of the family in which cases of Influenza exist. These masks are conveniently and cheaply made of four thicknesses of soft cotton gauze or butter cloth folded large enough to cover the nose and mouth and reach well across the cheek towards the ears, behind which it is fixed by loops of tape. The ends of the mask should be slightly gathered together. The same side should be worn against the mouth. The use of a gauze and cotton wool pad mask closely applied to the face, which acted as a germ filter much in the same way as a wool plug in a culture tube, was found to effectually protect those in the hospital at Mukden from getting Pneumonic Plague during the Manchurian epidemic. The San Francisco mask is a much lighter form of respirator, which, if carefully used, should prove effectual. Under compulsory conditions recently in California the results have not been conclusive. They were used in the streets and in the open air, where possibility of infection was slight, to avoid a fine; and laid on one side when in close association with friends indoors, in private offices, and in the very places where danger of infection was greatest. There seems to be a great future as regards prevention of the very large group of respiratory infections in the use of some sort of pocket respirator to filter off infection under circumstances of special danger.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work including a special summary of Plague Prevention, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign. | | Chinese. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Resident | Non-resident. | |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 5 | 1 | 79 |
| Beri-beri | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| Influenza | 1 | 0 | 10 |
| From all causes | 31 | 8 | 602 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 4 |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 4 |
| Diphtheria | 2 |
| Dysentery | 6 |
| Cerebro Spinal Fever | 1 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases Admitted—Diphtheria | 1 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 2 |
| Beri-beri | 0 | 1 |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Other Diseases | 23 | 24 |
| Discharged | 16 | 25 |
| Died | 0 | 2 |
| Remaining last day of month | 20 | 27 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 8,460 |
| Bacterial " " | 249 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 10 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 380 |
| Analyses | 25 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted. | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 23 | 1 |
| Surgical | 26 | 0 |
| Maternity | 10 | 1 |
| Mental | 5 | 0 |
| Infectious | 1 | 0 |
| Total | 65 | 2 |

REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.

Sample received February 28, 1919.

Report sent out March 4, 1919.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.

Physical Characters.—Yellowish green colour with considerable opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 16.80 |
| (a) Volatile | 6.10 |
| (b) Fixed | 10.70 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 11.40 |
| (a) Temporary | 6.40 |
| (b) Permanent | 5.00 |
| Chlorine | 3.00 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0630 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0018 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0118 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° C. | 0.0340 |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° C. and 37° C. showed an average of 148 and 30 micro-organisms per cubic centimetre respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in all quantities tested from 0.25 c.c. and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Bacterial content above the average.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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### SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen | 1342 | 3 | 1342 | 0 | 1 |
| Sheep | 2335 | 3 | 2335 | 0 | 0 |
| Calves | 348 | 0 | 348 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs | 256 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

### SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 228 | 537 | 145 | 243 | 1153 |
| Rats plague infected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation | 3000 | 3000 | 2500 | 1400 | 9900 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 2360 | 2569 | 1778 | 1294 | 8001 |
| Poisoned baits laid | 102000 | 100800 | 45600 | 47700 | 296100 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier | 0 | 134 | 0 | 0 | 134 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

### GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox | 223 | 206 | 130 | 421 | 980 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 2 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 15 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 15 | 38 | 52 | 16 | 121 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 44 | 74 | 107 | 261 | 486 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 518 | 1,170 | 1,063 | 2,014 | 4,765 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 9 | 190 | 75 | 100 | 374 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Defective drainage amended | 29 | 35 | 43 | 19 | 126 |
| Insanitary wells abolished | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Proper water supply provided | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 15 | 2 | 16 | 5 | 38 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 25 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 11 | 20 | 0 | 31 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Offensive trade processes amended | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 7 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 17 | 8 | 3 | 6 | 34 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 37 | 62 | 100 | 52 | 251 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 7 | 10 | 15 | 32 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Notices of intention to proceed served | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 0 | 7 | 12 | 17 | 36 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 240 | 228 | 225 | 440 | 1,133 |
| Outside hawkers licensed | 375 | 462 | 358 | 255 | 1,450 |
| Food prosecutions | 0 | 16 | 16 | 6 | 38 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 0 | 55 | 12 | 3 | 70 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 5 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,514 | 2,657 | 3,100 | 2,906 | 12,177 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 8,067 | 3,665 | 2,330 | 1,824 | 15,886 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 1,405 | 504 | 63 | 152 | 2,124 |

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

### CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

### 工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 凡有份承保承攬本局各項本局承攬利益全份項

三 行業有份本局有份之價承承攬價目目之產業有之產業

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## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 129 | Bean Oil, during 12 months from April 1<br>800 to 900 Catties per mensem | — | March 17 |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 490 | Supply of Tools | — | April 7 |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 184 | 14 Miles of Triple Braid Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | March 20 |
| 185 | 13 ,, Vulcanised Cable and Wire | Tls. 5 | ,, 20 |
| 186 | 90 3-phase Induction Motors<br>Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 26 |

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## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice:—

That a Public Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall on Wednesday, April 9, 1919, at 2 o'clock p.m. precisely, to devise ways and means of raising the requisite funds for Municipal purposes, and to pass resolutions in reference thereto and to deliberate and decide upon other Municipal matters and business. At such meeting the accounts of the Council for the year ending December 31, 1918, will be submitted for the sanction and approval of the Ratepayers.

Shanghai, March 19, 1919.

D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium.*
T. RAASCHOU,
*Consul-General for Denmark.*
A. ARIYOSHI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*
E. D. H. FRASER,
*Consul-General for Great Britain.*
V. GROSSE,
*Consul-General for Russia.*
J. E. HULTMAN,
*Consul-General for Sweden.*
THOMAS SAMMONS,
*Consul-General for the United States of America.*
J. H. DE RÉUS,
*Consul-General for the Netherlands.*
G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy.*
JORGE R D'OLIVEIRA,
*Consul-General for Portugal.*
JORGE R. D'OLIVEIRA,
*In charge of Cuban Consulate.*
H. A. WILDEN,
*Acting Consul-General for France.*
T. KNUDTZON,
*Acting Consul-General for Norway.*
HUGO REISS,
*Consul for Brazil.*
JULIO PALENCIA,
*Consul for Spain.*

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2574.

### REPATRIATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.

WHEREAS since the declaration of war by the Republic of China on the Empires of Germany and Austria-Hungary, the Subjects of the said former Empires (hereinafter called "Enemy Subjects") have been suffered to remain within the confines of the said Republic, under permits issued, within the limits of the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, by the Municipal Council. **And Whereas** by Mandate issued on the twenty-eighth day of January, 1919, bearing the seal of the President of the said Republic the repatriation of Enemy Subjects is duly ordered. **And Whereas** by Proclamation issued on the eleventh day of February, 1919, bearing the seal of the Commissioner of Defence for Sungkiang and Shanghai certain regulations are prescribed for giving effect to the said Mandate. **And Whereas** the said Proclamation has been countersigned by the Senior Consul and by him transmitted to the Municipal Council with the request that the same be posted within the said Settlement. **And Whereas** the said request and a translation of the Proclamation are set forth at length in the Municipal Gazette published on the thirteenth day of February, 1919. **And Whereas** the Head Office for the Repatriation of Enemy Subjects referred to in the said Proclamation has been established at No. 121 Bubbling Well Road within the limits of the said Settlement with the assent of the Municipal Council as a measure of co-operation with the Chinese Government and for general convenience. **And Whereas** the said Proclamation has been countersigned and sealed by the Municipal Council and duly posted and for the peace and good order of the said Settlement certain instructions giving effect thereto have been duly communicated to Enemy Subjects resident within the limits of the said Settlement.

**Now therefore be it known** and let all such Enemy Subjects take note that the said instructions must be strictly obeyed. **Be it also known** and let all such Enemy Subjects who may fail for any reason to receive a copy of the said instructions or who may desire to make any enquiries in regard thereto or to claim exemption from repatriation under the provisions contained in the said Proclamation take note that they must make application forthwith at the Head Office for the Repatriation of Enemy Subjects above referred to. **Be it further known** and let all such Enemy Subjects take note and observe that failure to comply with the said instructions and with such further instructions and regulations as may be issued hereafter from time to time to give effect to the said Proclamation will render the delinquents liable to prosecution.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 13, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2571.

### REGISTRATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.

**(Amendment of Permit Conditions).**

NOTICE is hereby given that Conditions 2 and 3 of the permits issued to German and Austro-Hungarian subjects, in pursuance of the provisions of Municipal Notification No. 2466, have been amended to read as follows:—

*2.—Commencing on Thursday, February 13, 1919, the holder (if a male) is required to present himself in person daily, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. at the Police Station of his district in order to have his permit checked by the Police.*

*3.—On and after Thursday, February 13, the holder will not be permitted to change his or her address.*

On and after Thursday, February 13, all German and Austro-Hungarian male subjects of 16 years of age and upwards are, therefore, required to report to the Police daily, instead of twice weekly as at present, and this Condition and the other Conditions of the Permit must be strictly observed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2579.

### REGISTRATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.

**(Amendment of Permit Conditions)**

NOTICE is hereby given that an additional Condition has been added to the permits issued to German and Austro-Hungarian subjects, in pursuance of the provisions of Municipal Notification No. 2466, as follows:—

*4.—Commencing on Monday, February 24, 1919, the holder (if a female) is required to present herself in person between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. three times each week (i.e., on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays) at the Police Station of her district in order to have her permit checked by the Police.*

On and after Monday, February 24, all German and Austro-Hungarian female subjects of 16 years of age and upwards are, therefore, required to report to the Police thrice weekly, and this Condition and the other Conditions of the Permit must be strictly observed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 20, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2586.

### INFLUENZA.

**Spread by Droplets Sprayed from Nose and Throat.**

OWING to the prevalence of Influenza the following precautions are advised:—

Avoid crowds and gatherings of all kinds.

Especially avoid people who cough and sneeze without covering with a handkerchief.

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Wear a mask to prevent infection (a pattern may be obtained at the Health Office) or tie a handkerchief round the mouth and nose or hold a handkerchief to the nose and mouth when there is danger.

If you get Influenza go to bed and stay there until the doctor permits getting up and so avoid the dangerous complication of Pneumonia. Do not allow anyone to come near unless wearing a mask or at least a handkerchief round the nose and mouth.

The above applies also to colds, bronchitis, pneumonia and tuberculosis.

The usual symptoms of Influenza are sudden chill, followed by muscular pain, headache, backache, unusual tiredness and fever.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 5, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2587.**

**ROAD PLANS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that plans showing new roads, extension and widening of existing roads, and extension of lands already occupied by public works and for purposes of sanitation, in the Five Districts of the Settlement, as required in Articles VI and VIA of the Land Regulations, are now open to inspection at the Public Works Office. Copies thereof, when prepared, will be sent to the several Consular Land Offices.

Landowners and agents are reminded that, under the provisions of Land Regulation VIA proprietors have the right, for three months after the publication of notice that the plans are open to inspection, to protest in writing against any road, extension or widening of road, or extension of public works, or establishment of sanitary building or works, therein scheduled, following thereafter the procedure laid down in that Regulation.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 6, 1919

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2589.**

**TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.**

To facilitate the control of traffic, the following regulations with regard to vehicles picking up and setting down passengers at the Town Hall, Clubs, and Theatres are re-published for general information:—

(1) *Town Hall.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles will set down their passengers facing westward and will draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Empty vehicles will rank in the Kwangse and Kweichow Roads and will take up passengers facing westward and will leave in the same direction.

(2) *Shanghai Race Club.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing westward, and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank in Myburgh and Mohawk Roads, also a single rank in front of the Race Club's premises. All vehicles will take up passengers facing westward and leave in the same direction.

(3) *Lyceum Theatre.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing northward, and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank in Soochow Road, with front of vehicles facing Museum Road. Vehicles will enter from the north end of Museum Road and take up passengers facing southward and leave in the same direction.

(4) *Victoria Theatre.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing eastward, and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank in Haining Road, and take up passengers facing westward, and leave in the same direction.

(5) *Apollo Theatre.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers approaching from the south may set down facing northward, and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank in Haining Road, and a single line on North Szechuen Road, north of the entrance; the latter will take up passengers facing southward and leave in the same direction.

(6) *Shanghai Club.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing southward and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.* Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank on the east side of the Bund and take up passengers facing northward and leave in the same direction.

(7) *Masonic Club.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing northward, and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank on the east side of the Bund, and take up passengers facing southward, and leave in the same direction.

(8) *Olympic Theatre.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing eastward and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank in Burkill Road, and a single line on the north side of Bubbling Well Road, west of the entrance, and take up passengers facing eastward and leave in the same direction.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 13, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2590.**

**TRAFFIC.**

THE Taiping Road Jetty will be closed to traffic during repairs, from Sunday, April 6, to Wednesday, April 16, inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 20, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Tuesday, March 11, 1919, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. W. Burkill *(Chairman)*
W. L. Merriman
S. B. Neill
P. Peebles
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 5.20 p.m.

AT the meeting of the special Waterworks Committee held on Friday, March 14, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
A. C. Clear
J. Johnstone
H. G. Simms

*Absent:*

Mr. E. I. Ezra

The meeting adjourned at 4.45 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, March 19, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
Ed. White

*Absent:*

Messrs. E. I. Ezra
T. Ibukiyama
J. Johnstone

The meeting adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

**Mrs. Horace Hanbury Memorial.**

Interchange of letters with the Chairman of the Working Committee, British Flower Shop, on the subject of the donation by the Committee and the Staff of the British Flower Shop of a clock to the Victoria Nursing Home as a memorial to the late Mrs. Horace Hanbury:—

Shanghai, March 12, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—When in November 1918, the Committee of the British Flower Shop suffered irreparable loss in the death of Mrs. Horace Hanbury, it was desired to place in one of the hospitals of the Settlement, some permanent Memorial to one who, by her devotion to the various activities inaugurated as a result of the World War, had lost her life.

The Matron of the Victoria Nursing Home was therefore consulted as to what form this Memorial should take.

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She reported that a clock which should be placed in the Ward, Victoria Nursing Home, reserved for the use of the men in His Majesty's Services, would be a comfort to the inmates and would be gratefully accepted

Such a clock, placed in a suitable case which bears an inscription on a silver plate, recording that it is the gift of the Committee and Staff of the British Flower Shop, has therefore been prepared and is now ready to be placed in the Ward.

My Committee will be grateful if the Shanghai Municipal Council will allow this donation to be placed in the said Ward, in acknowledgement of the services of one who, by her enthusiasm, energy, and determination was an inspiration to all with whom she worked

Believe me, Sir,

Faithfully yours

F. AYSCOUGH.

*Chairman, Working Committee, British Flower Shop.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,

Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 14, 1919.

MADAM,—I am directed to inform you that your letter of March 12 on behalf of the Working Committee of the British Flower Shop requesting the Council's acceptance of a clock donated by your Committee as a memorial to the late Mrs. Horace Hanbury, was submitted at the Council meeting on Wednesday last and in reply I am directed to convey to you an expression of the members' appreciation of this gift which will be gladly accepted, and to inform you that in accordance with the desires of your Committee the clock will be placed in position in the ward at the Victoria Nursing Home which is used by members of H.M. Services. If you will kindly arrange for delivery of the clock at the Victoria Nursing Home arrangements for it to be placed in position will be duly carried out.

**I am, Madam,**

**Your obedient servant,**

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Mrs. F. AYSCOUGH,

Chairman, Working Committee,
British Flower Shop.

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## Police Force.

*Foreign Branch, Quarters.*—Additional accommodation has been provided by arrangement with Messrs. Brandt and Rodgers for a lease of No. 5 Tsongchow Road for a period of three years terminating on March 1, 1922.

The lease of No. 8 Park Lane has been cancelled with effect from March 31, by mutual agreement with Messrs. The Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld.

The leases from Messrs. Brandt and Rodgers of Nos 1 and 6 Tsongchow Road have been renewed for a further period of two years terminating on March 1, 1921.

## Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Chemulpo Road.*—The offer of the Yangtsze Land and Finance Co., Ld. has been accepted to make free surrender of that part of Lot 5078 measuring Mow 0.197 which is required for the extension of this road.

*Chemulpo Road and Surplus Land.*—The offer of the Rev. J. T. Proctor of the American Baptist Foreign Mission Society, East China Mission, has been accepted to sell U. S. Lot 1629, Cad. Lot 5680, at the original purchase price including the Chinese houses thereon, $1,231.50. Of the area thus acquired, Mow 0.529 will be used for the road and two pieces of surplus land will remain measuring Mow 0.453 and Mow 0.041 respectively.

*Great Western Road.*—The claim of the Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. has been accepted for the scheduled area of Lot 2325, a sum of Tls. 400 for a net area of Mow 0.106.

*Yuyuen Road.*—The claim of Mrs. E. Murray has been accepted for widening this road ex B.C. Lot 9500 at the rate at which the land was purchased, viz: Tls. 1,753 per mow plus ten per cent. for compulsory surrender or a sum of Tls 291 for the area required measuring Mow 0.151.

## Parks and Open Spaces.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*—At the request of the Shanghai Junior Golf Club, it has been decided to include within the estimates for the current year a sum of Tls. 1,600 to provide for an additional bowling green for use by visitors to this recreation ground The new bowling green will be constructed on the vacant land at the north end of the park in proximity to that already in use.

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, March 16, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 28 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 1 |
| Influenza | — | 73 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 284 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MARCH 15

*Police Force.*—1st class Warder A. H. Chamberlain is invalided from March 12.

*Health Department.*—The service of Inspector M. A. Popp will terminate on March 10.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. W. Mitchell is appointed Clerk-of-Works on probation from March 10.

*Electricity Department.* — Long leave is granted, under medical certificate, to Miss G. L. Bateman, Correspondence Clerk, from March 15.

The appointment of Mains Engineer C. M. Perrin is confirmed under agreement from April 1, 1919.

Long leave is granted to Mr. J. E. Wilson, Electrical Assistant in Power Stations, from March 22.

*Legal Assistant.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. K. E Newman, from April 28.

*Revenue Office.*—The service of Collector H. Schroder terminated on March 10.

## Public Band.

On Sunday next, March 23, at 4.30 p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

1. Overture "Mignon" — Thomas
2. Concerto Trio — Beethoven
   (*a*) Allegro
   (*b*) Largo
   (*c*) Rondo a la Pollacca
   (*The Moscow Trio*)

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3. Symphonic Poem "Finlandia" — Sibelius
4. Violin Concerto — Tschaikowsky
   1st movement only
   (Solo: Mr V. SIROIDO)
5. "Scènes Pittoresques" — Massenet
   (*a*) Marche
   (*b*) Angelus
   (*c*) Fête Bohême

A. DE KRYGER,
*Conductor-in-Charge.*

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*Private Services.*—The charge for the services of the Band is Tls. 40, and of a Half-Band, consisting of not less than 3 European and 12 Manila musicians, Tls. 25 per hour or part of an hour.

The services of a smaller number of musicians may be engaged at the rate of Tls. 3 per hour for European, and Tls. 1.50 per hour for Manila musicians. In a group numbering less than a Half-Band, an extra fee of Tls. 1.50 per hour, or part of an hour, is charged for the services of the piano-player.

One rehearsal is permitted without fee, all subsequent rehearsals are charged for at half of the above rates.

For the services of a soloist an additional fee of Tls. 25 is charged, inclusive of such rehearsals as are necessary.

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Engagements for more than three performances during a season are subject to a reduction of 20 per cent., for more than twelve performances 40 per cent.

For Sunday performances or services involving marching through the streets double rates are charged.

24 hours' notice is required for the cancellation of any engagement.

The cost of conveyance of musicians for distances beyond a radius of 1 mile from the Municipal Offices, Kiangse Road, must be defrayed by the persons engaging them.

The European musicians are allowed to give private music lessons, with the Conductor's permission obtained in each case.

**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 24 | Bund | Ah Hing | | | addns. |
| 240 | Nanking | K. T. J. Pugh | | 1 | |
| 8 | Soochow & Yuenming-yuen | Lafuente & Wootten | | | altns. & addns. |
| 41E | Szechuen | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | wall |
| 637 | Tsepoo | Y. Ohara | | | altns. & addns. |
| 3229 | Avenue | China Realty Co., Ld. | | 1 | latrine |
| 1485 | Mandalay | Davies & Brooke | | 1 | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 211 | Honan | San Yu | | | addns. |
| 240 | Nanking | K. T. J. Pugh | 4 | | |
| 279 | Shantung | Chih Kee | | | addns. |
| Unreg. S of 2862 | B'bling Well | YahSieuChing | 7 | | |
| 1485 | Mandalay | Davies & Brooke | 20 | | |

**Mixed Court Report for February.**

Mr. A. D. Blackburn assumed the duties of Assessor sitting in criminal cases on Saturday morning vice Mr. G. Ros who has gone on furlough.

The Court made orders that sentences should stand suspended during absence from China in 9 cases where enemy subjects were undergoing terms of imprisonment. These enemy subjects were all delivered on board the S.S. Atreus for repatriation.

Only one foreigner was before the Court during the month on a criminal charge, namely; E. Hermida charged at the instance of the Consul for Spain with having written a disrespectful letter to the Consul. A sentence of fifteen days imprisonment was imposed.

The usual lull in Chinese Civil litigation following the Chinese New Year was more pronounced this year. The number of Chinese Civil Cases awaiting a first hearing on the last day of the month was 84 a decrease of 47 compared with the previous month. Chinese civil cases are now being heard within a month of filing petitions Last year a period of six months on the average elapsed between the filing of petitions and the hearing of cases.

Here follow returns of Offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with, Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention and Chinese Civil Cases.

M. O. SPRINGFIELD,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
E. I. M. DANETT,
for Captain-Superintendent of Police.

OFFENCES.

| 1.—Offences Against the Person :— | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| Abduction | 3 |
| Allowing Children in Brothels | 1 |
| Assault | 23 |
| Attempted suicide | 1 |
| Intimidation | 1 |
| Causing grievous bodily harm | 1 |
| **2.—Offences Against Property :—** | |
| Burglary | 0 |
| Cruelty to animals | 3 |
| Embezzlement | 3 |
| Obtaining money by threats | 1 |
| False pretences | 2 |
| Fraud | 2 |
| Godown-breaking | 1 |
| House-breaking | 6 |
| Larceny | 123 |
| Malicious damage | 1 |
| Receiving stolen property | 1 |
| Robbery | 15 |
| **3.—Offences of a Public Nature :—** | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 25 |
| Carts | 30 |
| Dairies | 3 |
| Dogs | 13 |
| Foodshops | 15 |
| Lodging house | 1 |
| Motor cars | 35 |
| Opium | 19 |
| Pawnshops | 6 |
| Ricshas | 1,001 |
| Tea shops | 9 |
| Wheel-barrows | 96 |
| Wine shops | 6 |
| Hawkers | 52 |
| Breach of Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following :— | |
| Fireworks | 13 |
| House refuse | 61 |
| Nuisances | 937 |
| Prostitutes | 30 |
| Traffic | 56 |
| Disorderly conduct | 41 |
| Gambling | 99 |
| Loitering with intent | 7 |
| Returning after expulsion | 9 |
| Vagrancy | 1 |
| 4.—Miscellaneous Cases | 8 |
| TOTAL | 2,771 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2,169 |
| Cases withdrawn | 3 |
| Cautioned | 17 |
| Compensation | 1 |
| Dismissed | 25 |
| Expulsion | 1 |
| Fined | 363 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 1 |
| Imprisonment | 121 |
| " and expulsion | 48 |
| Reformatory | 3 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 1 |
| Sent to Military Governor of Shanghai | 10 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 7 |
| Various | 1 |
| TOTAL | 2,771 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

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|---|---|
| On February 1 | 49 |
| Received | 23 |
| Released | 24 |
| On February 28 | 48 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

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|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 201 |
| " served | 161 |
| Warrants issued | 24 |
| " executed | 12 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

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|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 2 |
| " withdrawn | 1 |
| Summonses issued | 29 |
| " served | 17 |
| " withdrawn | 8 |
| Persons summoned | 17 |
| Sealing orders issued | 55 |
| " " executed | 10 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 34 |
| " " withdrawn | 7 |
| " " pending | 4 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 14 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 66 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 40 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 78 |
| " heard | 179 |
| " in course of hearing | 17 |
| " concluded | 127 |
| " awaiting first hearing on Feb. 28 | 84 |
| Summonses issued | 63 |
| " served | 63 |
| " withdrawn | 10 |
| Warrants issued | 32 |
| " executed | 8 |
| " withdrawn | 10 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 8 |
| " summoned | 69 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 51 |
| Sealing orders issued | 18 |
| " " executed | 4 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 11 |
| " " pending | 3 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 3 |

SECURITY BONDS.

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|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 56 |
| Bonds accepted | 47 |
| " rejected | 25 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

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|---|---|
| On February 1 | 60 |
| Received | 16 |
| Released | 16 |
| On February 28 | 60 |

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SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Borowsky | Russian | Tsang Yui-Tah | Tls. 23,400 | To be settled by arbitration. |
| H. E. & C. H. Arnhold | British | Arnhold, Karberg & Co. | For a declaration to take over the the property and assets of defts' firm | Declare as prayed |
| H. E. Arnhold | do. | do. | Tls. 959,558.75 | do. |
| Mrs. E. Lemke | do. | do. | Tls. 184,616.26 | do. |
| Burroughs, Wellcome & Co. | do. | Dzing Tshoo-nan Nan-yang Medical Co. | For an injunction restraining defts from selling a colourable imitation of a toilet product known as "Hazeline Snow" | For plaintiffs |
| M. Abe | Japanese | Yang Ying-tsoo and others | Tls. 32,655 | Proceeding |
| China Trading and Industrial Co. | do. | Wong Tsoo-yau | $246.24 | Proceeding |
| Shanghai Land Investment Co. | British | Richard Neumann | That deft be ordered to give up possession of premises 3 & 4 Astor Road and 698 Tiendong Road | Order that def't deliver possession by March 1. |
| Dodge & Seymour | American | Peter Neubourg | $1,080 | Proceeding |
| Union Eastern Trading Co. | Russian | Zia Dzoong-tsar and others | Tls. 14,600 $8,000 | Proceeding |
| Belgian Bank | Belgian | Schnabel Gaumer & Co. | Mks. 30,397.50 Tls. 40,567.75 £58-9-3 | For plaintiffs |
| L Encarnacao | Portuguese | Schnabel Gaumer & Co. | Tls. 12,000 | Proceeding |
| K. Tomaki | Japanese | Liang Voong-san and others | Tls. 2,016.56 $3,601 | Proceeding |
| Kochien Transportation Company | British | Schnabel Gaumer & Co. | Tls. 2,869.43 | For plaintiffs for Tls. 2,869.43 |

## Engineer's Report for February.

A fall of snow occurred early on the morning of Sunday, the 2nd February, and all available labour and plant was at work at daybreak on sweeping up, the main roads being in consequence practically all clear by 9 a.m. The fall was a comparatively slight one but by sweeping up the snow as early as possible, the unpleasantness resulting from it in the latter part of the day; when there was a tendency to thaw, was minimized. By reason of the fact that the fall occurred at the beginning of the Chinese New Year Holidays, there was a natural tendency for labour to be somewhat scarce. Altogether, however, about 2,500 coolies responded to the unexpected demand made on them and it was accordingly possible to carry out the work with due expedition.

*Roads.*—Yuyuen Road is being made up for its full width from Jessfield Road to Tifeng Road.

The ballasting and metalling of West Soochow Road east of Tonquin Road has been practically completed for one-half of its width.

The line of Great Western Road immediately east of Yates Road has been straightened and the making of the roadway to correspond is being proceeded with on the north side.

The making up of Tongshan Road for its full width from Dent Road to Kwenming Road is well in hand.

*Drainage.* — A 3-ft. diameter culvert is being laid in Bubbling Well Road east of Tifeng Road and the existing creek is being filled in.

*Central Offices.*—The stone balustrading above the main cornice, on the front elevation, is being constructed, and the internal joinery work is proceeding.

*Isolation Hospital.—Discharge Block.*—The brick walls have been carried up to their full height, and the roof is being fixed in position.

*Public School for Chinese.*—The minor alterations in fitting up the Annex as a laboratory, etc. are practically completed.

*No. 34 Boone Road* has been leased as an extension of No. 35 Boone Road, at present occupied by the private nursing service, and various minor alterations are in progress to fit up the premises for the purpose for which they are intended.

*Riverside Power Station.*—The raft of the Willans Turbines has been completed, and the erection of the supports is well in hand The foundations and platform of the lean-to adjoining the new Boiler House have been completed.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—2,476.50 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected | 4,453 cartloads |
| Used for raising land | 620 ,, |
| Water used for street watering | 1,615,400 gallons |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

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|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,344 |
| Artisans | 353 |
| Foremen | 239 |
| Mafoos | 159 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

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|---|---|
| Hand made | 1,691 pieces |
| Machine made | 524 ,, |
| | 2,215 ,, |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 30 admissions during the month; 21 bundles of wood were chopped and also 88 cubic feet of stone broken.

*New Buildings.*

Summary of work done during the month.

| *Description of Work.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 264 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 39 |
| Plans approved | 23 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,039 |
| Boundary walls erected<br>Carpenter sheds erected<br>Repairs to buildings effected<br>New shop fronts inserted<br>Shop fronts, etc., painted<br>Alterations effected<br>Fences erected<br>Sign-boards erected<br>Drying stages erected<br>Temporary mat sunshades erected | 364 |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadway | 1 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected over roadway | 69 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 3 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 25 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 41 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction, the number of houses would be considerably greater.

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*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by Public Works Department | 1 |
| First intimation notices issued | 1 |
| Second do. | 2 |
| Total | 3 |

*Survey Work.*

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|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 53 |
| Boundary stone certificates issued | 26 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 30 |
| New lots put under taxation | 20 |
| The assessed value of the land placed under taxation Tls. | 37,132 |
| Official plans prepared | 21 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 400 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 200 |
| Surveys made in connexion with Road Widenings and/or Extensions | 42 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are, or may in future, be of use to the public | 53 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows :—

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|---|---|
| Central District | 2 |
| Northern ,, | 6 |
| Eastern ,, | 5 |
| Western ,, | 16 |

C. HARPUR,
*Acting Engineer & Surveyor.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

**CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.**

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

**工部局承攬信章程**

一 所有承攬各項本局自有本局承攬利益之份額

二 所有承攬本局自有本局承攬利益之份額

三 凡行文信件必須用英文本局方能承辦

四 所有承攬各人之保證書必須用英文本局方能承辦

五 所有以後登入各人之公信及承攬之價目必須用英文本局方能承辦

六 所有承攬信章程由英文開列於下

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## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice:—

That a Public Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall on Wednesday, April 9, 1919, at 2 o'clock p.m. precisely, to devise ways and means of raising the requisite funds for Municipal purposes, and to pass resolutions in reference thereto and to deliberate and decide upon other Municipal matters and business. At such meeting the accounts of the Council for the year ending December 31, 1918, will be submitted for the sanction and approval of the Ratepayers.

Shanghai, March 19, 1919.

D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium.*
T. RAASCHOU,
*Consul-General for Denmark.*
A. ARIYOSHI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*
E. D. H. FRASER,
*Consul-General for Great Britain.*
V. GROSSE,
*Consul-General for Russia.*
J. E. HULTMAN,
*Consul-General for Sweden.*
THOMAS SAMMONS,
*Consul-General for the United States of America.*
J. H. DE RÉUS,
*Consul-General for the Netherlands.*
G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy.*
JORGE R D'OLIVEIRA,
*Consul-General for Portugal.*
JORGE R. D'OLIVEIRA,
*In charge of Cuban Consulate.*
H. A. WILDEN,
*Acting Consul-General for France.*
T. KNUDTZON,
*Acting Consul-General for Norway.*
HUGO REISS,
*Consul for Brazil.*
JULIO PALENCIA,
*Consul for Spain.*

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2574.**

**REPATRIATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.**

WHEREAS since the declaration of war by the Republic of China on the Empires of Germany and Austria-Hungary, the Subjects of the said former Empires (hereinafter called "Enemy Subjects") have been suffered to remain within the confines of the said Republic, under permits issued, within the limits of the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, by the Municipal Council. **And Whereas** by Mandate issued on the twenty-eighth day of January, 1919, bearing the seal of the President of the said Republic the repatriation of Enemy Subjects is duly ordered. **And Whereas** by Proclamation issued on the eleventh day of February, 1919, bearing the seal of the Commissioner of Defence for Sungkiang and Shanghai certain regulations are prescribed for giving effect to the said Mandate. **And Whereas** the said Proclamation has been countersigned by the Senior Consul and by him transmitted to the Municipal Council with the request that the same be posted within the said Settlement. **And Whereas** the said request and a translation of the Proclamation are set forth at length in the Municipal Gazette published on the thirteenth day of February, 1919. **And Whereas** the Head Office for the Repatriation of Enemy Subjects referred to in the said Proclamation has been established at No. 121 Bubbling Well Road within the limits of the said Settlement with the assent of the Municipal Council as a measure of co-operation with the Chinese Government and for general convenience. **And Whereas** the said Proclamation has been countersigned and sealed by the Municipal Council and duly posted and for the peace and good order of the said Settlement certain instructions giving effect thereto have been duly communicated to Enemy Subjects resident within the limits of the said Settlement.

**Now therefore be it known** and let all such Enemy Subjects take note that the said instructions must be strictly obeyed. **Be it also known** and let all such Enemy Subjects who may fail for any reason to receive a copy of the said instructions or who may desire to make any enquiries in regard thereto or to claim exemption from repatriation under the provisions contained in the said Proclamation take note that they must make application forthwith at the Head Office for the Repatriation of Enemy Subjects above referred to. **Be it further known** and let all such Enemy Subjects take note and observe that failure to comply with the said instructions and with such further instructions and regulations as may be issued hereafter from time to time to give effect to the said Proclamation will render the delinquents liable to prosecution.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 13, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2571.**

**REGISTRATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.**

**(Amendment of Permit Conditions).**

NOTICE is hereby given that Conditions 2 and 3 of the permits issued to German and Austro-Hungarian subjects, in pursuance of the provisions of Municipal Notification No. 2466, have been amended to read as follows:—

*2.—Commencing on Thursday, February 13, 1919, the holder (if a male) is required to present himself in person daily, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. at the Police Station of his district in order to have his permit checked by the Police.*

*3.—On and after Thursday, February 13, the holder will not be permitted to change his or her address.*

On and after Thursday, February 13, all German and Austro-Hungarian male subjects of 16 years of age and upwards are, therefore, required to report to the Police daily, instead of twice weekly as at present, and this Condition and the other Conditions of the Permit must be strictly observed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2579.**

**REGISTRATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.**

**(Amendment of Permit Conditions)**

NOTICE is hereby given that an additional Condition has been added to the permits issued to German and Austro-Hungarian subjects, in pursuance of the provisions of Municipal Notification No. 2466, as follows:—

*4.—Commencing on Monday, February 24, 1919, the holder (if a female) is required to present herself in person between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. three times each week (i.e., on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays) at the Police Station of her district in order to have her permit checked by the Police.*

On and after Monday, February 24, all German and Austro-Hungarian female subjects of 16 years of age and upwards are, therefore, required to report to the Police thrice weekly, and this Condition and the other Conditions of the Permit must be strictly observed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 20, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2586.**

**INFLUENZA.**

**Spread by Droplets Sprayed from Nose and Throat.**

OWING to the prevalence of Influenza the following precautions are advised:—

Avoid crowds and gatherings of all kinds.

Especially avoid people who cough and sneeze without covering with a handkerchief.

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Wear a mask to prevent infection (a pattern may be obtained at the Health Office) or tie a handkerchief round the mouth and nose or hold a handkerchief to the nose and mouth when there is danger.

If you get Influenza go to bed and stay there until the doctor permits getting up and so avoid the dangerous complication of Pneumonia Do not allow anyone to come near unless wearing a mask or at least a handkerchief round the nose and mouth.

The above applies also to colds, bronchitis, pneumonia and tuberculosis.

The usual symptoms of Influenza are sudden chill, followed by muscular pain, headache, backache, unusual tiredness and fever.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 5, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2589.**

**TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.**

To facilitate the control of traffic, the following regulations with regard to vehicles picking up and setting down passengers at the Town Hall, Clubs, and Theatres are re-published for general information:—

(1) *Town Hall.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles will set down their passengers facing westward and will draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Empty vehicles will rank in the Kwangse and Kweichow Roads and will take up passengers facing westward and will leave in the same direction.

(2) *Shanghai Race Club.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing westward, and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank in Myburgh and Mohawk Roads, also a single rank in front of the Race Club's premises. All vehicles will take up passengers facing westward and leave in the same direction.

(3) *Lyceum Theatre.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing northward, and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank in Soochow Road, with front of vehicles facing Museum Road. Vehicles will enter from the north end of Museum Road and take up passengers facing southward and leave in the same direction.

(4) *Victoria Theatre.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing eastward, and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank in Haining Road, and take up passengers facing westward, and leave in the same direction.

(5) *Apollo Theatre*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers approaching from the south may set down facing northward, and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank in Haining Road, and a single line on North Szechuen Road, north of the entrance; the latter will take up passengers facing southward and leave in the same direction.

(6) *Shanghai Club.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing southward and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.* Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank on the east side of the Bund and take up passengers facing northward and leave in the same direction.

(7) *Masonic Club*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing northward, and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank on the east side of the Bund, and take up passengers facing southward, and leave in the same direction.

(8) *Olympic Theatre.*

*Setting down.*—Vehicles with passengers will set down facing eastward and draw off in the same direction.

*Taking up.*—Vehicles waiting to take up passengers will rank in Burkill Road, and a single line on the north side of Bubbling Well Road, west of the entrance, and take up passengers facing eastward and leave in the same direction.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 13, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2591.**

**PUBLIC RECREATION GROUND.**

CLUBS desirous of securing playing space within the racecourse are requested to make application to the Hon. Secretary, 14 Medhurst Road, on or before Thursday, April 10.

Each application should provide the following information in the order given:—

1. Name of Club.
2. Name of Chairman or President.
3. Name and address of Secretary
4. Number of Members.
5. Amount of Annual Subscription.
6. Space applied for.
7. Whether, in case applications outrun the number of playing spaces, the Club is willing to share a space with another Club playing on alternate days.

All applications will receive the Public Recreation Ground Committee's attention, and permits will be issued as soon as possible after the date named.

By order,
N. O LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 27, 1919.

**AT the meeting of the Watch Committee held on Friday, March 21, 1919, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—**

***Present*:**

**Messrs. J. Johnstone *(Chairman)***
**W. L. Merriman**
**Ed. White**

**The meeting adjourned at 12.40 p.m.**

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**AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Friday, March 21, 1919, at 4 o'clock p.m., there were:—**

***Present*:**

**Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)**
**J. H. Dollar**
**T. Ibukiyama**

**The meeting adjourned at 5.10 p.m.**

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**AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Monday, March 24, 1919, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—**

***Present*:**

**Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)**
**J. H. Dollar**
**T. Ibukiyama**

**The meeting adjourned at 12.35 p.m.**

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**AT the special meeting of the Finance Committee held on Monday, March 24, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—**

***Present*:**

**Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)**
**J. H. Dollar**
**T. Ibukiyama**

Upon the invitation of the Committee the following gentlemen attended the meeting:—

Messrs. A. L. Anderson, *representing A. L. Anderson & Co.*
O. J. Barnes, *representing the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation.*
C. T. Beath, *representing the Mercantile Bank of India, Ld.*
C. Bleuler, *representing the Russo-Asiatic Bank*
Chu Pao-san, *representing the Chinese Chamber of Commerce.*
M. Demets, *representing the Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger.*
E. C. Emmett, *representing the Canton Insurance Office Ld. and Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld.*
D. M. Gubbay
A. J. Israel, *representing the Shanghai Life Insurance Co., Ld.*
W. S. Jackson, *representing the Yangtsze Insurance Association, Ld*
K. Kodama, *representing the Yokohama Specie Bank, Ld.*
Shen Hsiao-shan, *representing the Bankers' Guild.*
L. F. Shen, *representing the Chinese Chamber of Commerce.*
H. G. Simms, *representing the North China Insurance Co., Ld.*

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A. I. D. Stewart, *representing the Chartered Bank of India, Australia & China.*
Sun Han-chang, *representing the Bank of China.*
Van Sang-ding, *representing the Chinese Cotton Yarn Guild.*

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

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**AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, March 26, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—**

***Present:***

**Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)***
**J. H. Dollar**
**A. Howard**
**T. Ibukiyama**
**J. Johnstone**
**H. A. J. Macray**
**W. L. Merriman**
**Ed. White**

***Absent:***

**Mr. E. I. Ezra**

**The meeting adjourned at 6.25 p.m.**

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### Volunteer Corps.

The appended revision of Article XX of the Corps Regulations respecting the allowances of small arms ammunition has been approved by the Council, and will be adopted with effect from May 1:—

ARTICLE XX.

"The allowances of small Arms Ammunition granted annually by the Council are as follows:—

FREE.

For Active members, for the Annual Course, Matches and competitions, to be drawn on the Range as required, and the quantity thus drawn to be computed in relation to the next Annual Efficiency Return:

For First Class Efficients who are marksmen, 200 rounds.

For First Class Efficients who are first class shots 170 rounds.

For First Class Efficients who are second class shots 140 rounds.

A third class shot can not be classed "First Class Efficient."

HALF-PRICE.

The same apportionment as for the "Free," may be drawn in bulk by Unit Commanders at half-price and retained at Headquarters to their order. The quantity thus drawn will be computed in relation to the last Annual Efficiency Return.

First Reservists, who attend six drills, 130 rounds free and 130 rounds at half-price.

Second Class Efficients are allowed free the rounds fired by them in the Annual Course only, and none at half price.

In addition to the above, 20 rounds are allowed free for each member of a Unit competing in his Annual Rifle Meeting.

The ammunition fired by Recruits in the Recruits Course, is allowed free.

The allowance of pistol ammunition is 100 rounds for each Officer or Non-Commissioned Officer armed with a revolver who fires the prescribed course.

All ammunition overdrawn will be paid for at full price, or returned, and any underdrawn will lapse."

### Arrests on behalf of the Chinese Authorities.

Correspondence with the Senior Consul:—

Shanghai, February 28, 1919.

SIR,—I enclose herewith for your consideration and reply copy of the Chinese text and a free translation of a letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs in Shanghai concerning the case of murder of Mr. Ting Pao Chien.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium, and Senior Consul.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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*Translation of letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to the Senior-Consul, dated February 24, 1919.*

The Commissioner is in receipt of a telegram from the Civil Governor of Kiangsu informing him that the Peking Government has wired to him in regard to the recent murder of Ting Pao Chien in Shanghai; it is directed that steps be taken to arrest and punish the murderer or murderers. He is requested to communicate with the Consular Body asking them to assist him to apprehend the murderer.

In compliance with the above the Commissioner asks the Senior Consul to request the Police to apprehend the murderers, in order that they be punished. Awaiting the favour of a reply.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 10, 1919

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 28 forwarding a copy and translation of a communication from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs in regard to the murder of Mr. Ting Pao Chien and in reply to inform you that the Police are taking every possible action to secure the arrest and punishment of the murderer or murderers.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.

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### Daylight Saving.

Letter to the Secretary, British Chamber of Commerce:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 20, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that the Council unanimously endorses the proposals of your Committee to make daylight saving practicable and universal in Shanghai by representations to the Commissioner of Customs that the Customs' clock be put forward. In the Council's opinion daylight saving on these lines should prove a great boon to the Community.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

The SECRETARY,
British Chamber of Commerce.

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### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Funing Road.*—The offer of the Yangtsze Land and Finance Co., Ld. has been accepted to make free surrender of that part of Lot 5078 measuring Mow 0.196 which is required for the extension of this road.

*Wayside Road.*—The offer of Mrs H. de Villard has been accepted to surrender without monetary compensation the scheduled area of Lot 5740, measuring Mow 0.367.

*East Yalu and Dent Roads and Surplus Land.*—With reference to the paragraph in the Gazette of February 7, 1918, on this subject, the Engineer reports that the Fangtan in respect of the piece of unregistered land at the corner of these roads has been found to cover a total area of surplus land of Mow 0.317, so that the compensation payable at the price agreed upon, Tls. 1,000 per mow, will be Tls. 317 in addition to the payment of Tls. 256 for Mow 0.256 of roadland.

*Bubbling Well Road.*—Correspondence and Award of the Land Commissioners, relative to the compulsory expropriation of Cadastral Lots 2584 and 2585 (Italian Consular Lot 172):—

September 25, 1916.

DEAR SIR,—I beg to hand you herewith a plan showing in red and yellow the area required from Cadastral Lots 2584, 2585 for road purposes. The area coloured red has been scheduled for acquisition since February 16, 1910, and as the application for your title deed was made on November 19, 1910, this area is subject to free surrender under Clause VI of the Land Regulations.

The portion coloured yellow is not subject to free surrender, and it is for this area and for the houses standing on the portion coloured red that I would be glad to receive your claim for compensation. As an alternative the Council would probably be prepared to consider a claim for the sale of the entire lot, including the portion enclosed in green.

Your faithfully,
CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Engineer & Surveyor.*

W. BRANDT, Esq.

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Shanghai, October 11, 1916.

DEAR SIR,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 25th ult, and in reply thereto I beg to inform you that the beneficial owner of Cadastral Lots 2584 and 2585 is also the owner of the unregistered land adjacent to Lot 2585 on the west which will be affected by the proposed extension of the Bubbling

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Well Road. The said owner absolutely refuses to surrender the land required by the Council or as an alternative to submit a price for the sale of the entire lot as mentioned in your said letter. In my humble opinion, therefore, the only method of procuring the surrender would be for you to exercise your power granted under the Land Regulations which with my recommendation to accede to the Council's demand I believe the subject in question could be amicably settled to the advantage of the parties concerned.

Yours faithfully,
W. BRANDT

CHAS. H. GODFREY, Esq.,
Engineer and Surveyor.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, December 6, 1916.

SIR,—In reply to your letter of October 11, on the subject of Lots 2584 and 2585 which are scheduled for inclusion in the Bubbling Well and Siccawei Roads, I am directed to state that in accordance with your suggestion, the compensation payable will be referred for settlement by the Land Commissioners, notice of whose sitting to consider this case will be duly conveyed to you.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
J. B. MACKINNON,
*Acting Secretary.*

W. BRANDT, Esq.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, April 10, 1918.

SIR,—With reference to the correspondence with you in 1916 and 1917 on the subject of the surrender of Lots 2584 and 2585 for the Bubbling Well Road extension, I am directed to send herewith the plan showing the road line amended in accordance with the official plans for this year, which, I am directed to request, you will be good enough to sign and return to me so that the hearing before the Land Commissioners may proceed.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary*

W. BRANDT, Esq.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, May 2, 1918.

SIR,—With reference to my letter of April 10 on the subject of Lots 2584 and 2585 please be so good as to return me the plans duly signed so soon as possible, since it is desirable that the hearing of this protracted matter shall proceed. The signature of the plan is not a necessary formality before the Land Commission, but is desirable as a joint indication that there is no dispute as to the measurements and areas upon which the award is customarily based.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

W. BRANDT, Esq.

Shanghai, May 9, 1918.

DEAR SIR,—In reply to your letter of May 2 I beg to return you herewith the plans duly signed by me.

Yours faithfully,
W. BRANDT.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, May 20, 1918

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that a case of compulsory acquisition of land for purposes of a public road awaits settlement as follows:—

Case No. 113—Bubbling Well and Siccawei Roads, W. Brandt.

I am directed to request that you will be so good as to fix a date convenient to the members of the Commission for the hearing.

I enclose plan showing the piece of land in question, together with copies of the correspondence between the Council and the owners concerned for the information of the Commissioners.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

L. G. WESTCOTT, Esq.,
Secretary, Land Commission.

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LAND COMMISSION HEARING.

Cadastral Lots 2584 and 2585—Western District—Registered owner Mr. W. Brandt, heard in the Council Room on October 3, 1918.

The Council is represented by the Assistant Secretary, Mr. E. S. B. Rowe, the Deputy Engineer being in attendance, Mr. W. Brandt appears in person.

On behalf of the Council, the Assistant Secretary states that these properties are required for the extension of the Bubbling Well Road, the area coloured red on the plan is subject to free surrender whilst that coloured yellow is subject to assessment of compensation under the powers vested in the Commissioners. Since, however, it has never been the practice of the Council to insist upon the strict wording of the Regulations where the whole of one owner's property is concerned and since the whole of this property is concerned in this case, the Council is prepared to pay reasonable compensation for the whole of the land involved and applies to the Commissioners to determine the fair compensation to be paid for the whole of the land and the buildings thereon.

Mr. Brandt states that the beneficial owner absolutely refuses to surrender the land or to name a price for its sale and asks what steps have been taken in relation to acquiring the unregistered land adjacent to Lot 2585 under the same ownership, pointing out that he did not see why any move should be made in regard to Lots 2584 and 2585 until the Council had secured the unregistered property.

In reply the Assistant Secretary intimates that the Council naturally deals with the registered property first, as being that nearest to the end of the existing road, and that acquisition of the unregistered land in the rear will follow in due course, in accordance with the powers to that end vested in the Council.

Mr. Brandt in answer to the Commissioners, says he has not drawn up a statement showing the value of buildings on the properties Nos. 2584/5, or loss of rental, and his claim for compensation for the land surrendered.

The Commissioners therefore adjourn the hearing to enable Mr. Brandt within a reasonable period to submit his claim, whereafter, if it is not acceptable to the Council, the Commissioners will decide the question.

A. D. BELL,
R. S. IVY,
H. G. SIMMS,
*Land Commissioners 1917/8.*

L. G. WESTCOTT,
*Secretary.*

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Shanghai, October 16, 1918.

DEAR SIR,—With reference to the Council's desire to acquire the entire lot of land known as Italian Consulate Lot No. 172 together with all the buildings thereon which was the subject of Case No. 113 heard by the Land Commission on the 3rd instant I beg to inform you that the beneficial owner is now willing to sell the property in question for the sum of $15,582. This figure is based upon the rentals derived from the said buildings as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| House No. | 2 | Rent | $7.00 | per Moon |
| ,, | ,, 4 | ,, | 7.00 | ,, |
| ,, | ,, 5 | ,, | 3.00 | ,, |
| ,, | ,, 6 | ,, | 7.00 | ,, |
| ,, | ,, 7 | ,, | 9.00 | ,, |
| ,, | ,, 8 | ,, | 7.00 | ,, |
| ,, | ,, 9 | ,, | 17.00 | ,, |
| ,, | ,, 10 | ,, | 7.00 | ,, |
| ,, | ,, 12 | ,, | 8.50 | ,, |
| ,, | ,, 14 | ,, | 8.50 | ,, |
| 1 alleyway house and half of Reception Hall | | | 4.00 | ,, |
| | | | $85.00 | per Moon |

@ 12½ moons=yearly $1,062.
Less 20% for all expenses=
$850.00 Nett

| | |
|---|---|
| Capitalized @ 6%= | $14,166.00 |
| Plus 10% for Compulsory surrender | 1,416.00 |
| | $15,582.00 |

The Capitalization at 6 per cent. may appear slightly small for native houses, but I have taken into consideration that the rentals have not been advanced for many years and same could be reasonably increased by say 15 per cent. in comparison with rentals of other similar buildings in this locality.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
W. BRANDT.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 25, 1918.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 16 containing your claim for Lots 2584/5, Bubbling Well and Siccawei Roads, and in reply thereto to inform you that the Council is of opinion that the amount of the claim is excessive and it is considered that the following compensation would adequately meet the case of this surrender:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Mow 0.527 at the assessed value Tls. 2,700 per mow Tls | 1,423 |
| 38 Fong of Chinese houses at Tls. 100 per fong: less one half for depreciation | 1,900 |
| Tls. | 3,323 |

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant.
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

W. BRANDT, Esq.

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Shanghai, October 26, 1918.

SIR,—I am directed to hand you Award of the Commissioners in re Case 113 which was adjourned on the 3rd instant, copy of the proceedings of the previous hearing being in your possession.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
L. G. WESTCOTT,
*Secretary, Land Commission.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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LAND COMMISSION AWARD.

Cadastral Lots 2584 and 2585—Western District—Registered Owner Mr. W. Brandt, heard in the Council Room on October 25, 1918.

The Council is represented by the Assistant Secretary Mr. E. S. B. Rowe, the Municipal Engineer being in attendance. Mr. W. Brandt appears in person.

The Assistant Secretary states that since the adjournment Mr. Brandt had submitted his claim amounting to $15,582 which in the Council's opinion was excessive, and to this the Council had made a counter-offer of Tls. 3,323, which in turn was not acceptable to Mr. Brandt.

Mr. Brandt states that his claim is based on monthly returns and taking the houses in their present condition: that to the best of his knowledge the houses have been erected for 10 years and he estimates they will have a further life of 20 years, as he knows of instances where houses of similar construction have been standing for 30/35 years with little repair.

The Municipal Engineer considers the life of this class of house as from 20 to 25 years with repairs from time to time, after which period they are liable to collapse.

The Assistant Secretary points out that the Council would not permit of repairs being carried out to houses situated on land scheduled for road extension.

Mr. Brandt further states that houses in this locality can command a higher rental than those situated on the Bubbling Well Road within a distance of 50 yards, and that he had not considered the question of depreciation by virtue of the fact that the value of the land had appreciated. As to the Council's estimate of Tls. 100 per fong for houses of this description, he admitted that this figure was approximately correct.

He alludes to the extended frontage of the lots to which the Assistant Secretary replies that due cognisance of this is taken into consideration in assessment of the lots.

The Assistant Secretary states that the Council considers its offer to be fair but it would not object to an addition of 10 per cent. as is usual in cases of compulsory surrender.

The Municipal Engineer points out that had the land not been registered, the owner would be forced to accept the rate fixed under Chinese proclamation for roadland, i.e., Tls. 300 per mow.

Both parties having withdrawn, the Commissioners award as follows:—

That the amount to be paid to the registered owner be Tls. 4,098 composed of:—

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Mow 0.527 at the assessed value of Tls. 2,700 per mow = | 1,423 |
| Plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender | 142 |
| | 1,565 |
| 38 fong of Chinese houses at Tls. 100 per fong | |
| Less one-third for depreciation | 2,533 |
| Total Tls. | 4,098 |

A. D. BELL,
H. G. SIMMS,
R. S. IVY,
*Land Commissioners 1917/8.*

L. G. WESTCOTT,
*Secretary.*

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 1, 1918.

SIR,—With reference to the Award of the Land Commissioners in Case 113. I enclose herewith form "M" for the purpose of effecting transfer of Italian Lot 172 to the Council.

Cheque for the amount of compensation awarded Tls. 4,098, will be paid to you upon transfer.

The deed for Italian Lot 172 should be forwarded to the Consulate with the enclosed blue form and I shall be glad if you will advise me of the date and hour fixed for transfer.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary*

W. BRANDT, Esq.

Shanghai, November 4, 1918.

DEAR SIR,—In reply to your letter of the 1st instant, I beg to inform you that the beneficial owner is not satisfied with the award of the Land Commissioners in Case 113 and is now consulting his lawyers who will in due course communicate with you In view of this fact I am not in a position to transfer the land as requested.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
W. BRANDT.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, November 16, 1918

DEAR SIR,—I am instructed by Mr. W. Brandt the Registered Owner of Cadastral Lots 2584 and 2585, to inform you that he is not prepared to accept the Award of the Land Commissioners of Tls. 4098, on the ground that the price paid for the property by the beneficial owner was Tls. 6,500, which fact he wishes to place before the Land Commissioners, and begs accordingly to ask for reconsideration of the case.

Yours faithfully,
N. C. HOME.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 18, 1918.

SIR,—In reply to your letter of November 16 on the subject of Land Commission Case 113, before submitting this communication to the Council and transmitting it to the Land Commissioners, do I understand correctly that you claim on behalf of the concerned the sum of Tls. 6,500 as compensation for the surrender to public use of Cadastral Lots 2584 and 2585? I shall be glad to be favoured with your immediate reply.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

N. C. HOME, Esq.

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Shanghai, November 19, 1918.

DEAR SIR,—I have to acknowledge your letter dated the 18th instant, and in reply I am instructed to inform you that the amount claimed is Tls. 6,500.

Yours truly,
N. C. HOME.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, December 24, 1918.

SIR,—I am directed to refer to your letters of November 16 and 19 in regard to the award of the Land Commissioners in Case 113 and to request that you may kindly furnish the Council with full particulars as to the purchase of Lots 2584 and 2585 Bubbling Well and Siccawei

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Roads at Tls. 6,500, so that the Council may give further consideration to your request that the award of the Commissioners be re-considered.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

N. C. HOME, Esq.

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Shanghai, January 9, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 24th ult. re the award of the Land Commissioners in Case 113.

You ask me in your letter to let you have particulars of the purchase of the land for Tls. 6,500, and accordingly I enclose the following documents.

(1) Particulars of purchase, showing the several items of cost.

(2) Copy of Deed of Sale dated 7 May, 1914, and a translation thereof into English.

(3) Copy of Deed of Mortgage dated 23 February, 1914.

Yours truly,
N. C. HOME.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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After full consideration of the circumstances of the case, the Council decided to refuse its support to any application to the Land Commissioners for a re-hearing, on the ground that no adequate reason for such re-hearing was disclosed. It was decided to apply to H. M. Supreme Court for enforcement of the Award and a writ was issued accordingly. The subsequent surrender by the registered owner of the title deed and acceptance of the amount payable under the Award, obviated the necessity for further proceedings.

**Building Regulations.**

Correspondence on the subject of the use of a building constructed for a private residence as a camphor factory in the Markham Road district. The Council expresses the hope that every care will be taken by the public to see that all hazardous trades are only conducted in buildings constructed for that special purpose:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 15, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to inform you that it has been reported to the Council that on December 24 an outbreak of fire took place at the foreign residence, No. 10 Markham Road. Upon investigation it was found that alterations had been made to the building, without notification to the Public Works Department, converting a foreign residence and a Chinese building into a camphor factory. As camphor is extremely inflammable, there was danger of a very serious fire, especially as a large matshed intended apparently to be used as a godown, had been erected in the compound also without a permit. Fortunately there was no wind at the time of the outbreak and so the fire was dealt with successfully.

The Alterations which have been carried out on this property constitute a serious breach of the Building Rules and I am directed to state that the Council desires that you will be so good as to afford an explanation of your action with regard to this matter and to request that you will take immediate steps for the restoration of the premises into a dwelling house as before and for the removal of the matshed.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary*

Messrs. SUZUKI & Co.

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Shanghai, January 20, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We have been requested by Messrs. Suzuki & Co. to reply to your letter of the 15th instant on their behalf.

Messrs. Suzuki & Co., desire to tender their apologies for having overlooked the fact that a permit was required. This was due entirely to ignorance on their part as they thought in installing the machinery temporarily there simply as an experiment, that a permit was not required. It is intended to move the machinery to the factory on the Ward Road, for which a building permit has been applied for.

We enclose plan showing the position of the mat shed by which you will see it is not less than 30 feet from the nearest building, and shall be much obliged if you will kindly grant permission to Messrs. Suzuki & Co. to let the same remain up for a period not exceeding two months, provided the shed is only used for storage purposes and no refining of camphor is carried on in the adjoining building.

We are,
Yours faithfully,
ATKINSON & DALLAS, LD.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, February 25, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of January 20 on the subject of the use of a private residence in Markham Road as a camphor factory by Messrs. Suzuki & Company.

The Council notes your explanation of the circumstances under which this building was used temporarily as a factory due to ignorance of the concerned, and in the circumstances grants the permission desired for Messrs. Suzuki & Company to utilise the matshed for a period not exceeding two months from the date of your letter for storage purposes, provided that it is used for the storage of non-inflammable materials only and that the adjoining buildings are no longer used as a camphor factory.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Messrs. ATKINSON & DALLAS, LD.

**Pootung Cemetery.**

Correspondence with Mr. Lee Tse Tsung on the subject of a proposed utilization of part of this site for building purposes:—

Shanghai, March 5, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I shall be glad to know if you will allow me to rent a piece of ground in your extra property at Pootung, by the side of the ground there lies a pond near a graveyard I will fill the pond at my own expense and build a hut for my requirements, this will be a great benefit both for myself and the Council.

Trusting you will allow me to be favoured with your reply and thanking you in advance.

I remain, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
LEE TSE-TSUNG.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 18, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 5, on the subject of the Pootung Cemetery.

The Council notes that you desire to fill in a creek or pond and to build thereon a hut for your own requirements. The creek to which you refer is one which lies upon the boundary of the Cemetery, and divides it from adjacent property, and I am directed to inform you that in the circumstances the Council regrets that it is unable to comply with your request.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Mr. LEE TSE TSUNG.

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**Public Works Department.**

*Tungchow Road Workshops.*—Under date of March 10 the Municipal Engineer reported that the men at the workshops struck work on that day, stating that they would not return unless their pay was increased. After careful enquiry into this matter and noting that the men affected are employed daily at rates according to their ability it has been decided to take no action with regard to the matter.

**Public and Reserve Gardens.**

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Gardens are reserved for the Foreign Community.

2.—The Gardens are opened daily to the Public from 6 a.m and will be closed half an hour after midnight.

3.—No persons are admitted unless repectably dressed.

4.—Dogs and bicycles are not admitted.

5.—Perambulators must be confined to the paths.

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6.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers, climbing trees, or damaging the trees, shrubs, or grass is prohibited; visitors and others in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.

7.—No person is allowed within the Band Stand enclosure.

8.—Amahs in charge of children are not permitted to occupy the seats and chairs during Band performances.

9.—Children unaccompanied by Foreigners are not allowed in the Reserve Garden.

10.—The Police have instructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 13, 1917.

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**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 81B | Kiangse | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | altns. |
| 658 | Thibet | Brandt & Rodgers | | 1 | |
| 745B | Range | Yuen Hung Kee | | | addns. |
| 3814 | Thorburn | A. Swenson | | 1 | servants' quarters |
| 743 | E. Yuhang | Wei Chong | | | 3 work-sheds & 2 kitchens |
| 1235 | Burkill | Sing King Kee | 1 | | |
| 6308 | Ferry | Ling Tung Tsai | 1 | | |
| 3189 | Seymour | Dong Chi Kee | | | addns. & coach-house |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 182 | Kiangse | Pao Tai | | | addns. |
| 563 | Pakhoi and Chekiang | Davies & Brooke | | | altns. |
| Unreg. W of 6670 | Holung | Koo Zen Tai | 15 | | |
| Unreg. W of 950 | Urga | Tsou Pau Yoong | 9 | | |
| Unreg. S of 6873 | Yangtszepoo | Harvie & Gibbon, Ld. | 6 | | |
| 2437 | B'bling Well | S. A. Hardoon | 22 | | |
| Unreg. E of 2161 | Weihaiwei | Woo Ling Seng | 3 | | |
| Unreg. S of 1810 | Yates and Lungmen | Chang Foo Kee | 7 | | |
| Unreg. W of 2756 | Yuyuen | Zee Shan Kee | 3 | | |

**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, March 23, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 32 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 4 |
| Influenza | 0 | 107 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 1 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 321 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MARCH 22.

*Police Force.*—1st Class Sergeant C. H. Taylor was permitted to terminate his service on March 3, the date of expiry of his agreement

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. A. B. Puddicombe is appointed temporarily as 2nd Assistant Engineer from March 27.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. C. F. Davis is appointed temporarily as Assistant in the Meter Department from February 24.

Long leave is granted to Showroom Engineer N. Bowey and Meter Tester C. Ward from March 29 and April 1, respectively.

Mains Engineer G. F. Hoyland, at present on war service, is invalided from February 28.

*Educational Department.*—Miss E. B. Bate and Miss H. McNaughton are appointed Assistant Mistresses in the Public School for Girls under agreement from March 17.

Mrs. P. E. H. Walter, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, was permitted to terminate her service on March 17.

Mr. W. A. Hearn, Assistant Master in the Public School for Chinese, is permitted to terminate his service on August 31.

**Public Band.**

On Sunday next, March 30, at 4.30 p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

1. Overture "A Roman Carnival" Berlioz
2. Trio for Piano, Violin and Cello Gretchaninoff
   (*a*) Allegro Appasionato
   (*b*) Lento Assai
   (*c*) Finale—Allegro Vivace
   (*The Moscow Trio*)

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3. Overture "Oberon" Weber
4. (*a*) "Chant du Ménestrel" Glazounow
   (*b*) "Serenade Espagnole" ,,
   (Cello Solo: Mr. C. BAKALEINIKOFF)
5. "Suite Namouna" Lalo
   (*a*) Danse Marocaine
   (*b*) Mazurka
   (*c*) Thême Varie.

A. DE KRYGER,
*Conductor-in-Charge.*

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**Parks Report for February.**

*Road side trees—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total No. of trees planted | 98 |
| ,, ,, ,, transplanted | 43 |
| ,, ,, ,, fastened | 128 |
| ,, ,, ,, staked | 136 |
| ,, ,, ,, topdressed | 241 |
| ,, ,, ,, pruned | 2,933 |
| Bird nests removed | 42 |

*Road Widening:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total No. of trees transplanted | 92 |

*New Roads:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total No. of trees planted | 288 |
| ,, ,, ,, fastened | 288 |
| ,, ,, ,, staked | 288 |

*Plants bedded out at:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Public Gardens | 90 |
| Jessfield Park | 1,168 |
| Hongkew Police Station | 120 |
| Harbin Road Police Station | 580 |
| North Szechuen Road Police Station | 180 |

*Turf laid at:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Bund Foreshore | 1½ fong |
| Bubbling Well Road | 22 ,, |
| Hongkew Police Station | 7 ,, |

*Trees & Shrubs transplanted at:—*

| | Trees. | Shrubs. |
|---|---|---|
| Jessfield Park | 4 | 28 |
| Isolation Hospital | | 46 |

*Shrubs planted* at Jessfield Park 84.

**SPORTS.**

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,056 |
| Hockey | 220 |
| Football | 176 |
| Total No. of Players | 1,452 |
| ,, ,, non-Players | 4,672 |
| ,, ,, Visitors | 8,124 |

D. MACGREGOR,
*Superintendent of Parks.*

Countersigned.
C. HARPUR.
*Acting Engineer and Surveyor*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

**CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.**

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

**工部局承攬信章程**

一 凡有承攬各項本局承辦事件自有權利認定全份或保本局自有權利

二 所有承攬價目雖是低廉未必能承辦之價目亦須本局認定不合者不予採用

三 擬承攬之人到局領取憑單付錢則須本局認定之後方准承攬

四 所有承攬各人之公信及承攬人知悉之價目以後登入各人之信函內並單付錢則須本局認定之後方准承攬

五 所有取憑單者須明白此單之價目與公報伸張之價目相符方准承攬

六 所有承攬信函必須在西江路工部局二十號信函上註明所承攬之工程並須寫明送至何處辦理以前二日之時送來本局方准開封

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單費 信函以前之最後一天為止

**TENDERS INVITED**

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 490 | Supply of Tools | — | April 7 |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 186 | 90 3-phase Induction Motors<br>Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 26 |

**TENDERS RECEIVED**

POLICE FORCE

Tender No. 129

Bean Oil, during 12 months from April 1

800 to 900 Catties per mensem

| | per catty. |
|---|---|
| *Yuen Mow & Co. | $0.21 |

ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 184

14 Miles of Triple Braid Weatherproof Copper Wire

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|---|---|
| Okura Trading Co., Ld. | Yen 4,982.60 |
| Takata & Co. | £530 14 3 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co., Ld. | 515 0 0 |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | 499 16 3 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | 417 8 6 |
| Sumitomo Yoko | 405 7 0 |
| Furukawa & Co. | 401 17 6 |
| *American Trading Co. | 387 6 7 |

Tender No. 185

13 Miles Vulcanised Cable and Wire

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|---|---|
| Okura Trading Co., Ld. | Yen 19,337.45 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | £2,219 17 7 |
| Takata & Co. | 2,016 6 4 |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | 1,961 19 4 |
| Furukawa & Co. | 1,945 18 0 |
| *Sumitomo Yoko | 1,928 19 0 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co., Ld | 1,802 0 0 |

*Accepted

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## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice:—

That a Public Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall on Wednesday, April 9, 1919, at 2 o'clock p.m. precisely, to devise ways and means of raising the requisite funds for Municipal purposes, and to pass resolutions in reference thereto and to deliberate and decide upon other Municipal matters and business. At such meeting the accounts of the Council for the year ending December 31, 1918, will be submitted for the sanction and approval of the Ratepayers.

Shanghai, March 19, 1919.

D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium.*
T. RAASCHOU,
*Consul-General for Denmark.*
A. ARIYOSHI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*
E. D. H. FRASER,
*Consul-General for Great Britain.*
V. GROSSE,
*Consul-General for Russia.*
J. E. HULTMAN,
*Consul-General for Sweden.*
THOMAS SAMMONS,
*Consul-General for the United States of America.*
J. H. DE RÉUS,
*Consul-General for the Netherlands.*
G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy.*
JORGE R D'OLIVEIRA,
*Consul-General for Portugal.*
JORGE R. D'OLIVEIRA,
*In charge of Cuban Consulate.*
H. A. WILDEN,
*Acting Consul-General for France.*
T. KNUDTZON,
*Acting Consul-General for Norway.*
HUGO REISS,
*Consul for Brazil.*
JULIO PALENCIA,
*Consul for Spain.*

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2592.**

THE following Resolutions will be brought forward by the Council at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers to be held in the Town Hall on April 9, 1919, at 2 o'clock p.m., and are published for general information:—

*Resolutions I, II and III.—Formal business and adoption of Rules of Procedure.*

*Resolution IV.*—That the Report and Accounts for the year ending December 31, 1918, be passed.

*Resolution V.*—That the estimated expenditure for 1919, contained in the Budget proposed by the retiring Council, together with the recommendations attached thereto, be approved and adopted, and that the Council be and it is hereby authorized to impose, collect and recover the rates, taxes, dues and fees recommended therein, and to raise, should it be considered expedient to do so, upon such terms and in such manner as the Council may in its discretion think fit, a sum not exceeding Tls. 3,400,000 or the equivalent of this sum, for the purposes defined in the estimate of Extraordinary Expenditure.

*Resolution VI.*—That the Council be and it is hereby authorized to approve and sanction any such extension or extensions of the railless tram system as it may from time to time consider desirable in the public interest and upon such terms and conditions as it may in its discretion think fit, provided that no right in regard to passenger or freight transport shall thereby be created in favour of any person, firm or company of such a character as will preclude this Community from availing itself of or from permitting the introduction of any other form of passenger or freight transport upon any route or routes traversed by the railless tram system.

*Resolution VII.—Election of Land Commissioner for the ensuing year.*

*Resolution VIII.—Election of four Governors of the General Hospital for the ensuing year.*

*Resolution IX.—Election of two members of the Permanent Education Committee.*

Ratepayers intending to ask questions in regard to the Accounts or other matters connected with the foregoing Resolutions, are requested to give notice of such intention before the Meeting, so that a full answer or other explanation may be given.

Ratepayers desirous of bringing forward additional motions, or of nominating duly qualified persons willing to serve under Resolutions VII, VIII and IX. are required to give notice thereof to the undersigned before 4 p.m. on April 2, for due publication.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 29, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2593.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, in addition to the Resolutions to be brought forward by the Council, as published in Notification No. 2592, the following will be proposed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9.

*Resolution X.*—That the Shanghai Municipal Council be authorized to appoint a SPECIAL COMMITTEE, to investigate vice conditions in the International Settlement: and that such Committee be empowered to collect evidence from the Municipal Departments and other sources, and report and make recommendations thereon at the next Ratepayers' Meeting.

That the said Special Committee be composed of nine persons, three to be nominated by the Council, three by the Shanghai Moral Welfare Committee, and three others by the six so nominated as aforesaid.

Proposer: A. J. WALKER.
Seconder: L. E. CANNING.

*Resolution XI.*—That a Commission be appointed to enquire into and report publicly upon the condition of "B" Company, British, Shanghai Volunteer Corps, and into the Regulations governing the Shanghai Volunteer Corps generally.

Proposer: N. C. HOME.
Seconder: JOHN R. HYKES.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 3, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2591.**

**PUBLIC RECREATION GROUND.**

CLUBS desirous of securing playing space within the racecourse are requested to make application to the Hon. Secretary, 14 Medhurst Road, on or before Thursday, April 10.

Each application should provide the following information in the order given:—

1. Name of Club.
2. Name of Chairman or President.
3. Name and address of Secretary.
4. Number of Members.
5. Amount of Annual Subscription.
6. Space applied for.
7. Whether, in case applications outrun the number of playing spaces, the Club is willing to share a space with another Club playing on alternate days.

All applications will receive the Public Recreation Ground Committee's attention, and permits will be issued as soon as possible after the date named.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 27, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2594.**

**TAVERN LICENCES.**

REFERRING to Notification No. 2573, applications have been made to the Council for the following new Tavern Licences for the ensuing Municipal year:—

| Applicant | Address |
|---|---|
| J. J. Birnbaum | 14 Astor Road |
| E. Bruns | New Point Hotel |

The attention of applicants is drawn to the fact that only *bonâ fide* resident proprietors or managers will be permitted to hold licences.

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The public is reminded that protests against the issue of these licences, or against the renewal of any existing licences, will be heard by a Committee of the Council sitting in the Council Room, No. 24 Kiangse Road, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, April 11.

It is requested that notice of such protest be given in writing to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 3, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2595.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business, on GOOD FRIDAY, April 18, on Saturday, April 19, and on EASTER MONDAY, April 21.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 3, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, March 31, 1919. at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

***Present*:**

Messrs. E. I. Ezra (*Chairman*)
A. Howard
H. A. J. Macray

The meeting adjourned at 5.20 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, April 2, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

***Present*:**

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
J. H. Dollar
E. I. Ezra
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
Ed. White

***Absent*:**

Mr. J. Johnstone

The meeting adjourned at 5.55 p.m.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Customs Company.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, a commission as 2nd-Lieut. is authorized for issue to Mr. E. B. Howell.

### Hongkew Disturbances.

Interchange of letters with the Japanese Consul-General in continuation of the correspondence published in the Gazette of February 13:—

Shanghai, February 13, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 30, upon the Hongkew disturbances, and in reply thereto desire to express regret that the Council cannot subscribe to the views as expressed in my letter to the Council of January 11. Therefore, the question of compensation for the Japanese who suffered in the course of disturbances and the question of funeral expenses of the Japanese constable, will be placed before the Court of Consuls by the parties concerned.

Regarding the punishment of the constables referred to in my letter of January 11, I regret that I must again ask the Council to give this matter their reconsideration. I would draw the attention of the Council to the fact that I am informed the constables concerned in the disturbances are still maintained on the same beats. If such is the case, this appears to me to be an error of judgment on the part of the Council.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. ARIYOSHI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 13, 1919.

SIR,—To enable completion of the estimate of the amount of compensation which the Council intends to recommend for the Ratepayers approval at the forthcoming Annual Meeting in respect of loss of life or injuries or damage to property during the disturbances in the Hongkew District in July last. I have the honour to request that you may kindly ascertain on the Council's behalf the amount of medical expenses which have been incurred in respect of the treatment of the Japanese subject R. Fukuda, who is stated to have been shot in the eye during these disturbances: this man refused to undergo X-ray treatment in Shanghai, proceeding to Kobe where he is at present under treatment.

I have also the honour to request that you may kindly obtain for the Council's consideration a report in regard to the bullet which is stated to have been extracted as this may possibly assist the Police in their investigation.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

A. ARIYOSHI, Esq.,
Consul-General for Japan.

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Shanghai, March 25, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th instant requesting me to ascertain on the Council's behalf the amount of medical expenses incurred in respect of the treatment of the Japanese subject R. Fukuda, and also to obtain a report as regards the bullet extracted from him.

In reply thereto I have the honour to inform you that I will have the pleasure to forward to you the report you require upon receipt of the same from the proper quarter in Japan where I have already written on the matter.

With regard to the medical expenses, however, I regret to state that I could not ascertain it from the above mentioned person who intends to bring the case before the Court of Consuls.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. ARIYOSHI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 31, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to refer to your letter of February 13 further on the subject of the disturbances which occurred in the Hongkew District in July last, and in reply to the concluding paragraph to state that the information given to you that the Chinese constables concerned are still maintained on the same beats is quite incorrect, as none of them have performed duty in the affected area since July 19. Moreover, five armed Chinese point duty men on the Woosung and Boone Roads, who were used as a protection against armed robbers, were withdrawn immediately after the Disturbances and have not since been replaced.

In regard to the question of compensation, I have the honour to send you herein enclosed a statement of injuries to and cost of medical treatment of Japanese subjects, of damage to articles in the stores of F. Shibayama and K. Miyamato and of damage to Japanese properties and to inform you that compensation in the case of Chinese who have likewise suffered and one thousand dollars for the widow of the Japanese subject K. Harayama who lost his life in the course of the Disturbances, will be recommended for payment at the forthcoming Meeting of Ratepayers.

It may be noted that the statement above referred to makes no allowance for the medical treatment of the Japanese subject R. Fukuda, particulars of which were requested in my letter to you of March 13, but I have the honour to inform you that upon receipt of such particulars the Council is prepared to recommend reasonable compensation.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

A. ARIYOSHI, Esq.,
Consul-General for Japan.

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Enclosure to letter of Chairman of Council to H.I.J.M. Consul-General of March 31, 1919.

HONGKEW DISTURBANCES.

INJURIES TO AND COST OF MEDICAL TREATMENT OF JAPANESE SUBJECTS.

| Name. | Nature of Injury. | Amount of Damage, etc. |
|---|---|---|
| Yochimi Kaino | Baton Wound | Left Shanghai. |
| G. Kawamura | Grazed bullet wound | " " |
| R. Fukuda | Bullet in eye | Under treatment at Kobe. |
| K. Tanaka | Baton wound treated by Dr. Satomi | $ 18.00 |
| H. Amano | Bayonet wound treated by Dr. Satomi | 12.00 |
| T. Fuju | Grazed bullet wound treated by Dr. Nagata | 5.00 |
| K. Kotera | Baton wound treated by Dr. Shinozaki | 15.50 |
| Yasunisuke Ito | Body wounds treated by Dr. Sasaki | 150.40 |
| T. Harayama | Killed at 166 Woosung Road. Attended by Dr. Sasaki | 12.00 |
| Tatsuchi Mori | Baton wound treated by Dr. Sudo | 96.40 |
| Takumaro Imaizami | Rifle and baton wound treated by Dr. Satomi | 19.29 |
| Mrs. Yasuda | Baton bruises treated by Drs. Kwaishando and Mukodani | 37.40 |
| Matsumi Goto | Severe baton wound treat by Drs. Satomi and Watanabe | 244.50 |
| | | $610.49 |

*Damage to Articles in F. Shibayama's Store 2252/3 Boone Road.*

| | |
|---|---|
| 7 Small Chinese teapots | $ 2.10 |
| 1 Large Chinese teapot | 2.00 |
| 1 Green vase | 10.00 |
| 1 Heleotrope vase | 5.00 |
| 1 Small jar | 5.00 |
| 1 Hawthorne basin | 20.00 |
| 1 do. do. small | 1.00 |
| 5 Bowls assorted | 2.50 |
| 1 Brown jar on three legs | 20.00 |
| 1 Small jar | 30.00 |
| 22 Chinese tea cups | 4.40 |
| 1 Green Electric shade | .80 |
| 1 Large plate | 20.00 |
| 1 Large bowl | 60.00 |
| 4 Pieces of mud work | .50 |
| 2 Chinese birds | 4.00 |
| 1 Chinese duck | 1.00 |
| 2 Hawthorne flowers in pots | 45.00 |
| 14 Brown cups | 2.00 |
| 3 Pearl Inlaid trays | 8.00 |
| 1 do. do. box | 3.00 |
| 1 Charcoal burner | 8.00 |
| 7 Cigarette and tobacco trays | 14.00 |
| 15 Pieces of Ink | 20.00 |
| 4 Bamboo baskets | 4.00 |
| loss on a lacquer table sold damaged | 30.00 |
| 3 Pearl inlaid pictures | 18.00 |
| Repairing hardwood tables and loss on same | 43.00 |
| Total | $384.10 |

*Damage to Articles at K. Miyamato's Store 2254 Boone Road.*

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|---|---|
| Two Bottles containing 2 lbs. of Kriosotum Carbonicum at Yen 80 per lb. | Yen 160.00 |

*Damage to Japanese Properties Based on Data Supplied by the Various Persons Concerned.*

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|---|---|---|
| T. Sonoda | 229, Boone Road | $24.00 |
| Huakawa | 230, Boone Road | 15.10 |
| Takamura | 231, Boone Road | 2.00 |
| S. Koga | 244/5 Boone Road | 15.50 |
| N. Yamaguchi | 246 Boone Road | 7.50 |
| K. Yama | 2251, Boone Road | 22.00 |
| F. Shibayama | 2252/3 Boone Road | 263.10 |
| K. Miyamoto | 2254, Boone Raod | 12.30 |

## Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Ferry Road.*—Arrangements have been concluded for the purchase of a piece of unregistered land at the north-west corner of Ferry and Robison Roads at the rate of Tls. 800 per mow or a sum of Tls. 153 for Mow 0.191.

*Yuyuen Road.*—Surrenders have been arranged of the areas required for road purposes, as under:—

| Consular Lot No. | Agent or Owner | Area | Compensation Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| U.S. Lot 1969 | A. Cohen | 0.402 | 683 |
| " " 1966 | Yei Tsen-chien | 0.177 | 301 |
| B.C. " 8901 / U.S. " 1913 | J.C. Thomson | 0.361 | 1,000 |
| B.C. " 9590 | M. Simmons | 0.445 | 579 |

## Moral Conditions in the Settlement.

Correspondence with the Shanghai Moral Welfare Committee in continuation of that published in the Gazette of December 12, 1918:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 6, 1919.

SIR,—Although the Council has no desire to discourage the efforts of your Committee to secure betterment in the moral conditions of the Settlement, I am directed to inform you that it unhesitatingly condemns as extremely ill-conceived, the publicity campaign which you have recently undertaken. The pamphlets issued in this connexion, more especially Pamphlet No. 1, cannot be said to deal with their subject matter in a suitable manner and their dissemination broadcast to those presumably, whose names appear in the Hong List, shows, in the Council's opinion, a deplorable lack of discrimination and of appreciation of the infinite harm that may thereby result. I am accordingly to request that you may desist from further publicity on these lines, and in doing so to reiterate that the Council is no less anxious than your Committee to secure improvement, but that it is of the opinion that improvement can only be obtained by tackling the problem of prostitution and its kindred evils from the practical as distinguished from the essentially religious and moral point of view.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

REV. A. J. WALKER,
Honorary Secretary,
Shanghai Moral Welfare Committee.

Shanghai, February 14, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that at a meeting of my Committee held on the 6th instant it was unanimously decided to again request the appointment of a Vice Commission.

It is felt that the Council have not fully realized the support and strength of the Organizations represented and that the efforts of this Committee have been somewhat misjudged.

It will be remembered that the formation of this Committee was the outcome of an appeal to the Council for such a Commission, and as it is felt that the data now in our possession, with that in the possession of the Police, Health and Revenue Departments would enable a comprehensive report to be drawn up; it is considered that the time has arrived for a Commission, with full powers to be named.

This Commission could deal with the following matters:—

(*a*) An estimate of the number of prostitutes in the Settlement: The means used to obtain them: The provision made for them in late life: The disciplinary measures employed by the Keepers of the Houses.

(*b*) The rent value and localities of brothel property, and a comparison of such rents with other properties.

(*c*) The form of Municipal license used in connection with certain brothels and the disciplinary measures used by the Police in this connection.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
P. M. B. LAKE,
*Associate Secretary,*
*Shanghai Moral Welfare Association.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

Shanghai, February 19, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 6th instant and to inform you that my Committee is astounded at the peremptory tone and the request contained therein.

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It will no doubt be remembered that the Council in their letter of August 16, were in agreement in a publicity campaign and this latest letter again asserts that "the Council is no less anxious than your Committee to secure improvement." We have waited in vain for signs of practical demonstration of this assertion, and are being regretfully driven to the conclusion that the Council's anxiety is to leave conditions as they are, to cover things up and preserve a prudery which ill-becomes the practical gentlemen who form the governing body of this Settlement.

My Committee cannot help feeling that the Council's letter points to a lack of knowledge of present day teaching in all the enlightened cities of the world and the request of the Council to desist from further publicity on the lines adopted can only be considered as an additional demonstration of lack of touch with the spirit of the times.

I am also to point out the conclusion arrived at, that the pamphlets referred to were disseminated "broadcast to those presumably whose names appear in the Hong List", is illfounded as great care was exercised in compiling the list of addresses who were all male adults.

I am directed to point out that my Committee cannot reconcile the Council's reiterated distinction between the practical and the moral, as it believes that in an "essentially religious and moral" atmosphere, the problem of prostitution and its kindred evils would find its most practical solution, and therefore justification is felt in approaching the problem from a moral standpoint.

In conclusion I would draw your attention to the fact that this Committee has on more than one occasion asked for the co-operation of the Council without, it is to be regretted, any response, and while the Council approved of the aims in points 1 and 2 of this Committee's letter of June 26 last, it refused to use the "Municipal Gazette", and made no use of any other medium to give the desired warning and advice. With regard to points 3 and 4 of the same letter, my Committee are not aware that the Council has given any practical attention to the suggestions contained therein.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
P. M. B. LAKE,
*Associate Secretary,*
*Shanghai Moral Welfare Association.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 20, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letters of February 14 and 19 further in regard to the efforts of your Committee to promote the moral welfare of Shanghai, and to observe at the outset that the several views, comments and suggestions therein recorded are in the main so controversial in character that it is difficult, if not impossible, to avoid being equally controversial in reply.

Dealing first with your letter of February 19 and taking each of the paragraphs in order of sequence, I am directed to reply as follows:—

1.—The Council is not surprised that your Committee should have been astounded at the Council's request that it should desist from further publicity on the lines therein referred to, since it is apparent that your Committee did not and does not realise how great is the harm which is likely to result from so ill-conceived a publicity campaign, which, apart from protests, verbal and written, has provoked much resentment amongst a very large section of the Community.

In its letter to you of August 16 the Council stated and now repeats:—

"A *well-conceived* publicity campaign conducted through the right media and thus brought to the notice of those whom it is intended to reach may reasonably be expected to produce some good result. In the members' opinion no better medium suggests itself for bringing these matters to the notice of those whom it is your Committee's desire to reach, than the issue by your Committee of a pamphlet dealing *in a suitable manner*, etc., etc. On the other hand the members are unanimous in the view that the utilisation of the Municipal Gazette for this purpose might possibly, instead of assisting the objects of your Committee, have a contrary effect, and probably evoke considerable resentment on the part of a large number of readers to whom the warnings and advice given *could not of course apply*."

Unfortunately these views do not appear to have received that careful attention and consideration which, it is submitted they deserve, particularly having regard to the delicate nature of the problem which your Committee has set itself to solve. There are two very distinct ways of tackling every problem—the right and the wrong—and it is with deference that the Council submits that your Committee has chosen the latter.

2.—It is always an unpleasant and thankless task, in a discussion of such matters as those with which we are now concerned, to criticise proposals which are, it is recognized, put forward in all good faith: it puts one in a position of compromising with or apologizing for vice, or of attempting to minimise its dangers or of proclaiming the status quo as impossible of improvement. It is realized that such is the light in which the Council probably appears to your Committee, but in truth the Council's criticism of your Committee's proposals is due to its appreciation of their generally impractical nature, appreciation which results from daily practical contact with matters to which these proposals refer, and also to the conviction that any legislation which is designed to secure the abolition of prostitution, though in theory ideal, is nevertheless impractical. Legislation can, in the Council's opinion, only secure regulation and improvement and, to the limited extent to which legislation is possible in Shanghai, it should in the Council's opinion be directed to this end.

3.—The Council is not so out of touch with the spirit of the times as you mistakenly believe: on the contrary it is aware of the very divergent views in regard to prostitution and its kindred evils that trouble the authorities of almost every civilized country of the world, and it is moreover fully cognizant of the fact that a mass of authority can be quoted in support of or against each particular view. The different factors with which the government of this cosmopolitan community has to reckon are such as render the problem in Shanghai of far greater complexity and difficulty than is the case anywhere else in the world. What the nature of these difficulties and complexities are have from time to time been explained and re-explained to the many societies and individuals who have interested themselves in the matter, but it seems to the Council that your Committee in its zeal for reform has paid little or no attention thereto.

4.—The Council is relieved to know that its conclusion that the pamphlets issued by your Committee were disseminated broadcast, to those presumably whose names appeared in the hong list, was unfounded, but I am to point out that the great care exercised in compiling the list of addresses did not, from the Council's information, result in that discrimination which should, I am to suggest, have been shown in this connexion. The Council considers that the despatch of the pamphlets in question, apart from the objectionable character of pamphlet No. 1, to the male adult community shows a lamentable lack of discrimination and disregard of the views so clearly indicated in its letter of August 16, in regard to what might be considered a well-conceived publicity campaign.

5.—Since the stress laid by the Council on the importance of considering and discussing the matter from the practical as distinguished from the *essentially* religious and moral point of view has not apparently been understood by your Committee. I am directed to explain that religion and morality are not disregarded by the Council: on the contrary religion, morality, health and decency must form the basis for any reform, but the requirements of the first two are not always practicable and to this extent they must be adapted to that which is practicable.

In regard to the concluding paragraph of your letter and to the reference therein made to the points 1 to 4 contained in your Committee's letter of June 26, I am directed to refer you to the Council's letter of August 16, wherein the several points were dealt with at length.

In regard to "the additional and practical steps," to be taken by the Council "for the moral betterment of the Settlement" proposed by your Committee in its Pamphlet No. II and without traversing the many misleading statements that are contained in the argument leading up to these proposals and the mis-representations therein contained as to the Council's attitude on the whole question of improve-

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ment in the moral conditions of the Settlement, I am directed to state:—

(1) That whenever indecent advertisements and placards in regard to quack remedies for venereal diseases are brought to the notice of the Police, they are dealt with. If therefore your Committee will assist in a practical manner in bringing such advertisements and placards to the attention of the Police, your Committee's efforts and those of the Council may obtain a greater measure of success than at present. Action on these lines, which is in accord with the recommendations of the Royal Commission on Venereal Disease 1916, has been taken by the Council for many years past, unfortunately there are many local difficulties which militate against the effectiveness of such action. So far as the Chinese press and advertisements are concerned the Council's powers in this connexion would have been considerably strengthened had the amended Bye-laws, which were first submitted to the Meeting of Ratepayers in 1916 and ultimately passed in 1917 after amendment, received the assent of the Consular and Diplomatic Bodies, since provision therein was made for the licensing of the press and of advertisements. It is cause for regret that these Bye-laws did not receive the support of the Consular Body, so that the Council's efforts and the efforts of the Community in this respect have been stultified.

(2) The publication and sale of indecent literature are made and have for many years past been made the subject of prosecution in the Mixed Court or in Consular courts whenever prosecution is possible. In this connexion your Society might well give practical help by bringing to the attention of the Police, such instances of the publication and sale of literature of this sort that may come to the knowledge of its members. The local difficulties in this case are to some extent similar to those referred to under No. 1 above.

(3) For some time past material has been collected for the preparation and publication in pamphlet and possibly also in poster form of a statement of the dangers of venereal disease and publication on these lines will be made in due course, though it may be here stated that neither pamphlet nor poster will be on the lines of that adopted by your Society in the pamphlets recently distributed by it.

(4) The Health Department does give advice and treatment to those afflicted with venereal diseases to the extent of its opportunities, but hitherto your Committee and others who have interested themselves in the subject, have done their utmost to put an end to this work.

In England the Local Government Board, in carrying out the recommendations of the Royal Commission on Venereal Disease 1916, has provided advice and treatment mainly through the medium of existing hospitals: rarely is treatment given by the Health Offices direct. In Shanghai foreign cases have facilities furnished for outpatients at the General Hospital, whilst Chinese cases are, it is believed, treated at all the recognized foreign style hospitals. The Health Officer advises that the Health Office could develop a venereal clinic in connexion with the Isolation Hospital, which would probably in time become an important factor in the prevention of venereal disease, but for the present, conditions are, it is considered, more conveniently served at the several hospitals, foreign and Chinese.

(5) It is doubtful whether any new factor in connexion with the prevalence of venereal disease would be discovered as the result of the appointment of yet another committee, as, except for the manifest result of the preponderance of male population both foreign and Chinese, there is nothing peculiar in the incidence of this disease in Shanghai. Moreover the proposal of your Committee in this respect would seem to involve confession of failure on its part, which is to the Council cause for regret, since the invitation, which was addressed in April, 1918 to the Shanghai Women's Christian Temperance Union to combine with all other interested parties in appointing their own representative committee was issued by the Council in the hope that thereby the efforts of all those who are interested in the moral welfare of the Settlement might be combined in such a representative committee as could deal with the question from every aspect and really assist with constructive suggestions. Is it suggested that such a further special committee as you recommend will be more competent in the matter than your Committee?

(6) The opening comment under No. 5 above applies *mutatis mutandis* to the suggestion that a group of volunteer women police should be organized and appointed for a year with a view to reporting on the problem of commercialized vice in the Settlement. Surely your Committee in tackling the task which it has undertaken has either obtained or can obtain all the materials that is necessary for a report on the problem referred to, without the assistance of volunteer women police whose functioning would be open to the gravest objection.

Dealing next with your letter of February 14 in which the opinion of your Committee is stated that the time has arrived for a Vice Commission to be named to deal with the several matters set out therein under paragraphs a, b and c, I am directed to re-affirm the Council's view that the appointment of any such commission, would not, it is reasonable to suppose, be productive of any better result than has been obtained by the appointment of your Committee, and in regard to paragraph c to correct the misapprehension under which your Committee apparently still labours, that Municipal licences are issued for the conduct of brothels.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant.
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

P. M. B. LAKE, Esq.,
Associate Secretary,
Shanghai Moral Welfare Committee.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 31, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to send you herein enclosed a copy of a letter addressed by the Council to Mrs. A. G. Parrott, Honorary Secretary to the Door of Hope, which bears upon and records the views of the Health Committee and the Council in regard to the verbal suggestion which you made to me about two weeks ago.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

P. M. B. LAKE, Esq.,
Associate Honorary Secretary,
Shanghai Moral Welfare Association.

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(*Enclosure*)

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 28, 1919.

MADAM,—I am directed to inform you that a suggestion has recently been made to the Council by a member of the Moral Welfare Committee that some measure of improvement, particularly in the lot of Chinese prostitutes might be effected if the Council were to follow the plan that has been adopted in certain European cities and employ two or three carefully selected women police who would devote themselves to getting into touch with these women, familiarising themselves with their conditions of life and reporting (for such action as may be considered desirable) cases of ill-treatment, forced detention, insanitary conditions and disease and generally doing what they can in an unostentatious and inoffensive manner to help in the betterment of existing conditions.

Whilst it appears to the Council that there might, and probably would, be serious objection to the employment of women police in the manner suggested, yet it recognizes that the object in view is undoubtedly a practical and commendable one. Under these circumstances and as the Council is aware that your Institution is conducting enthusiastic organized and practical work with these objects in view dealing, it is understood, with about a hundred women and girls annually mostly from brothels in Shanghai, I am directed to inquire whether you consider that an extension of this work would be beneficial and if so whether you would be prepared to extend such work if the Council afforded you a greater measure of financial support?

As regards sanitation and health, the Council considers that much might be effected through the medium of the health inspection work which is carried out by the Health Office.

I am, Madam,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Mrs. A. G. PARROTT,
Honorary Secretary,
"Door of Hope."

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Shanghai, March 31, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I have received your letter of the 28th instant concerning a proposed extension of the work of the Door of Hope, and beg

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to state that our Committee will be meeting to-morrow morning especially to consider the subject of your letter, and therefore, I hope to be able to send you an early and definite reply.

I am, Sir,
Yours faithfully,
(Mrs. A. G.) C. M. PARROTT,
*Hon. Sec. and Treas.,*
*Door of Hope.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, March 31, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I am in receipt of your letter of this date covering the attached copy of a letter addressed by the Council to Mrs. A. G. Parrott, Honorary Secretary to the Door of Hope, bearing upon the verbal suggestions made to you by myself on the 11th instant for which I thank you very much. I shall have much pleasure in laying the same before my Committee at the earliest possible date and who I know will be greatly interested in Mrs. Parrott's reply.

I remain, Sir,
Yours faithfully,
P. M. B. LAKE,
*Associate Hon. Secretary,*
*The Shanghai Moral Welfare Society.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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**General Hospital.**

*Finance.*—Letter to the Governors of the Hospital in continuation of the correspondence published in the Gazette of March 6 is subjoined:—

Council Room.
Shanghai, March 29, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to refer to the correspondence published in the Municipal Gazette of March 6 in reference to the Council's decision to recommend to the Ratepayers at the forthcoming Meeting assumption of responsibility for the deficit on the Hospital working account, and to call your attention to the appropriation for a grant to the General Hospital of Tls. 59,000, made on page 102D of Part IV of the Annual Report just issued. This appropriation provides for the usual contribution of Tls. 3,500 towards the expenses of treating indigent patients, for the interest charges under the Council's guarantee in respect of the Hospital overdraft on building account, and for the deficit Tls. 33,000 on the Hospital working account for the year 1918.

As it is understood that the bank overdraft on working account was only Tls. 7,700 and as it is not the intention to provide a substantial credit balance on this account. I am directed to inform you that the Council's recommendation to the Ratepayers will be on the basis that the amount paid to the Governors each year in respect of the deficit on the working account for the preceding year, shall, after re-payment of the overdraft, be paid to the credit of and in reduction of the building account overdraft, and further that past deficits on the working account to the end of 1917, which have been transferred to building account overdraft, shall thus remain instead of being separated and retransferred to the working account. The Council's Budget for this year is prepared upon this basis.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

A. H. MANCELL, Esq.,
Secretary,
Shanghai General Hospital.

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**Shantung Road Hospital.**

Further correspondence with the Hospital Committee is appended in continuation of that published in the Gazette of December 19, 1918:—

Shanghai, February 19, 1919.

SIR,—I have to thank you for your letter of November 29, 1918, in reference to my Memorandum of September 5, 1917, on the subject of the inadequacy of the Revenue of the Chinese Hospital to meet the ever increasing calls upon its services to the Chinese community.

My colleagues on the Committee are gratified to learn that the views of the Health Committee, which have been endorsed by the Council are generally so closely in accord with those expressed in my Memorandum and I now beg to comment on the matters referred to in your letter under reply:—

1.—It is noted with pleasure that the Council holds that every effort should be made to enable the Hospital to continue its most excellent work for the community.

2.—The Health Officer's suggestion that the Shantung Road Cemetery might be utilized under certain conditions as an exercising ground for convalescent patients of the Hospital has had the careful consideration of my committee, but they are of opinion that the number of patients who would be likely to avail themselves of the opportunity would be too small to justify the cost of laying out the grounds. the Chinese Members of the Committee not favouring the idea.

3.—It is not anticipated that the Rockefeller Foundation would accord to the Hospital any direct financial support, such as a contribution towards the erection of Buildings, as in their Report of 1914 the object they have in view is co-operation with, rather than development of, Hospitals in China. As I understand it the Rockefeller Foundation is first and foremost educational in its character and after medical students have graduated from the Colleges positions would have to be found for them in Chinese Hospitals, equipped and administered on up-to-date lines.

In return for this the Rockefeller Foundation, if satisfied generally that the Hospital was suitable, would be prepared to supplement its resources by assistance in matters of staff and equipment, should such assistance be necessary, and it is in this direction that my Committee feel they can look for support if suitable Buildings, etc., can be provided.

4.—My Committee have not gone at all closely into the question of plans for new Buildings and probably it would be advisable later on to appoint a Sub-Committee for that purpose.

As regards the piece of land still belonging to the London Mission, my Committee are still strongly of opinion that as this cuts into the centre of the compound its acquisition is essential in order to place the new Building in the most favourable position and secure a certain amount of open space to the south and sufficient detachment from the Chinese buildings to the north.

5.—The stipulation under which the Council is prepared to recommend to the Ratepayers a substantial increase in the existing grant-in-aid of Tls. 5,000 per annum, viz., the appointment to the Hospital staff of local medical Practitioners under suitable Regulations is agreeable to my Committee, being in accordance with recommendation 3 on page 3 of my Memorandum of September 5, 1917.

My Committee suggests that for the current year the grant-in-aid be increased by Tls. 15,000 to Tls. 20,000 which if approved, will enable them to meet some of the most pressing needs of the Hospital and for the guidance of the Council I beg to enclose Reports and Accounts for 1916 and 1917 and a short summary of the purposes to which the increased grant would be devoted. It will be noted that it includes a sum of Tls. 2,000 for the re-arrangement of the Out-patient Department which has been delayed in case rebuilding might have been found possible in the immediate future. This not being the case it is imperative that the work be undertaken as an alternative temporary expedient, but as the Capital value of the Buildings will not be increased when these alterations are completed the outlay comes under Revenue Expenditure.

As regards the larger question of the re-building of the Hospital to suit modern requirements, my Committee realize that the Council has large commitments in various directions at the present time and, therefore, may not be in a position at the moment to do more than agree in principle to a scheme of expansion of the Chinese Hospital.

My Committee's suggestion is that such agreement in principle take the form of a declaration by the Council that their attitude towards the Shanghai General Hospital will be followed in the case of the Chinese Hospital in Shantung Road and that it is their intention to give practical effect to this at the earliest possible moment.

In conclusion I beg to say that a representative or representatives of the Council will be welcomed on the Hospital Committee for the furtherance of any proposals for the extension and greater efficiency of the Hospital.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
LESLIE J. CUBITT,
*Trustee,*
*and Chairman of Committee.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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(*Enclosure*)

THE CHINESE HOSPITAL
SHANTUNG ROAD.

Purposes to which an additional Municipal Grant of Tls. 15,000 for 1919 would be devoted:—

*Salaries and Passage Money.*—

Dr. Price due back from War service. Nurse Wyon, awaiting opportunity to take passage to Shanghai. Foreign Dispenser and Manager to be

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| engaged as soon as a qualified man can be found. Increases in salaries of Chinese doctors and Chinese staff now due ... | | Tls. 6,500 |
| *Alterations & Improvements to Buildings.*— | | |
| Outpatients Dept. ... | Tls. 2,000 | |
| Childrens Ward ... | 250 | |
| Men's Hospital Painting, Varnishing and Tiling ... | 1,750 | |
| | | 4,000 |
| *Furnishing.*— | | |
| 25 additional Beds urgently needed ... | Tls. 750 | |
| 100 mattresses ... | 400 | |
| Enamelled ware ... | 200 | |
| New Furniture in Wards ... ... | 650 | |
| | | 2,000 |
| *Equipment.*— | | |
| Instruments, Splints and surgical requirements generally, badly needed many of which have not been renewed for years ... ... ... ... | | 2,500 |
| | | Tls. 15,000 |

Other needs only less urgent than the above, the supply of which cannot be indefinitely delayed, are:—

Renewal of present faulty gas installation.

Installation of hot water supply.

Installation of Electric Lift.

Provision of an additional operating theatre.

LESLIE J. CUBITT,
*Trustee,*
*and Chairman of Committee.*

Shanghai, February 19, 1919.

Council Room.
Shanghai, March 28, 1919.

SIR,—Your letter of February 19 and the enclosures thereto have been the subject of careful consideration by the Health and Finance Committees and also by the Council, and I am directed to reply thereto as follows:—

As regards the working expenses of the Hospital, it is noted that the working account for 1917 showed a surplus of Tls. 5,154, and it is understood that a small surplus was also shown in the accounts for 1918. The Council fully appreciates that it was only possible to achieve this result by some restriction of the work of the Hospital and by rigid economy and that a greater measure of financial support is necessary to enable the Hospital to still further meet the demands made upon it. In the Council's opinion the obligation to provide this additional support rests on the wealthier Chinese, but, in recognition of the Hospital's services to the Community, the Council, whilst unable to comply with your request for a grant-in-aid of Tls. 20,000 has included provision in the Budget for 1919, which has just been issued, for a special grant of Tls. 5,000 in addition to the usual annual grant of the like amount.

As regards capital expenditure on the Hospital, the Council regrets that it is unable to pledge itself, in accordance with your suggestion, to the adoption of the same policy towards the Hospital as has been adopted towards the General Hospital.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

L. J. CUBITT, Esq.,
Chairman of the Committee,
Shantung Road Hospital.

**Paulun Hospital.**

Letter from the Chinese Committee now in charge of the Hospital, with the Council's reply:—

*Translation of letter from Chinese Committee now in charge of the Paulun Hospital, dated March 12, 1919.*

GENTLEMEN,—We, the undersigned, have the honour to address you and to state that the Paulun Hospital was mutually established by Chinese and Germans, and it has been in existence for nearly 20 years. Most of the patients are poor. The deficit in the hospital-fund is covered by subscriptions of various parties, so that the hospital can carry on without any difficulty.

Now, as the superintendent of the said hospital, Dr. von Schab has returned to his native country, the Chinese Committee, greatly pitying the patients, has passed a resolution to take over the said hospital now full of sick Chinese and do their best to maintain the hospital in a state of efficiency.

We agree to advance the sum required for daily expenses. We have engaged experienced foreign-style educated Chinese doctors and educated Chinese graduates to fill all wants. We are much obliged by your yearly grants for helping to pay for medicine and we earnestly hope that you will henceforth help the hospital more than before and increase your yearly help to cover the shortage as the hospital is really very good for the public.

We have the honour to remain,
Gentlemen,
Yours faithfully,
CHU PAO-SAN,
PEI ZUNG-SUNG,
TSEU WEI-CHING,
CHOW CHUNG-LIANG.

The SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 27, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 12, applying for an increased grant-in-aid for the Paulun Hospital, and, in reply, to inform you that provision of the usual annual grant of Tls. 2,000 has been included in the Budget of Municipal Expenditure for the current year which will be submitted for the Ratepayers' approval at the forthcoming meeting to be held on April 9, next.

In this connexion I am directed to inform you that continuance of the Council's financial support in future years will depend upon the receipt of periodical reports by the Municipal Health Officer as to the satisfactory character of the work being performed at the Institution in question.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Messrs. CHU PAO-SAN, AND OTHERS,
The Chinese Committee in Charge of The Paulun Hospital.

**Report of the Special Waterworks Committee.**

*Constitution of the Committee.*—The Committee was appointed by virtue of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers held on March 27, 1918:—

"Resolution VII.—That the Council be and it is hereby authorized and directed to appoint a Committee, consisting of three Members of Council and two Ratepayers with powers to fill vacancies, to consider and report whether it is desirable in the interests of this Community, that the business and undertaking and the lands, buildings, plant, machinery and effects of the Shanghai Waterworks Company, Limited, should be acquired in pursuance of the provisions contained in Clause 9 of the Agreement between the Company and the Council dated the first day of July 1905. The report of such Committee to be submitted to the Council, who shall lay the same before the Ratepayers in meeting assembled."

*Membership of the Committee.*—Messrs. E. C. Pearce, E. I. Ezra and A. S. P. White-Cooper were appointed as the Council's representatives on the Committee the membership of which was completed by the appointment of two Ratepayers Messrs. A. C. Clear and H. G. Simms. On January 8, 1919, Mr. J. Johnstone was appointed to fill the vacany in the membership of the Committee caused by Mr. White-Cooper's resignation from the Council in October, 1918.

*Work of the Committee.*—The differences that have arisen from time to time between the Council and the Waterworks Company in regard to certain questions touching the Community's water supply, the views which have been expressed at past Meetings of Ratepayers in regard to the desirability of supply by the Council rather than by a private undertaking and the views of Dr. Fowler on this point have been brought to the attention of the Committee in a memorandum prepared by the Secretary to the Council who has acted as Secretary to the Committee.

It was the Committee's intention to defer its deliberations until such time as the decisions reached as the result of discussions between representatives of the Company and the Works Committee of the Council on outstanding points of difference had been made public, since it seemed probable that such decisions would have an important bearing on the Committee's deliberations. In January 1919, however, the Committee was informed that in the course of these discussions certain proposals had been made as to the supply of water on a meter rate instead of on a percentage basis, and that on preliminary consideration the Council had reached the conclusion that further consideration of these proposals should be deferred until such time as the Committee had concluded its deliberations, since the proposals referred to were so far-reaching and of such importance that the Council could not venture any definite views thereon without exhaustive examination, of data and statistics as to the cost of production, consumption, waste, etc., which examination would be of little value should the Committee recommend and the Ratepayers approve purchase of the Company's undertaking.

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Accordingly the Committee met on Friday, March 14, when present financial conditions in their bearing upon the question submitted for the Committee's consideration were the subject of discussion. It was pointed out that, when the Council moved Resolution VII already referred to, it fully realized that, if the purchase of the Waterworks undertaking were recommended, a very large sum would be involved and that the task of raising the necessary finance would not be an easy one unless the financial situation improved. In the Committee's opinion the financial situation cannot be said to be better than in March, 1918, even though the outlook may be brighter. Moreover the Committee is informed that the Council is pledged to a somewhat unexpected expenditure of a large amount in the next few years for additions to its electrical generating plant, and that it is probable that heavy expenditure will have to be met in the near future in providing a water sewage scheme. Under these circumstances, it appeared to the Committee that consideration of purchase of the Waterworks Undertaking should be deferred, since, should it upon a consideration of the advantages and disadvantages of such purchase make a recommendation that could not be acted upon, the activities of the Waterworks Company might, it is conceivable, be adversely affected which would not be in the best interests either of the Company or of the Community.

*Recommendation of the Committee.*—The Committee, therefore, recommends that consideration of the desirability of purchase of the Waterworks Undertaking be deferred until such time as financial conditions will permit of such purchase, should the Committee recommend accordingly. In making this recommendation the Committee wish to emphasize that it expresses no views either in favour of or against purchase.

E. C. PEARCE (*Chairman*)
A. C. CLEAR,
EDWARD I. EZRA,
JOHN JOHNSTONE,
H. G. SIMMS.

Shanghai, March 24, 1919.

## Public Band.

On and after April 6, the Sunday performances at the Town Hall will begin at 5 o'clock p m. instead of 4.30 p.m. as hitherto.

On Sunday next, April 6, at 5 o'clock p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

1. Overture "Le Caid" Thomas
2. Trio for Piano, Violin and Cello "A la memoire d'un grand Artist" Tschaikowsky
   (*a*) Pezzo elegiaco
   (*b*) Tema con variazioni
   Var 1. Andante con moto
   „ 2. Piu mosso
   „ 3. Allegro moderato
   „ 4. L'istesso tempo
   „ 5. L'istesso tempo
   „ 6. Tempo di Valse
   „ 7. Allegro moderato
   „ 8. Fuga
   „ 9. Andante
   „ 10. Tempo di Mazurka
   „ 11. Moderato
   (*c*) Finale-Allegro resoluto e con fuoco

*(The Moscow Trio)*

3. "Valse Triste" Sibelius
4. (*a*) Prelude Massenet
   (*b*) Romance Glinka

*(The Moscow Trio)*

5. Symphonic Poem "Le Rouet d'Omphale" Saint-Saëns

A. DE KRYGER,
*Conductor-in-Charge.*

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MARCH 29.

*Police Force.*— Long leave is granted to the following from June 10, 1919 to March 9, 1920, the date of expiry of their agreements, whereupon their services will terminate:—

1st Class Warder M. Hanrahan.
3rd „ Sergeant W. Howells.
„ „ „ J. Watson.
1st „ Constable J. Withers.

*Health Department.*—Miss M. M. McNeil is appointed temporarily as Nurse from April 1.

The appointment of Miss P. Ceetare, Probationer Nurse, is confirmed under agreement from June 14, 1918.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. W. A. B. Leach, Clerk of Works, from April 8.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. H. McAdam, Clerical Assistant, returned from war service, resumed duty on February 19.

*Educational Department.*—Long leave is granted to Miss J. Patterson, Headmistress Public School for Girls, from March 29.

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, March 30, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 2 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 25 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 2 |
| Influenza | — | 114 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 5 | 318 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬工程章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 所有承攬工程必須本局自備之表格辦理如未有此表格亦可用白紙繕寫

三 承攬人須將估定價目開列清單交局之保證人簽名蓋印

四 承攬人之保證人須為本局認可之殷實商人

五 所有承攬人之合同須由本局辦理公證人簽名蓋印

六 所有承攬人之報價須附有公信一張內載明本人姓名及住址若報價人知悉本局有權不承認最低價或任何一張

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## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice:—

That a Public Meeting of Rate payers will be held in the Town Hall on Wednesday, April 9, 1919, at 2 o'clock p.m. precisely, to devise ways and means of raising the requisite funds for Municipal purposes, and to pass resolutions in reference thereto and to deliberate and decide upon other Municipal matters and business. At such meeting the accounts of the Council for the year ending December 31, 1918, will be submitted for the sanction and approval of the Ratepayers.

Shanghai, March 19, 1919.

D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium.*
T. RAASCHOU,
*Consul-General for Denmark.*
A. ARIYOSHI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*
E. D. H. FRASER,
*Consul-General for Great Britain.*
V. GROSSE,
*Consul-General for Russia.*
J. E. HULTMAN,
*Consul-General for Sweden.*
THOMAS SAMMONS,
*Consul-General for the United States of America.*
J. H. DE RÉUS,
*Consul-General for the Netherlands.*
G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy.*
JORGE R. D'OLIVEIRA,
*Consul-General for Portugal.*
JORGE R. D'OLIVEIRA,
*In charge of Cuban Consulate.*
H. A. WILDEN,
*Acting Consul-General for France.*
T. KNUDTZON,
*Acting Consul-General for Norway.*
HUGO REISS,
*Consul for Brazil.*
JULIO PALENCIA,
*Consul for Spain.*

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2592.

THE following Resolutions will be brought forward by the Council at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers to be held in the Town Hall on April 9, 1919, at 2 o'clock p.m., and are published for general information:—

*Resolutions I, II and III.—Formal business and adoption of Rules of Procedure.*

*Resolution IV.*—That the Report and Accounts for the year ending December 31, 1918, be passed.

*Resolution V.*—That the estimated expenditure for 1919, contained in the Budget proposed by the retiring Council, together with the recommendations attached thereto, be approved and adopted, and that the Council be and it is hereby authorized to impose, collect and recover the rates, taxes, dues and fees recommended therein, and to raise, should it be considered expedient to do so, upon such terms and in such manner as the Council may in its discretion think fit, a sum not exceeding Tls. 3,400,000 or the equivalent of this sum, for the purposes defined in the estimate of Extraordinary Expenditure.

*Resolution VI.*—That the Council be and it is hereby authorized to approve and sanction any such extension or extensions of the railless tram system as it may from time to time consider desirable in the public interest and upon such terms and conditions as it may in its discretion think fit, provided that no right in regard to passenger or freight transport shall thereby be created in favour of any person, firm or company of such a character as will preclude this Community from availing itself of or from permitting the introduction of any other form of passenger or freight transport upon any route or routes traversed by the railless tram system.

*Resolution VII.—Election of Land Commissioner for the ensuing year.*

*Resolution VIII.—Election of four Governors of the General Hospital for the ensuing year.*

*Resolution IX.—Election of two members of the Permanent Education Committee.*

Ratepayers intending to ask questions in regard to the Accounts or other matters connected with the foregoing Resolutions, are requested to give notice of such intention before the Meeting, so that a full answer or other explanation may be given.

Ratepayers desirous of bringing forward additional motions, or of nominating duly qualified persons willing to serve under Resolutions VII, VIII and IX, are required to give notice thereof to the undersigned before 4 p.m. on April 2, for due publication.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 29, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2593.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in addition to the Resolutions to be brought forward by the Council, as published in Notification No. 2592, the following will be proposed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9.

*Resolution X.*—That the Shanghai Municipal Council be authorized to appoint a SPECIAL COMMITTEE, to investigate vice conditions in the International Settlement: and that such Committee be empowered to collect evidence from the Municipal Departments and other sources, and report and make recommendations thereon at the next Ratepayers' Meeting.

That the said Special Committee be composed of nine persons, three to be nominated by the Council, three by the Shanghai Moral Welfare Committee, and three others by the six so nominated as aforesaid.

Proposer: A. J. WALKER.
Seconder: L. E. CANNING.

*Resolution XI.*—That a Commission be appointed to enquire into and report publicly upon the condition of "B" Company, British, Shanghai Volunteer Corps, and into the Regulations governing the Shanghai Volunteer Corps generally

Proposer: N. C. HOME.
Seconder: JOHN R. HYKES

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 3, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2596.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in addition to the Resolutions to be brought forward by the Council and Ratepayers, respectively, as published in Notification Nos. 2592 and 2593, the following will be proposed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9:—

*Amendment to Resolution V.*—That an appropriation be included in the Budget under the heading General Charges to provide for the issue of Pay to all Allied Municipal employees who have proceeded on War service, in respect of the whole period of their absence on such service until December 31, 1918, at the rate of 50 per cent. of the Pay of which they were in receipt on the date when they proceeded on War service and that the issue of such pay be left to a Committee selected by the Council to advise as to the respective proportions thereof to be paid in cash or placed to the Superannuation Fund account, or invested on behalf of such employees and to advise on the general conditions to be made applicable to the issue of such pay, provided that any payments already made by the Council to such employees in respect of their absence on War service or of their non-return to the Council's Service shall be taken into account as a set-off against any amounts for the payment and contribution of which provision is made hereunder and provided also that the total amount paid and contributed hereunder in respect of any one such employee shall not exceed the sum of Tls. 8,000. And that the Council

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be and it is hereby authorized for the purposes aforesaid to impose, collect and recover, in addition to the Land Tax and General Municipal Rate, for the levy of which provision is made in the Budget, Land Tax at the rate of one-twentieth of 1 per cent. on the assessed value of all land within the limits of the Settlement, payable by the renters thereof and General Municipal Rate of 1 per cent. on the assessed rentals of houses within the Settlement, payable by the occupants and of ½ per cent. on the assessed rentals of houses beyond Settlement limits, upon which General Municipal rate is payable under provision of the Agreement of July 1, 1905 with the Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld., payable in each case on July 1, 1919.

Proposer: PERCY FOWLER.

Seconder: EVAN MORGAN.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 4, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2599.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, in addition to the Resolutions to be brought forward by the Council and Ratepayers, respectively, as published in Notification Nos. 2592, 2593 and 2596, the following will be proposed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9:—

*Amendment to Resolution V.*—That the following words be added after the words "approved and adopted":—Provided that the Grant-in-Aid of Tls. 2,000 to the Paulun Hospital be not paid without adequate guarantee, from the Chinese Committee in Charge, that no German shall be employed in the Hospital in any capacity'.

Proposer: H. C. PATRICK.

Seconder: H. FRESSON.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL.

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 7, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2597.**

**VOTING TICKETS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that voting tickets have been forwarded to Ratepayers entitled to vote at the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Ratepayers. Any such Ratepayer not having received his ticket is requested to be good enough to communicate with the undersigned as soon as possible.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 5, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2594.**

**TAVERN LICENCES.**

REFERRING to Notification No. 2573, applications have been made to the Council for the following new Tavern Licences for the ensuing Municipal year:—

| Applicant | Address |
|---|---|
| J. J. Birnbaum | 14 Astor Road |
| E. Bruno | New Point Hotel |

The attention of applicants is drawn to the fact that only *bonâ fide* resident proprietors or managers will be permitted to hold licences.

The public is reminded that protests against the issue of these licences, or against the renewal of any existing licences, will be heard by a Committee of the Council sitting in the Council Room, No. 24 Kiangse Road, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, April 11.

It is requested that notice of such protest be given in writing to the undersigned.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 3, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2598.**

**CHINESE WINE SHOP OFF-LICENCE.**

THE following licence conditions will be enforced with effect from April 1, 1919:—

1.—That the licence be not transferable.

2.—That the licence number plate be fixed in a conspicuous position at the main outside entrance to the premises and remain at all times legible and undefaced and that the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous place inside the premises.

3.—That free access be given to the Police on duty and to officers of the Health and Public Works Departments, the Revenue Office and the Fire Brigade, charged with the inspection of licensed premises.

4.—That no liquor sold be consumed on the premises.

5.—That samples of the liquor kept for sale be furnished when required for analysis by the Health Officer or his accredited representative; and that if such liquor be found on such analysis to be bad, impure, unwholesome, or unfit for consumption, the same shall be liable to be confiscated and dealt with in such manner as the Council may direct, without compensation.

6.—That no noise, disorderly conduct or gambling be permitted and that no persons of bad character be harboured on the premises.

7.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.

8.—That on a breach of any of its conditions, the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 8, 1919.

AT the special meeting of the Finance Committee held on Thursday, April 3, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
J. H. Dollar
T. Ibukiyama

Upon the invitation of the Committee the following gentlemen attended the meeting:—

Messrs. A. L. Anderson
D. M. Gubbay

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Monday, April 7, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
E. I. Ezra
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
Ed. White

*Absent:*

Messrs. J. H. Dollar
J. Johnstone

The meeting adjourned at 6.25 p.m.

**Annual Meeting of Ratepayers.**

**April 9, 1919.**

AGENDA.

*Resolution I.*—Appointment of Chairman.

*Resolution II.*—Appointment of Secretary.

*Resolution III.*—Adoption of Rules of Procedure.

*Resolution IV.*—Passing of Report and Accounts for 1918.

*Presentation* to Mr. E. C. Pearce of Casket containing Certificate of Admission as a Freeman of the Settlement and Presentation of Congratulatory Address by Municipal Employes.

*Resolution V.*—Adoption of Budget for 1919 and authorization of loan issue.

*Amendment.*—Compensation of Employes on War Service.

*Amendment.*—Reservation in regard to grant-in-aid to Paulun Hospital.

*Resolution VI.*—Railless Tram Extensions.

*Resolution VII.*—Election of Land Commissioner.

*Resolution VIII.*—Election of Governors of the General Hospital.

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*Resolution IX.*—Election of members of Permanent Education Committee.

*Resolution X.*—Appointment of Special Committee on vice conditions.

*Resolution XI.*—Appointment of Commission on "B" Company, British, of the Volunteer Corps and the Volunteer Corps' Regulations.

**Sequestration of Property of Enemy Subjects.**

Correspondence with the Senior Consul, assenting to the establishment by the Chinese Authorities, at No. 122 Bubbling Well Road, within the limits of the Settlement, of the office known as the "Branch Office for the Control of Funds and property of Enemy Subjects":—

Council Room,

Shanghai, February 19, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to transmit herein enclosed copy of a notice published in the "North-China Daily News" of February 14 under the heading "Sequestration of Property of Enemy Subjects" and to place on record the fact that as a further measure of co-operation with the Chinese Government and for general convenience, the Council assents to the establishment at No. 122 Bubbling Well Road, within the limits of the Foreign Settlement, of the office therein referred to as the "Branch Office for the Control of Funds and property of Enemy Subjects," and in doing so I have the honour to request that you may impress upon the Chinese Authorities that their desire to establish this office at the address stated and to issue the notice in question should first have been communicated to you for transmission to the Council for its formal assent, in accordance with the procedure customary in such matters and that in future this procedure, which presents no difficulty, should be strictly observed, since its non-observance can only, in view of their past attempts to function in the Settlement, create suspicion as to their motives, which, I need scarcely emphasise, is inimical to that spirit of co-operation and amicable understanding which it has ever been the Council's endeavour to promote.

In regard to the terms of the said notice, I have the honour to express the Council's view that the requirement that claims against enemy subjects should be lodged at the office at 122 Bubbling Well Road is without objection provided that it is clearly understood that the Council's assent to the establishment of this office does not extend to permit of its acting in any judicial capacity in respect of claims against enemy subjects resident in the Settlement, or against enemy property situate therein, which must in the event of dispute be referred for hearing and decision by the Mixed Court, which alone is the court of competent jurisdiction and must so remain. In this connexion I have the honour to suggest that the Chinese Authorities should be reminded of the fact that, before such properties can be administered, it will be necessary for the Director and Associate Director named in the said notice to apply to the Mixed Court for the requisite order vesting such properties in them, as also to submit to the jurisdiction of the Court so that thereby may be avoided any misgiving that may exist on the part of Settlement residents that the Chinese Authorities desire to remove claims present and future against enemy residents of the Settlement and against enemy properties therein situate, out of the jurisdiction of the Court.

Finally I have the honour to observe that such executive measures as may be requisite in the Settlement in connexion with the repatriation of Enemy Subjects therein resident or the sequestration of the properties of Enemy Subjects therein situate, must be carried out under the direction of the Municipal Police, though to facilitate the work of the Director and Associate Director in this connexion the Council will accord permits to such approved delegates as may be by them appointed for this purpose.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. C. PEARCE,

*Chairman*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,

Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.

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*(Enclosure)*

*Extract from "North-China Daily News," dated February 14, 1919.*

**Sequestration of Property of Enemy Subjects.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against Enemy Subjects now residing within the province of Kiangsu or against estates under the Control of enemy subjects now residing within the province of Kiangsu are hereby required to send particulars in writing thereof (in triplicate) to us the undersigned, duly appointed by Presidential Mandate as Director and Associate Director of the Branch Office for the control of Funds and Property of Enemy Subjects in the Province of Kiangsu and that all such claims as aforesaid must be delivered to us at No. 122 Bubbling Well Road on or before the 20th day of February, 1919, and that no such claim will be entertained after that date.

IVAN CHEN.

Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, and Director of the Branch Office for the Administration of Funds and Property of Enemy Subjects in Kiangsu.

WANG KENG-TING.

Taoyin of Hu-haw circuit, and Associate Director of the Branch Office for the Administration of Funds and Property of Enemy Subjects in Kiangsu.

Shanghai, February 27, 1919.

SIR,—I enclose herewith for your consideration and reply copy of the Chinese text and a free translation of a letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs in Shanghai concerning the administration of Funds and Property of Enemy Subjects in the Settlement of Shanghai.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

D. SIFFERT,

*Consul-General for Belgium, and Senior Consul.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,

Chairman, Municipal Council.

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*(Enclosure.)*

*Translation of letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to the Senior Consul, dated February 26, 1919.*

The Commissioner is in receipt of a note from the Branch Office for the Administration of Funds and Property of Enemy Subjects in Kiangsu saying that the funds and property of enemy subjects in the Settlement shall be taken over and administered by this office; they have wired to and obtained sanction from the Central Office on this subject. They wrote yesterday asking the Commissioner to take note and arrange with the Senior Consul, also publication of a notice in the Chinese and foreign newspapers. Now the officer of this (Branch) office and Mr. S. K. Chen, Secretary of the Commissioner's yamen, say that they have personally arranged with the Senior Consul that the receiving and handling of the funds and property of enemy subjects in the Settlement shall be on similar lines as was done in the seizure of arms and munitions from German and Austrian subjects at the time of severance of connexion between China and Germany. Under the arrangement the Branch Office will send a representative or representatives while the Senior Consul will ask the Municipal Council to detail police to assist or accompany them to proceed to take over (such property) and in case the work of receiving same is not finished a sealing slip will be posted thereon announcing that the same has been inspected by the Branch Office for the Administration of Funds and Property of Enemy Subjects in Kiangsu. The repatriation of enemy subjects is approaching; the Office should lose no time in the matter of taking over and administering the funds and property of enemy subjects and so they hasten to ask the Commissioner to address the Senior Consul to ask the Municipal Council to detail police to assist in this matter.

He is glad to note that Mr. S. K. Chen has arranged the matter personally with the Senior Consul and now he has to write and ask the Senior Consul to ask the Council to send police to assist and with many thanks. Awaiting the favour of a reply.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 6, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 27 transmitting for the Council's consideration a copy and translation of a communication from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs on the subject of the administration of the funds and property of enemy subjects resident in the Settlement.

In reply to the request made on behalf of the Branch Office for the Control of Funds and Property of Enemy Subjects, that the Council should arrange for the Municipal Police to accompany the delegates appointed by the said office to inspect enemy properties in the Settlement and that the Council should permit of the sealing of such properties with sealing slips issued by the said office, I have the honour to refer to the suggestion made in my letter of February 19 that the Chinese Authorities should be reminded of the fact that before such properties can be administered it will be necessary for the Director and Associate Director of the said office to apply to the Mixed Court for the requisite order vesting such properties in them as also to submit to the jurisdiction of that Court. In those cases, however, in which enemy subjects have consented to submit their properties to such inspection and sealing as aforesaid and their written consent thereto is delivered to the Council for authority and record, and due notice is given, arrangements can be made for the Police to accompany the delegates on their attending to inspect and seal the properties concerned: at the same time I have the honour to observe that the only sealing papers which can be recognised as of any validity or value as such in the Settlement are those which are issued by the Consular Courts or the Mixed Court and that the Council cannot therefore accept or recognise any responsibility or liability in regard to the affixing of so-called sealing papers issued by the said office above referred to.

I have the honour to add that should it be desired that any particular enemy properties be specially watched, the Council is willing to make the necessary arrangements therefor at the cost of the said office in accordance with the usual scale of charges for special watching services.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

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**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Nanking Road.* — Compensation for the surrender of a portion of the scheduled area of Lot 31 has been agreed upon with Messrs. E. D. Sassoon & Co., Ld., on the basis of the assessed value plus 10 per cent. and less one-third deduction for betterment on an area of Mow 0.005 sufficient to widen the road to 40-ft. The amount payable therefore is Tls. 2,706 in respect of the area to be surrendered measuring Mow 0.029. Reinstatement will be carried out by the Public Works Department at an estimated cost of Tls. 50.

*Yuyuen Road and Surplus Land.* —Arrangements have been made for the purchase from Mr. C. Luthy for rectification of the line of this road of B.C. Lots 8613 and 8446. The whole of the first named lot will be merged in the road and approximately two-thirds of the latter, leaving a piece of surplus land measuring Mow 0.603 for use or resale hereafter as circumstances may require. The price paid, at the rate of Tls. 3,500 per Mow, is Tls. 6,968.

*New Roads.*—Correspondence with the Rev. Dr. J. R. Hykes:—

Shanghai, December 16, 1918

SIR,—In connexion with my letter of even date *re* the extension of water mains to the Ang Hwo Dairy, 53 Edinburgh Road, I would respectfully submit that in my opinion it is a wise policy to extend such conveniences as water and electricity to residences erected on the out-lying Municipal roads.

Some years ago, when I was a member of the Council I advocated the macadamizing of the Municipal roads outside of the Settlement and the policy of extending the water and electricity mains to houses, erected on them, which paid Municipal rates.

This was being done in what is now the French Settlement extension and the manner in which it has been built up as contrasted with the Western District proves the wisdom of the more liberal policy adopted at that time by the French Municipality.

Yours sincerely,
JOHN R. HYKES.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, January 31, 1919.

SIR,—In reply to your letter of December 16, on the subject of the macadamising of new roads and the policy of extending water mains to new houses erected on them, I am directed to inform you that the Council recognizes the desirability of the adoption of a broad minded and liberal policy in this respect, and is ready and willing at all times to act and does act thereon so far as is possible, having regard to public requirements and the financial situation.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Rev. Dr. J. R. HYKES.

**Moral Conditions in the Settlement.**

Correspondence in continuation of that published in the Gazette of April 3:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 3, 1919.

SIR,—With reference to my letter of March 31, I am directed to send you herein enclosed copy of a letter from Mrs. A. G. Parrott, Honorary Secretary and Treasurer to the Door of Hope, which will be referred to the Council for further consideration.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

P. M. B. LAKE, Esq.,
Associate Honorary Secretary,
Shanghai Moral Welfare Committee.

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Shanghai, April 2, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—With reference to the Council's suggestion and enquiry contained in your letter of March 28, I am directed by my Committee to say that, we shall be very glad to extend the work of our Institution along such lines as would result in the release of Chinese prostitutes who are forcibly detained in evil bondage, and give them the opportunity of changed lives. We consider that much good might be accomplished along the lines you suggest, if our representatives had the power to enter brothels and investigate cases which come to our knowledge, and also to do systematic visiting in this connexion. We are constantly hearing of cases of ill-treatment, forcible detention, and disease, and often we cannot get into touch with them.

Any aggressive work along the lines suggested would need much wisdom and care, and we feel it would be necessary for our Committee to have an interview with some representative of the Council, in order to discuss important points in connexion with this proposition.

I am, Sir,
Yours faithfully,
(MRS. A. G.) C. M. PARROTT,
*Hon. Sec. & Treas.,*
*Door of Hope.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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**Tramways.**

*Trailer Cars and Railless Passenger Cars.*—In terms of the following correspondence, the Council has sanctioned the construction of 15 additional trailer and 7 additional railless cars:—

Shanghai, March 22, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I enclose two prints of each of the following drawings:

No. 326 for two-compartment Trailer Car with 9-ft. 6-in. wheel-base.

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No. 323 for Railless Passenger Car with 1st Class compartment at front instead of rear as in the present cars.

It is proposed, with the approval of the Council, to instal 15 additional trailer cars and 7 additional railless cars in accordance with the above-mentioned drawings. The main dimensions of the bodies will be similar to those of the present cars.

Since the Company last made application to the Council for sanction to the installation of additional cars, the number of passengers has increased by nearly twenty millions per annum. There are now 90 motor tramcars and 70 trailers. It is proposed to employ most of the additional cars on Route No. 12 which now runs between Carter Road and Range Road, viâ Bubbling Well Road, Nanking Road, Bund, North Soochow Road and North Szechuen Road. It is contemplated to make this route a circular one by continuing it along Range Road, Boundary Road, North Chekiang Road and Sinza Road, so that there would be no turning of cars. Some of the proposed additional trailer cars would be available for supplementing the service on existing routes as may be required. The drawing shows a long wheel-base, viz., 9-ft. 6-in.; this is rendered possible by radial axles, a trailer equipped with which we have had running with complete satisfaction for over two years. The wheel-base of the other sixty-nine trailers is 6-ft. 6-in. and it is hoped, later, to convert these to the radial type, as the longer wheel-base ensures steadier running and tends to overcome the operating disadvantage of one end of the car (1st Class) being often empty or only sparsely occupied.

When the Company proposed the short extension of the railless system in Peking Road, west of Fokien Road, for the purpose of enabling a test to be made of alternative forms of paving, it was expected that the extension could have been carried out so as to admit of the test being obtained without much delay. A long time has elapsed, however, and the traffic on the railless route has developed to such an extent that the accommodation of the railless cars is taxed to a greater extent than that of the rail cars on any route.

The favour of an early reply is desired so that the work of construction may be put in hand.

Yours faithfully,

D. McColl,

*General Manager,*

*Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld.*

C. Harpur, Esq.,

Acting Engineer & Surveyor.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, April 1, 1919.

Sir,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 22 to the Municipal Engineer enclosing prints relating to a two compartment trailer car and a railless passenger car, and requesting the approval of the Council to your proposal to obtain and instal 15 additional trailer and 7 additional railless cars.

I am directed to inform you that the Council sanctions this proposal.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant.

N. O. Liddell,

*Secretary.*

D. McColl, Esq.,

General Manager,

Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld.

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**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 151 | Nanking | S. A. Hardoon | | | addns. |
| 509 | do. | Chow Soey Kee | | | addns. |
| 914A | Park Lane | Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| 1110 | Kungping | J. Ambrose | | | addns. |
| 1537 | Tongshan | V. Olsen | | 1 | |
| 2460 | Y'poo | E. J. Muller | | | altns. |
| 1480 | B'bling Well | Ch na Rea ty Co., Ld. | | | kitchen |
| 3559 | Connaught | Li Pai Chin | | | bunding |
| 4323 | Markham | Hong Yue Cotton Mill Co. Ld. | | 1 | |
| 2899 | Seymour | China Realty Co., Ld. | 1 | | |
| 3240 | do. | R. A. Cury | 1 | | |
| 2321 | Yates & Gt. Western | Wong Chi Ju | | | wall |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 513 | Nanking | Sin Cheng King | | | addns. |
| 452B & 452C | Peking | Lee Shing Kee | 3 | | |
| 327 | N. Soochow | Chang Yu n Kee | | | addns. |
| 2120 | Dalny | Wong Yu Chong | | | addns. |
| Unreg. E of 6445 | Y'poo | Sung Zung Ke | 2 | | |
| Unreg. S of 970 | Yochow | Chun Wei Ping | | | addns. & wall |
| Unreg. E of 1366 | Avenue Edward VII | Chow Koh Hsiang | 2 | | |
| Unreg. W of 2881 | B'bling Well | Lee Ah Keng | 4 | | |
| Unreg. E of 1086 | Chengtu | Wong King Kee | 9 | | |
| 1863 & unreg. E of 1863 | Lungmen | Tsao Sing Tai | 7 | | |
| 688 | Stonebridge | Algar & Co., Ld. | 5 | | |
| 1338 | Thibet | Wong Shun Chong | 3 | | |
| Unreg. S of 126 | Wenchow | Tse Zung Tsai | 15 | | |

**Public Band.**

On Sunday next, April 13, at 5 o'clock p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

1. Overture "Ossian" Gade
2. Trio for Piano, Violin and Cello Saint-Saëns
   (*a*) Preambule
   (*b*) Menuet
   (*c*) Intermezzo
   (*d*) Finale
   *(The Moscow Trio)*

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3. Rhapsodie No. 2 Liszt
4. (*a*) "Morning" Mel Bonis
   (*b*) "Evening" "
   *(The Moscow Trio)*
5. "Suite de Ballet" Grétry
   (*a*) Tambourin
   (*b*) Menuet
   (*c*) Gigue

A. de Kryger,

*Conductor-in-Charge*

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**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, April 6, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 2 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 18 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 |
| Influenza | — | 57 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 9 | 209 |

Arthur Stanley,

*Health Officer.*

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**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, APRIL 5.

*Police Force.*—The services of the following, who proceeded on war service, have terminated:—

2nd Assistant Superintendent E. C. Creasy

1st Class Sergeant W. M. McSwiney

3rd Class Sergeant H. J. Beach

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1st Class Constable C. Burnie
3rd Class Constable J. W. Litt
3rd Class Constable J. W. F. Mackenzie

*Health Department.*—Probationer Nurse E. Larchenko is permitted to terminate her service on April 15.

Long leave is granted to Nurse B. Phillips, from April 16.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. E. G. Myhre is appointed temporarily as Junior Clerk from April 7.

*Electricity Department.* — The service of Assistant Mains Engineer W. B. Betts, who proceeded on war service, has terminated.

*Secretariat.*—Long leave is granted to Miss C. Allan, Stenographer and Typist, from April 16.

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**Fire Brigade Report for February.**

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 12, as against 31 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 20,650 (Foreign, Tls. 20,050; Chinese, Tls. 600), as against Tls. 6,700 (Foreign, Tls. 100; Chinese, Tls. 6,600) during February 1918. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 361,000 (Foreign, Tls. 325,000; Chinese, Tls. 36,000), as against Tls. 862,000 (Foreign, Tls. 780,000; Chinese, Tls. 82,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 9, Watch Tower 1, Police 1 and Street Alarm 1.

The general alarm was given on 2 occasions, the remaining 10 being station calls.

These calls proved to be 9 small fires, 1 chimney fire, 1 false alarm and 1 fire outside the Settlement.

The supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Lamp upset | 1 |
| Spontaneous combustion | 1 |
| Dirty chimney | 1 |
| Fusing of electric wiring | 1 |
| Ignition of film | 1 |
| Charcoal heater close to wood partition | 1 |
| Wood in contact with smelter | 1 |
| Arson | 1 |
| Unknown | 2 |

The premises affected were:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Foreign buildings | 4 |
| Chinese buildings | 9 |

Of these one building was destroyed by fire and seven others were more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The water used at fires during the month was 68,540 gallons.

The Brigade was occupied 7½ hours, and the Staff was employed for a further 107¾ hours watching and damping down.

Unfortunately three lives were lost at fires attended by the Brigade during the month.

The fires of note during the month were:—

*161 Bubbling Well Road, February 15, at 5.02 a.m.*—At 5.02 a.m. a telephone message was received from a foreigner reporting smoke arising from a foreign residence near Seymour and Bubbling Well Roads. On arrival of the No. 7 Company, flames were belching from the windows of the ground floor rooms on the east. A report was immediately given that Mrs. E. S. Kadoorie was in the premises, but no definite information could be given as to her exact whereabouts. Ladders were raised to the verandah adjoining Mrs. Kadoorie's room, but she was not there and an attempt at rescue was made, but unfortunately the efforts of the Brigade proved unsuccessful. After a strenuous search made under extremely difficult conditions owing to the heat and smoke, Mrs. Kadoorie was found in a small store room which was immediately opposite her bedroom against the head of the staircase. She was carried to her room and artificial respiration was attempted without avail. The rest of the family had a very narrow escape, having to descend by ladders placed against the verandahs both staircases being cut off.

*XX 97 North Yunnan Road, February 15, at 9.40½ p.m.*—This outbreak was practically extinguished before the arrival of the Brigade. A lamp had been overturned setting fire to the bed upon which an amah and one child were lying. They were badly burnt, and removed to Hospital. Both subsequently succumbed to their injuries.

*H 327 Hoopeh Road, February 26, at 7.05 p.m.*—About 7.05 p.m. a portion of a film in the projecting box in the Cinema Hall on the fourth floor of the Entertainment building, known as "Flower World," at the junction of Hoopeh and Foochow Roads, caught on fire, and naturally created a good deal of smoke.

The firemen on duty quickly got a hydrant to work and dealt with the outbreak, which was by no means a small one owing to a quantity of loose film in the room.

Fortunately there were not many people in this part of the building at the time and only a small panic was caused.

M. W. Pett,
*Chief Officer*

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RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call | | Alarm given | Locality | District | | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Time of | How received | | | Municipal | Fire | | | Brigade | Staff | |
| Feb. 4 | 4.13 a.m. | Telephone | Station | B92-3 Sinza Rd. | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | 2 damaged | 45 minutes | 38 hours | |
| 11 | 6.20 a.m. | Street Alarm | ,, | North Szechuen/Haining Roads | Northern | 2 | | | 10 ,, | | False Alarm |
| 12 | 11.05 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | 129 Range Rd. | ,, | 2 | Foreign Resid. | | 25 ,, | 1 ,, | Chimney |
| 15 | 5.02 a.m. | ,, | General | 161 Bubbling Well Rd. | Western | 7 | ,, | 1 damaged | 2 hours | 33 ,, | One life lost |
| 15 | 9.40 p.m. | Louza Police | Station | Xx 97 North Yunnan Rd. | Central | 6 | Chinese Stable | ,, | 20 minutes | | Two lives lost |
| 17 | 9.31 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | Y 2061 North Szechuen Rd. | Northern | 2 | Chinese Shop | | 15 ,, | 2 ,, | |
| 21 | 3.50 a.m. | ,, | ,, | Uu 52 Ching Yuen Lee | Central | 3 | ,, | | 15 ,, | | |
| 22 | 7.54 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Xc 144 Sing Dongkaloong | Northern | 8 | Chinese Temple | | 20 ,, | 1½ ,, | |
| 23 | 10.01 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Jessfield Rd. | Outside | | | | 25 ,, | | |
| 24 | 5.14 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | General | M 88 Minghong Rd. | Northern | 2 | Chinese Shop | 3 damaged | 30 ,, | 19 ,, | |
| 26 | 7.05 p.m. | Telephone | Station | H 327 Hoopeh Road | Central | 5 | Foreign Cinema | | | 15 minutes | |
| 26 | 11.28 p.m. | ,, | ,, | 22 Off Ferry Road | Western | 7 | Foreign Godown | 1 destroyed | 1 hour and 50 minutes | 13 hours | |

M. W. Pett, *Chief Officer*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有擬承攬各項本局承認全份填

二 未行估定價必准攬價目繼承款承本辦如是極低不承本局亦自

三 擇人到定後之局之後保證合同辦理的認付保

四 所有承攬各人之信及承攬者公報僱人須覓辦理付人之信

五 目以後登入本局濟單若須繳付知悉

六 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

本局所有取必將其說明清單寄送本局工部局西江路二十號上午十一時半至下午四時

明所收之錢數在此範圍內登記

後仍將該款一律退還

所有承攬信應附一俟得標者須繳納保證金

部面寫其承攬何項工料價目表內加蓋火漆封固

部局總辦送交本局工部局

二時之前以用信送達定期開標

信送來最善此次概免交

信章

Fee

Date for receipt of tenders

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 186 | 90 3-phase Induction Motors<br>Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 26 |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2595.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business, on GOOD FRIDAY, April 18, on Saturday, April 19, and on EASTER MONDAY, April 21

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 3, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2598.**

**CHINESE WINE SHOP OFF-LICENCE.**

THE following licence conditions will be enforced with effect from April 1, 1919:—

1.—That the licence be not transferable.

2.—That the licence number plate be fixed in a conspicuous position at the main outside entrance to the premises and remain at all times legible and undefaced and that the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous place inside the premises.

3.—That free access be given to the Police on duty and to officers of the Health and Public Works Departments, the Revenue Office and the Fire Brigade, charged with the inspection of licensed premises.

4.—That no liquor sold be consumed on the premises.

5.—That samples of the liquor kept for sale be furnished when required for analysis by the Health Officer or his accredited representative; and that if such liquor be found on such analysis to be bad, impure, unwholesome, or unfit for consumption, the same shall be liable to be confiscated and dealt with in such manner as the Council may direct, without compensation.

6.—That no noise, disorderly conduct or gambling be permitted and that no persons of bad character be harboured on the premises.

7.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.

8.—That on a breach of any of its conditions, the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 8, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2600.**

(*Translation.*)

**HOUSE REFUSE REMOVAL.**

THE Council invites tenders for the Removal of House Refuse from the Settlement, for one year beginning May 1, 1919. The Council will bring the House Refuse to the Shoots.

The Contractor will have the privilege of selling House Refuse. Further particulars can be obtained from the Health Officer, Honan Road, at 11 a.m. daily, except on Sundays.

Tenders to be sent to the undersigned on or before April 22.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL.
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 11, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2601.**

**DAYLIGHT SAVING.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all Municipal clocks will be advanced one hour with effect from midnight April 12.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2602.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2603.**

**DOGS.**

DOG owners who have not yet taken out licences for the current year, are requested to make application at the Revenue Office, *accompanied by the fee of $5 for each dog.*

Attention is directed to Condition No. 6 imposed in the licence, as follows:—

"That the dog when in the streets "or other place of public resort be "effectively muzzled, but in such a "manner as will admit of its "breathing and drinking."

Dogs found without muzzles, whether led or at large, within the limits of the Settlement or on outlying roads, will be seized by the Police and detained at the Kennels in the Gordon Road for a period of one week or longer as circumstances may direct; their owners, when identified, will be prosecuted. Dogs wearing ineffective muzzles will be regarded as unmuzzled.

Enquiries on the subject of lost or strayed dogs should be made at the Gordon Road Police Station (Telephone No. West 348).

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 17, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2604.**

**TRAFFIC—"ONE-WAY ROADS."**

NOTICE is hereby given that, in order to relieve congestion in the Kiangse and Szechuen Roads, and with a view to ameliorating traffic conditions generally, the Kiangse Road will be available only for vehicles proceeding from South to North and the Szechuen Road for vehicles proceeding from North to South from May 1, 1919, and until further notice.

The public is requested to co-operate in making this regulation a success so that it may be permanently adopted.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 17, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2605.**

**STEAM LAUNCHES.**

THE following additional licence condition will be enforced with effect from May 1:—

7A.—*That the licensee (of passenger launches charging fares) on the first day of each month shall furnish the Captain-Superintendent of Police with a complete time table*

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*showing the times of departure and arrival of the said launch at all Jetties within the Settlement and that such time table for departures shall be strictly adhered to unless 24 hours notice in writing be given beforehand to the Captain-Superintendent of Police of any change thereof.*

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 17, 1919.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2606.**

**TRAFFIC.**

THE Chaoufoong Road Jetty will be closed to traffic during repairs, from Thursday, April 24, to Thursday, May 1, inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 17, 1919.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2607.**

**TOWN HALL.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the charge for the use of the Town Hall for meetings, dances or other social functions is Tls. 130 per diem, exclusive of the cost of electricity consumed.

The charge for the North or South Room only, inclusive of lighting, is Tls. 15 per diem or Tls. 10 for the afternoon only.

Applications should be made on special forms which can be obtained from the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 17, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Friday, April 4, 1919, at 4.15 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. W. Burkill *(Chairman)*
W. L. Merriman
S. B. Neill
P. Peebles
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Thurday, April 10, 1919, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

*Absent:*

Mr. A. Howard

The meeting adjourned at 12.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Watch Committee held on Friday, April 11, 1919, at 4.30 p m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Ed. White *(Chairman)*
H. A. J. Macray
A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 5 o'clock. p.m.

AT the meeting of the Library Committee held on Tuesday, April 15, 1919, at 11.45 a.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Rev. C. E. Darwent (*Chairman*)
Messrs. F. C. Kendall
R. F. C. Master

The meeting adjourned at 12.25 p.m.

AT the special meeting of the Watch Committee held on Wednesday, April 16, 1919, at 11.45 a.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Ed. White (*Chairman*)
H. A. J. Macray
A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 12.55 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, April 16, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 6.20 p.m.

**Council for 1919.**

The following will be the Office Bearers and Standing Committees for the ensuing year:—

*Chairman*: Mr. E. C. Pearce

*Vice-Chairman*: Mr. Ed. White.

*Finance Committee*: Messrs. J. H Dollar, T. Ibukiyama and E. C. Pearce.

*Works Committee*: Messrs C. M. Bain, A. Howard and W. L. Merriman.

*Watch Committee*: Messrs H A. J. Macray, A. Brooke Smith and Ed. White.

The Council's representatives on the Sub-Committees will be as follows:—On the *Electricity Committee*, Messrs. W. L. Merriman and Ed. White; on the *Health Committee*, Messrs. H. A J. Macray and Ed. White; on the *Permanent Education Committee*, Mr. E. C. Pearce; on the *Foreign Educational Committee*, Mr. C M. Bain; on the *Chinese Educational Committee*, Mr. A. Howard; on the *Band Committee*, Messrs. A. Howard and Ed. White; on the *Public Recreation Ground Committee*, Mr. W. L. Merriman

The membership of the Committees will, accordingly, be as follows:—

*Electricity Committee*: Messrs. A W. Burkill, W. L. Merriman, S. B. Neill, P. Peebles and Ed. White.

*Health Committee*: Messrs. Ed. White, S. J. Halse, H. A J. Macray, Drs. J. W. Jackson and E. L. Marsh.

*Permanent Education Committee*: Rev. Dr. F. L. Hawks Pott, Messrs. R. F. C. Master, E. C. Pearce and the Chairmen of the Foreign and Chinese Educational Committees.

*Foreign Educational Committee*: Messrs. C. M. Bain, J. W. C. Bonnar, C. P. Dawson and Dr. R S. Ivy.

*Chinese Educational Committee*: Rev. W. Hopkyn Rees, Messrs. A. Howard, Chicheh Nieh, H. Phillips and Shen Tun-ho.

*Band Committee*: Messrs. A. Howard and Ed. White.

*Parks Committee*: Mr. E Jenner Hogg, Rev Brother Faust and Mr. P Peebles

*Library Committee*: Rev O E Darwent, Messrs. R. F. C. Master and F. C. Kendall.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*Annual Inspection.*—A letter from H. E. Major-General Sir Francis Ventris, Commanding the troops in South China, informs the Council that he will be unable to accept the Council's invitation to inspect the Corps, but that he has delegated a Field Officer to carry out the inspection on his behalf.

This function will take place at the Public Recreation Ground on Saturday, April 26, at 3.30 p.m.

*American Company.*—The resignation of Lieut. A. H. Swan has been forwarded by the Commandant and accepted by the Council with regret.

**Commissioner of Customs.**

A letter from Mr. R. H. R. Wade, Commissioner of Customs, informs the Council that he has handed over charge of the Shanghai Customs to Mr. L. A. Lyall with effect from April 15.

**Annual Municipal Report.**

Ratepayers who require the Report complete with Table of Contents and Index, are requested to return the four separate Parts to the Council's Offices, No. 24 Kiangse Road, whereupon the single volume will be forwarded in exchange.

**Hotel Association.**

Correspondence with the Senior Consul on the subject of the regulations of a Chinese Transportation, Storage and Hotel Association:—

Shanghai, March 5, 1919.

SIR, I enclose herewith for your consideration and reply copy of the Chinese text and a free translation of a letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs in Shanghai concerning the regulations of the Hotel Guild.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium, and Senior Consul.*

E C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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(*Enclosure No. 1.*)

*Translation of letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to the Senior Consul, dated February 7, 1919.*

The Commissioner is in receipt of a petition from Yang Ying-chia saying that he was appointed Director of the Transportation, Storage & Hotel Association last year. On December 25 last he forwarded a copy of the rules of the Association which have received the approval of the Defence Commissioner and the matter has been placed on record. He also forwarded a copy of the rules on December 4 to the Shanghai City Magistrate for transmission to the Taoyin and he has received instructions to the effect that under the provisions of Article I of the Regulations promulgated by the Board (of Trade) relating to the establishment of commercial guilds or association a copy of the regulations approved by their members shall be submitted to the local chief authorities for report and transmission to the High Authorities for consideration and sanction by the Board: this is on record. As they have received only one copy of the regulations of the Hotel Association they have been directed to submit two more copies of these regulations so that they may transmit them to the authorities concerned, which has been done. The Chairman and Vice-Chairman have also convened a meeting of the members of the Association, informing them of these circumstances and the members have expressed the opinion that as the Chinese authorities have given their approval the Association may be considered as having been properly established. However, as the Association is situated within the Settlement it seems desirable that the matter should also be reported to be placed on record by the Municipal Councils of the Foreign and French Settlements so that when they hold meetings hereafter, they may apply to them to detail an official to superintend matters and to accord them protection. Accordingly Yang Ying-chia has been requested to forward a copy of the rules of the Association to the Commissioner for transmission to the Municipalities for record. In reference to the above the Commissioner finds that the establishment of the Association is in the interests of traders and for the transportation of goods and he has, therefore, to write to ask the Senior Consul to communicate with the Municipal Council asking that this matter be put on record.

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(*Enclosure No. 2.*)

*Regulations of the Hotel Association.*

1.—The Hotel Association is established in the interests of the travelling public, whether on steamers or trains, as well as to facilitate the transportation of goods and generally to co-operate with fellow-traders in various ports and to maintain an efficient service.

2.—Li Ting-yung has been elected, by the Association, Chairman: Chen Wei-ping Vice-Chairman, and Yang Ying-chia, Secretary-Director, as executive officer of the Association.

3.—Upon the arrival of steamers and trains in port the Association will detail men to the jetties and railway stations to welcome and accompany guests to their hotels, and generally to do all in their power for the convenience of travellers.

4.—The Association will only receive guests of good character, and officials passing through. In this respect this Association differs from ordinary lodging houses. In accordance with police regulations, they will put on record the names, native residences, occupation and destination of guests, for reference, but they will not admit any one of a suspicious character.

5.—If guests carrying valuable personal effects or other articles, such as silver or important documents do not deposit same at their accounts office they will not assume responsibility in case of thefts, but they will assume entire responsibility if such property, money or documents are deposited with them for safe-keeping.

6.—Any guest guilty of misconduct or falsely reporting a theft or refuses to pay for his lodging, the Association will send a representative to make inquiries and endeavour to settle all disputes. Should it become necessary to go to court the Association will report the facts, but in such cases only as concerns the hotel trade.

7.—Should it be found that hotel employes receiving guests from steamers or trains, conspire with the latter in smuggling or trafficking in contraband goods, such employes will be dealt with by the Customs (?); the hotel proprietors will not be responsible.

8.—When buying (passage) tickets for guests the hotel employes shall do so at the actual cost price, but should any employe be found receiving or borrowing money for freight charges from customers without reporting same to the accountant thereby prejudicing the general reputation of the hotel trade, steps will be taken to recover the money, the offender will be immediately dismissed and the matter reported to the Association, warning the other members against employing the offending employe.

9.—If any employe of the hotels, members of the Association, wilfully ill-treats any guest or creates trouble while under the influence of liquor or otherwise commits a breach of the hotel regulations he will be dealt with according to the preceding article.

10.—Members of the Association shall not entertain friends or invite them to gamble in the offices of the Association.

11.—When an employe desires to change his employment from A's hotel to B's, the latter shall make inquiries of the former to ascertain whether or not the man has any unsettled debts and he shall not be employed until an official reply is received from A's hotel certifying that he has settled all accounts. Otherwise A will hold B responsible for the amount owing by the man in question, together with an addition of 20 per cent. of the sum outstanding: at the same time the delinquent employe will be fined another 20 per cent. which will be devoted to the charity fund of the Association.

12.—Should an employe of any of the hotels, members of the Association, die penniless the Association will investigate the matter and give assistance, or defray the entire funeral expenses as the case may require.

13.—The Association is established at No. 4 Yung Hsin Li, Rue du Consulat, French Settlement.

14.—The membership of the Association at present consists of nine hotels. Any other hotel or hotels who endorse the objects of the Association and desire to become members may do so. The present membership is as follows:

Tai An, Chien An, Ta An, Chang Fah, Chang Chun, Ta Fong, Mien Li, Ching Ho and the Great Hotel.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, March 15, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 3, forwarding a translation of a communication from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs seeking the Council's approval of certain regulations of the Hotel Guild known as the Transportation, Storage and Hotel Association.

In reply I have the honour to point out that the Council's policy is opposed to the creation of monopolies, and to state that, as approval, if granted in this instance, would undoubtedly tend to constitute a monopoly in favour of this Association to the prejudice of other hotel owners, the Council cannot, it is regretted, accord the Association any official recognition.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

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**Hydrophobia.**

The Health Officer reports that rabies in dogs is specially prevalent and that there is a marked increase in the number of persons bitten by rabid dogs coming in for Pasteur treatment. He points out that any laxity in carrying out the measures heretofore enforced in respect to dogs may lead to preventable deaths from hydrophobia.

Special instructions have, therefore, been given to the Police in regard to the prosecution of persons keeping dogs without licences or unmuzzled or imperfectly muzzled dogs and in regard to the destruction of unlicensed dogs.

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**Municipal Properties.**

*Surplus Land.*—B.C. Lot 177 Paoshan, a piece of surplus land on North Szechuen Road, has been sold to the Nippon Yusen Kaisha on the terms contained in the following letters:—

Shanghai, February 7, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We shall be much obliged if you will kindly inform us if the Council will sell P.B.C. Lot 177 North Szechuen Road Extension and if so at what price?

We are,

Yours faithfully,

ATKINSON & DALLAS, LD.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,

Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, February 17, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—In reply to your letter of February 7, I am directed to state that the Council is willing to sell P.B.C. Lot 177 on North Szechuen Road, which measures Mow 3.235 at the rate of Tls. 2,000 per mow or a total sum of Tls. 6,470.

As a condition of this transaction it is stipulated that utilization should be granted of the land required for extending the road to give access to this lot measuring Mow 0.352 the surrender thereof to be made in the usual manner without compensation. These are the terms which have been applied to other similar properties abutting on the new Road.

As a further condition I am directed to state that the Council desires to reserve the right to construct and maintain a barrier at the southern end of the surrendered strip until such time as the owner of P.B.C. Lot 77 adjoining may see his way to execute surrender of the necessary land to continue the road through his property.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Acting Secretary.*

Messrs. ATKINSON & DALLAS, LD.

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Shanghai, February 21, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We are instructed by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha to accept your offer of February 17 for the sale of this lot on the conditions stated in your letter and shall be obliged by your making the necessary arrangements for the transfer with H.B.M. Vice-Consul.

We are,

Yours faithfully,

ATKINSON & DALLAS, LD.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,

Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

*Substation Site—Medhurst Road.*—A proposal has been approved whereunder the Council's site Cadastral Lot 3101, purchased for an electricity substation, will be exchanged for Cadastral Lot 3107, near the corner of Medhurst and Sinza Roads, in the present ownership of Messrs. Macleod & Wilson, with a cash adjustment in favour of the Council of Tls. 2,500. The area of the new site is Mow 0.231.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Bubbling Well Carriage Terminus.*—With a view to facilitating the passage of traffic at this point, and as a result of the widening of the Yuyuen Road west of Jessfield Road, it has become necessary to rearrange this central space. To this end a short length at each end will be incorporated in the road thus making it easier to turn into Yuyuen Road and giving more clearance between the grass plot and the tramway line.

*Bubbling Well Road.*—The following correspondence, relating to an improvement of the Bubbling Well Road in the neighbourhood of the Bubbling Well Temple, is in continuation of that published in the Gazette of May 12, 1916:—

Shanghai, October 13, 1916

SIR,—The Committee learns that the Council will not issue a permit to repair those houses which now stand outside the Temple because they are on the line of the road widening.

As the Committee desired to let these houses sometime ago but owing to the above fact, they cannot do so, they now wish to know from you upon what grounds those houses shall be pulled down and the land given up for the purpose of road widening. We shall be glad if you will kindly inform us on the above questions and thanking you in advance.

We are, Sir,

Your obedient servants,

徐 顧 張 姚 常
耀 桂 善 芝
祥 華 聲 廷 貴

*Members of the Yuh Za Dong Committee for the Estate of the Bubbling Well Temple.*

C. H. GODFREY, Esq.,
Engineer & Surveyor,
Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, October 16, 1916.

DEAR SIRS,—In reply to your letter of the 13th instant, I beg to say that there is no reason, so far as this office is concerned, why the one-storeyed buildings referred to should not be pulled down.

Your statement is correct that a permit to repair has been refused on the grounds that the land on which the buildings stand is required for widening the Bubbling Well Road.

Yours faithfully,

CHAS. H. GODFREY,

*Engineer & Surveyor.*

MR. ZEE YAO-HSIANG AND OTHERS,
Members of the Yuh Za Dong,
Committee.

Shanghai, October 25, 1916.

SIR,—We beg to thank you for your letter of October 16, reply (by Mr. Chas H. Godfrey) to ours of October 13 on the subject of those 5 houses outside the Temple, and stating that the said houses should be pulled down, and the land should be cleared for the purpose of the widening of the Bubbling Well Road.

In reply we beg to request you, in the first place, to furnish us with a plan showing the exact area for which the widening should be taken, as the Council had already taken about 6 funs in the eastside of the Yuyuen Road and further, the Committee wish to know the compensation of which the Council propose to pay for the land and the removal of those houses stated thereon.

Thanking you in anticipation.

We are, Sir,

Your obedient servants,

徐 顧 張 姚 常
耀 桂 善 芝
祥 華 聲 廷 貴

*Members of the Yuh Za Dong Committee for the Estate of the Bubbling Well Temple.*

C. HARPUR, Esq.,
Acting Engineer & Surveyor,
Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, October 27, 1916.

DEAR SIRS,—In accordance with your request of the 25th instant, I beg to hand you herewith a plan showing in red the area required from the Zing Ang Sze (Temple) property for the purpose of widening the Bubbling Well Road.

With regard to your inquiry as to what compensation the Council will pay for the land and houses, I beg to inform you that negotiations for a free surrender of the land have already been brought to a conclusion in July last.

As to the houses standing on the proposed widening they are in a dilapidated condition as your application for a permit to repair indicates. Compensation, if any, would, therefore, be nominal, but I should be glad to receive your claim for such sum as you may consider yourselves entitled to.

Yours faithfully,

C. HARPUR,

*Deputy Engineer & Surveyor.*

The YUH ZA DONG COMMITTEE.

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Shanghai, November 25, 1916.

SIR,—We have to thank you for your letter of October 27, enclosing a plan showing the areas which the Council require for the purpose of road widening.

In reply we beg to state that the Committee is quite willing to surrender free the part on which there are 5 houses. The area shown on the plan is Mow 0.455 but the Committee would ask the Council to pay the loss of rental for those houses for 15 years at $20 per mensem, and $30 each for their removal.

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Although the Council does not urge for their immediate removal, they already refused to grant any permit for repair and the Committeee noted that no tenant is allowed to go into those premises since last June.

With regard to the piece at the corner of Bubbling Well and Jessfield Roads the Committee gives their strong protest against surrender of any bit of land in that or any part of the Temple's property in future, and they wish the Council to put off that corner piece which shows on the plan.

We are, Sir,

Your obedient servants,

徐 顧 張 姚 常
耀 桂 善 芝
祥 華 聲 廷 貴
(逸善堂董事)

*Members of the Committee of Yuh Za Dong for the Estate of the Bubbling Well Temple.*

C. HARPUR, Esq.,
Engineer & Surveyor, Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, December 31, 1918.

DEAR SIR,—With reference to the previous correspondence in connexion with the removal of the 5 bungalows on the South-east corner of the Temple grounds, I shall be glad if you will inform me when these will be removed.

Yours faithfully,
C. HARPUR,
*Acting Engineer & Surveyor.*

The HEAD PRIEST,
Bubbling Well Temple.

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Shanghai, January 6, 1919

DEAR SIR,—The Shanghai Municipal Council requires the demolition of the 5 bungalows on Bubbling Well Road, Nos. 1168 to 1172

The bungalows have not been pulled down as the Buddhist Association will not allow them to be removed.

But as there has been a dispute between the priests and the Association over another case, we are no longer under their rule, and we now agree to the removal of the bungalows.

If you will please send the permit and plan, we will have this done as soon as possible, and shall be grateful if you will help us in keeping the Temple property under the following conditions:—

1. Pay the cost of removal of the bungalows at a price a little higher than before offered
2. Please to look after our Temple properties.
3. Please give permit for removal of bungalows.
4. The liberty of our Temple grounds not to be infringed.
5. We will accordingly do all we can to assist the Council at any time.

LOH KUN,
SIEH KUN,
*Bubbling Well Temple Priests.*

CHAS. H. GODFREY, Esq.,
Municipal Engineer.

Shanghai, February 10, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—The head priest and the Committee of the Bubbling Well Temple instruct us to write in reply to your letter and say that they would be prepared to remove the five bungalows you refer to and that the following terms on which they would do so would be acceptable to the Council:—

1.—The Council would not remove the two big old trees now standing near the front door of the Temple.

2.—While the Council according to its plan is going to round off the south-western corner of the Temple, the Temple shall in all future times be entitled to repair or rebuild the present Temple premises as though that corner has not been rounded off, nor shall they be required, as a condition for obtaining the licence to repair or rebuild, to surrender any further ground on that corner.

3.—That the Council would at some convenient time appoint some staff to be present on the planting of boundary stones to mark off a strip of land on the west of the Temple that belongs to it from the Municipal road.

4.—That the Council would furnish the Temple with a plan showing the total area of the land taken by it from the Temple for making roads, and would pay a proportionate sum for Chinese Government Land Tax to become due hereafter.

5.—That the Council would use its good offices with Messrs. Brandt and Rodgers so that they would, upon the removal of the five bungalows permit the making of a drain by the Temple through a strip of land leased to them.

6.—That the Council would make a big drain somewhere on the Maloo in front of the Temple.

7.—That during the customary celebration of Budda's birthday which falls on the 8th day of the 4th Moon each year the Council would permit the setting up of stalls along the frontage of the Temple, the firing of crackers and the gathering of worshippers vehicles in its vicinity.

Yours faithfully,
HANSON, MCNEILL, JONES & WRIGHT

C. HARPUR, Esq.,
Municipal Engineer.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 10, to the Municipal Engineer, and to accept the terms therein contained whereunder the Head Priest and the Committee of the Bubbling Well Temple will surrender for incorporation within the Bubbling Well Road the site of the 5 bungalows at present standing within the line of the said road.

In accordance therewith the Council will at an early date instruct a representative of the Public Works Department to mark off the strip of land at the west of the Temple as desired, will arrange to pay a proportionate sum of the Chinese Government Land Tax as requested and will arrange for the construction of a big drain on the maloo in front of the temple. The Council will also as requested use its good offices with Messrs. Brandt & Rodgers in regard to the construction of a drain through a strip of land leased to them.

Instructions will also be given to the Police that during the celebration of the Buddha's birthday on the 8th day of the 4th moon of each year, stalls may be set up along the frontage of the temple and the firing of crackers and the gathering of worshippers and their vehicles be permitted in the vicinity so long as reasonable space is left for through traffic to pass.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Messrs. HANSON, MCNEILL, JONES & WRIGHT.

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*Moulmein Road.* — Correspondence with Mr. D. M. David on the subject of the surrender of the corner of Lot 2216:—

Shanghai, February 8, 1917.

DEAR SIR,—I shall feel obliged if you will kindly inform me upon what terms you will be prepared to surrender, should the Council decide to acquire it, that portion of Cadastral Lot 2216 which is scheduled for acquisition on the official plan of Road Extensions and Widenings, measuring Mow 0.020 and coloured red on the accompanying plan.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Engineer & Surveyor.*

D. M. DAVID, Esq.

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Shanghai, March 12, 1917.

DEAR SIR,—In reply to your letter of the 8th ulto., I beg to inform you that for various good reasons I am not prepared to negotiate for the surrender of the small piece of land ex Cadastral Lot 2216 Western and coloured pink on the plan sent me.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
D. M. DAVID.

C. H. GODFREY, Esq.,
Municipal Engineer.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 16, 1917.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 12 to the Municipal Engineer on the subject of Lot 2216.

In reply I am directed to state that the Council requires the compulsory surrender from this lot of an area measuring Mow 0.02 which is scheduled for the Moulmein Road on the Official Plans of Road Extensions and Widenings. Since,

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however, you state that you are unwilling to surrender this area, the Council is obliged in accordance with the Land Regulations, to give you notice that the question of the compensation, if any, payable for the strip of land in question will be referred for decision by the Land Commissioners, notice of whose sitting to consider the case will be duly conveyed to you.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant.
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Assistant Secretary.*

D. M. DAVID, Esq.

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Surrender of the requisite area was, however, arranged subsequently with Messrs. Hanson, McNeill, Jones & Wright in terms of the following correspondence:—

Shanghai, February 24, 1919.

DEAR SIRS,—I have received your application dated February 21 for a permit to close the existing gate on Cadastral Lot 2216, Western District.

As the site of the proposed operations is affected by a scheduled road widening I beg to inform you that I am unable to submit it to the Council until I have communicated with you with reference to the land required for road purposes. A plan is being prepared to show the scheduled line as it affects the property and I will communicate with you at the earliest possible moment.

Your obedient servant,
C. HARPUR,
*Acting Engineer & Surveyor.*

Messrs. HANSON, MCNEILL, JONES & WRIGHT.

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Shanghai, March 3, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—In reply to your letter of the 24th ult. the beneficial owner of B.C. Lot 3870 is willing to surrender to the Council the land required from this lot for road widening at the assessed value plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender.

Yours truly,
HANSON, MCNEILL, JONES & WRIGHT.

C. HARPUR, Esq.,
Municipal Engineer.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 12, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 3, to the Acting Municipal Engineer, and to accept the claim therein contained for the surrender of the scheduled area of Lot 2216 required for the widening of the Moulmein Road, at the assessed value Tls. 5,500 per mow, plus 10 per cent., or a sum of Tls. 121 for Mow 0.020.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Messrs. HANSON, MCNEILL, JONES & WRIGHT.

*Siccawei Road.*—The claim of the Chinese owner has been accepted in respect of an area of Mow 0.088 of unregistered land south of Lot 2585 scheduled for the widening of this road, a sum of Tls. 472, inclusive of compensation for removal of 6 fong of one-storey Chinese houses.

### Public Roads.

*Asphaltum.*—The offer of the Standard Oil Company of New York has been accepted to supply asphaltum for surfacing roads during the current year at prices as per schedule. The quantity is estimated at between 150,000 and 200,000 gallons.

### Transport of Materials.

*Mechanical Haulage.*—In connexion with difficulties over the Wheeling Contract, which have culminated in the cancellation of two successive contracts, the Acting Municipal Engineer, dealing with the general question of such transport, expresses his views as follows:—

"I am strongly of the opinion that the time is ripe for the introduction, on a larger scale than heretofore, of mechanical haulage for the transportation of road and other materials in place of the present unsatisfactory method by Chinese wheelbarrows.

"The points in favour of the adoption of mechanical haulage are as follows:—

"1. It is more rapid and reliable. Rapidity of transport is very desirable under any condition. For some classes of work, e.g., that involving the use of hot bituminous mixtures, it is absolutely essential.

The unreliability of the wheelbarrow labour is much greater even than is indicated by the fact that already in the course of the year two contractors have completely failed in their responsibilities. It frequently occurs that orders are placed with the contractor for a certain number of wheelbarrows to be at hand and that only one-half, or even less than this number is actually supplied. It needs no argument to show that this means great inconvenience to the work involved, and sometimes complete disorganization of the other labour employed.

"2. The wear and tear on the roads is reduced if wheelbarrows are not employed.

"I have already called attention to the highly unsatisfactory features of the Chinese wheelbarrows in this respect, and I think that it would be well if the Department could lead the way in entirely doing away with wheelbarrow haulage.

"3. Some economy would be introduced in the actual cost of haulage.

"Whilst the figures obtained so far do not show any very outstanding feature as regards this point, a number of works have been carried out in which the cost of haulage has worked out at prices considerably lower than the contract wheeling rates and I have no doubt that with a number of motor lorries in regular operation, the haulage rate per fong mile can be reduced to a figure approximating to Tls. 0.70 per fong mile. The present wheeling contract rate is Tls. 0.76 and there seems no doubt that the figure will be increased in future to not less than Tls. 0.80, and possibly even higher, to enable the contractor to obtain a reasonable profit.

"There are at present four departmental lorries in use and provision is made in this year's Budget under "Stock and Stores" for an expenditure of Tls. 6,000 for motor wagons.

"It is estimated that each new wagon of a carrying capacity of 2 tons, at present prices, would cost about Tls. 4,000 and, taking into consideration the above points, and also the fact that the appropriation of Tls. 16,000 provided in the Estimates for Haulage under the sub-heading of "Motor Wagons, Wheelbarrows and Boats," the greater part of which is estimated on the cost of haulage by wheelbarrows, would be very greatly reduced, I recommend as follows:—

"1. That no further annual contract be entered into for wheeling.

"2. That I be authorized to inquire and report further on the possibility of obtaining without delay in the local market four motor wagons.

"3. That, pending the purchase of these Wagons, haulage that has heretofore been carried out under the annual wheeling contract, be carried out under special arrangements made from time to time with various wheeling contractors as required for the works in hand, at the best prices obtainable"

After close consideration of these recommendations, they have received the Council's final approval, and, accordingly, authority has been given for the purchase of three trucks as follows:

| | |
|---|---|
| Two 2-ton Garfords from the Central Garage Company at Tls. 3,950 each | Tls 7,900 |
| One 2-ton Brockway from R. Martens and Company, Ld., at Tls. 3,325 | ,, 3,325 |

### Hongkew Recreation Ground.

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Ground is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.

2.—The Ground is open to the Public between the hours of 5 a.m. and midnight from May 1 to October 5, and 6 a.m. and 7 p.m. from October 6 to April 30.

3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.

4.—Horses, ponies, vehicles and bicycles are not admitted.

5.—Dogs are not admitted unless properly muzzled and led on leash.

6.—Perambulators must be confined to the paths.

7.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers or otherwise damaging the shrubs, plants or grass is strictly prohibited; visitors and other persons in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.

8.—Cricket, golf, lawn tennis, bowls, baseball, football and hockey are permitted only upon those portions of the Ground specially set

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apart for these games. The season for football and hockey begins, approximately, on October 15 and ends on March 15; that for cricket, lawn tennis, bowls and baseball on May 1, and ends on October 15.

9.—Grounds may be reserved for matches upon written application being made to the Honorary Secretary.

10.—No play is permitted when, in the opinion of the Parkkeeper, the grounds are not in a fit condition. A notice to that effect will then be exhibited at the entrance.

11.—Cricket, football, hockey and baseball, are not permitted on Sundays until 1 p.m.

12.—The positions of lawn tennis courts are arranged by the Superintendent. Persons using the courts are required to wear indiarubber soled boots or shoes.

13.—The playing of golf is not permitted.

(*a*) after 3 p.m. between May 1 and October 31:

(*b*) between November 1 and April 30; on Saturdays and Sundays, after 1.30 p.m., and on Weekdays, after 12 o'clock noon if the Ground is required for other organized sports or games.

14.—Shooting, boating, boat sailing, lighting fires and bathing are strictly prohibited.

15.—No beating of carpets is allowed on the Ground.

16.—The Police have instructions to enforce these Regulations.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Shanghai, April 17, 1919.

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, APRIL 12.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Japanese Interpreter M. Nakai from June 15.

G. Vik is appointed Probationary Warder from April 8.

1st Class Sergeant T. Brown is permitted to terminate his service on May 6, the date of expiry of his agreement.

*Health Department.*—Inspector F. W. Ambrose, returned from war service, resumed duty on March 13.

Inspector W. W. Melville, at present on war service, was permitted to terminate his service on March 31.

From April 1 the official designation of Inspector G. J. Turnbull will be Clerical Assistant.

*Electricity Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. G. Ewart, Assistant Power Engineer, from April 19.

*Educational Department.*—The appointment of Mrs. E. J. O'Toole Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, is confirmed under an agreement terminable at three months' notice from September 6, 1917.

*Revenue Office.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. V. H. Bourne, Clerical Assistant, from May 30.

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, April 13, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 13 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 |
| Influenza | — | 30 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 174 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 22 | Yuenming-yuen | Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld. | | 1 | |
| 8 | do. | Lafuente & Wootten | | | addns. |
| 1132 | Morrison | Joe Ming Kee | | | stable & coach house |
| 3316 | Baikal | Moorhead & Halse | | | addns. |
| 1075 | Broadway East | Wu Ting Sai | | | shed |
| 5546 & 5549 | Lay | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | 1 | chimney |
| 6927 | Pingliang | Palmer & Turner | 10 | | |
| 2510 | Y'poo | Y'poo Cotton Mill, Ld. | | | 2 bath houses |
| Unreg. W of 3872 | Connaught | Wong Ah Pan | | | 5 sheds |
| 4640 | Tonquin | Shun Nih & Co. | | | addns. & staircase |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 698 | Chekiang | Chang Tsze Kong | 33 | | |
| Unreg. E of 2668 | Baikal | Woo Tseng Yong | 11 | | bridge |
| Unreg. E of 2191 | B'bling Well | Loh Chwang Tai | 1 | | |
| Unreg. S of 6227 | Sinza Ext. | Kung Kee Ying | 1 | | |

## Public Band.

On Good Friday, April 18, there will be no public dance performance in the Town Hall.

On Sunday next, April 20, there will be no public performance in the Town Hall owing to the attendance of the Band at the Light Horse Gymkhana.

## Report of Captain-Superintendent of Police for March.

Strength of the Force on March 31.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 6 | |
| Foreigners | 140 | |
| Japanese | 27 | |
| Sikhs | 523 | |
| Chinese | 1,477 | |
| | | 2,173 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 81 | |
| Followers | 219 | |
| | | 300 |
| | Total | 2,473 |

*Armed Robberies.*—During the month four reports were made of armed robbery from houses in the Settlement. Three men were arrested in connexion with these reports and are at present awaiting trial.

One case of armed highway robbery from the person was reported.

One case of highway robbery in which no arms were used was also reported in the Louza District, the victim being a foreigner. Nine men have been apprehended in connexion with this case and also with five other cases of highway robbery of similar nature which were not reported to the Police. Eight of these men were sentenced to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol and one is at present under remand.

During the month ten men were arrested in connexion with armed robberies from houses committed prior to March 1, 1919. They are at present under remand awaiting trial.

Five persons were arrested for being members of a gang of armed robbers and for being in possession of arms. Four of these were sentenced to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol and the other is under remand.

Of the four persons awaiting trial at the end of February 1919, one was handed over to the Military Governor and three were sentenced to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol.

The twelve persons referred to in previous reports as being under remand on charges of robbery at the end of December 1918, have been dealt with. The charge against one has been dismissed and the other eleven are awaiting sentence.

During the months of January, February and March last the number of robbers arrested was thirteen, thirty-nine and twenty-seven respectively, making a grand aggregate of seventynine, a quarterly figure which has been exceeded in the C. I. D. records only on one occasion.

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*Bombs.*—A tin canister bomb was found at the Meng Yu Li Dzo Hotel, 184 Hupeh Road, on March 14, and another of a similar description was discovered at the same address on March 25. No explosion took place on either occasion.

*Reports of Property Stolen.*—During the month 330 reports of property stolen were made at the various Stations Inquiries were made with successful results in 119 of these cases.

*Crime Outside Settlement Limits.*—Ten piracies and robberies have been reported in the region around Shanghai beyond Settlement limits during the month.

In one instance the occupant of a boat was thrown overboard, and in three instances knife wounds were inflicted upon persons who resisted or tried to give an alarm.

The body of an unknown Chinese male, who had been killed by strangulation, was found lying on a field at Mai Ka Loong near Loongwha.

*Repatriation of Enemy Subjects.*

| Date | Ship | Number embarked for Repatriation |
|---|---|---|
| March 9/12 | "Novara" | 559 |
| do. | "Nore" | 551 |
| do. | "Atreus" | 694 |
| April 1/2 | "Antilochus" | 383 |
| | Total | 2,187 |

*Identification Office.*—During the month 418 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 119 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 189 records were received from the French Police out of which number 90 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For identification | 607 |
| Identified | 209 |
| Percentage | 34 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 5 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 17 |
| | 22 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 7.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

232 *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc.

67 *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc.

40 *Second offenders.*

24 *Third offenders.*

5 *Habitual offenders* (minor).

50 *Habitual offenders* (serious)

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*Return of Convict Labour for March.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed for the Public Works Department | Tls. Nil |
| *Less.* | Nil |
| Total | Tls. Nil |
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the Public Works Department | Tls. 1,645.58 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 784.25 |
| Total | Tls. 861.33 |
| Grand Total earned by Convict Labour | Tls. 861.33 |

**Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.**

K. J. McEuen,
*Captain-Superintendent of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:—* | |
| Absent from ship without leave | 1 |
| Assault | 1 |
| 2.—*Offences against property:—* | |
| Larceny | 3 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:—* | |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:—* | |
| Dogs | 7 |
| Motor Cars | 2 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 2 |
| Enemy subject entering Settlement without a permit | 2 |
| Enemy subject changing address without permission | 1 |
| Total | 19 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 3,502 | 3,502 |
| Others | 36 | 792 | 828 |
| Total | 36 | 4,294 | 4,330 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cautioned | 2 |
| Compensation | 1 |
| Dismissed | 1 |
| Detained in custody until put on board ship for Repatriation | 2 |
| Fined | 6 |
| Imprisonment | 4 |
| Imprisonment and Fined | 1 |
| Sent to Repatriation Camp | 1 |
| Sent on board ship | 1 |
| Total | 19 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on March 31.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 3 |
| Louza Station | 39 |
| Hongkew Station | 1 |
| Harbin Road Station | 1 |
| West Hongkew Station | 14 |
| Wayside Station | 4 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 1 |
| Sinza Station | 5 |
| Gordon Road Station | 1 |
| Gaol | 1,580 |
| Reformatory | 125 |
| Total | 1,774 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 808 | 422 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 808 | 422 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN March 1 and March 28.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 30,188.65 |
| Recovered | 69,434.25 |
| Less Recovered reported stolen previously | 58,000.00 |
| | $11,434.25 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 28. 2. 19. | 41 | 378 |
| Captured | 337 | |
| Returned | 70 | 378 |
| Killed | 260 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 7 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 41 | |

## Health Officer's Report for March.

The recrudescence of Influenza, which was recorded towards the end of February, gathered momentum during March, causing the highest total mortality for the month of March on record, namely, 66 among foreign and 1,177 among Chinese residents. Of these deaths 23 among foreigners were attributable to Influenza, of which 14 were among Japanese; and 342 among Chinese. In addition to these, fatalities occurred from other causes which were probably hastened by a supervening attack of Influenza.

This is the third epidemic since the present pandemic reached Shanghai towards the end of May 1918. During the first epidemic the fatality among foreigners and Chinese respectively was 3 and 152; during the second in October 1918, 6 and 266. These and the figures now recorded show a progressive increase in virulence. It is probable that the present wave represents the maximum danger, but a further outbreak may be expected later in the year

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and recurrences with diminishing virulence during three or four succeeding years.

As regards prevention, the intelligent use of a face mask or some convenient form of respirator when in danger of infection is considered to offer the best chance of protection. A useful interest was shown by the public in the simple face mask produced and furnished by the Health Office. The all-in cost of this mask was four cents inclusive of the envelope of instructions. Although not commonly used, it is known that in cases where actually and carefully used in proximity with cases of Influenza complete protection was conferred as happened during the Mukden plague epidemic. The experience in America, in places where the wearing of the mask was made compulsory, was that the mask was worn under the eye of the police but was discarded indoors and under conditions where the chance of infection was greatest. The proper use of the mask requires special hygienic intelligence on the part of the public, and this hygienic intelligence is not, perhaps, the same as ordinary intelligence; but requires an extension of education to hygienic methods, especially in the way disease is spread, which the future will surely supply when the effete survivals in the ordinary educational code are finally discarded and room made for teaching how to live. The amount of preventable wastage of child life is still colossal and continues through ignorance when the child becomes a man.

From the hygienic standpoint the greatest enemy of man is man himself, that is to say, in most cases infection spreads directly from man to man. It does not, however, follow that living like a hermit and avoiding contact with mankind is the only way to obtain freedom from infective disease. Protection may also be conferred by a process of roughing it or getting salted. For example, the infection of Tuberculosis is so universal that most people are at some period of their lives more or less tuberculous. Slight infection in childhood tends to protect against more extensive infection later on by a process of vaccination or salting. A child kept unspotted from the world without the usual diseases of childhood would probably have a bad time when finally exposed to human intercourse. It is probable that were all our food and drink taken free from microbes exposure to ordinary conditions would give rise to serious disturbance. Immunity consists to some extent in getting so accustomed to danger that the danger becomes innocuous. It is for the epidemiologist to state which health risks may be run and which to take special steps to guard against. The Public Health Notices and other special health notices issued from time to time is the way this special knowledge of local conditions is conveyed to the public.

Cases of Cerebro-spinal fever continued to occur locally in small number and along the Yangtse Valley.

Cholera is now epidemic in many ports in direct connection with Shanghai.

Over 3,000 free vaccinations among Chinese against Smallpox done by the Health Office during the month is a satisfactory example of being forearmed by intelligence in place of the usual rush for vaccination in the middle of an epidemic of Smallpox so easy to prevent by a little foresight.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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DEATHS.

| | Foreign. | | Chinese. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Resident | Non-resident. | |
| Typhoid Fever | 2 | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Tuberculosis | 7 | 0 | 122 |
| Beri-beri | 3 | 0 | 10 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Influenza | 23 | 5 | 342 |
| Cerebrospinal fever | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| From all causes | 66 | 12 | 1,177 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Paratyphoid Fever | 4 |
| Diphtheria | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 |
| Dysentery | 1 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 2 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cases Admitted— | Small pox | 1 | 0 |
| | Diphtheria | 4 | 7 |
| | Scarlet Fever | 7 | 2 |
| | Other Diseases | 41 | 94 |
| Discharged | | 49 | 94 |
| Died | | 5 | 7 |
| Remaining last day of month | | 18 | 35 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 20,875 |
| Bacterial " " | 10,187 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 7 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 468 |
| Analyses | 31 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted. | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 16 | 0 |
| Surgical | 30 | 0 |
| Maternity | 8 | 0 |
| Mental | 5 | 0 |
| Total | 59 | 0 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen | 1,645 | 1 | 1,645 | 0 | 1 |
| Sheep | 3,074 | 0 | 3,074 | 0 | 0 |
| Calves | 375 | 1 | 375 | 0 | 1 |
| Pigs | 251 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 275 | 650 | 203 | 320 | 1448 |
| Rats plague infected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation | 2200 | 3000 | 2500 | 1400 | 10100 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 3932 | 4103 | 2934 | 1788 | 12757 |
| Poisoned baits laid | 162000 | 155200 | 66300 | 58800 | 442300 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier | 0 | 208 | 0 | 0 | 208 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.

Sample received March 27, 1919.

Report sent out April 4, 1919.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.

Physical Characters.—Yellowish green colour with considerable opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 16.40 |
| (a) Volatile | 8.00 |
| (b) Fixed | 10.40 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 11.50 |
| (a) Temporary | 6.50 |
| (b) Permanent | 5.00 |
| Chlorine | 2.80 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0640 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0018 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0119 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° C. | 0.0330 |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° C. and 37° C. showed an average of 60 and 26 micro-organisms per cubic centimetre respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in quantities of 0.5 c.c. and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Shows satisfactory purification.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox | 517 | 745 | 928 | 1,005 | 3,195 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 1 | 14 | 3 | 2 | 20 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 13 | 160 | 195 | 133 | 501 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 93 | 105 | 133 | 198 | 529 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 822 | 1,012 | 1,443 | 3,533 | 6,810 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 18 | 449 | 303 | 23 | 793 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 0 | 42 | 0 | 42 |
| Defective drainage amended | 21 | 26 | 50 | 10 | 107 |
| Insanitary wells abolished | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Proper water supply provided | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 17 | 4 | 20 | 4 | 45 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 0 | 33 | 4 | 37 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 8 | 27 | 1 | 36 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Offensive trade processes amended | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 11 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 18 | 11 | 3 | 9 | 41 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 33 | 72 | 102 | 25 | 232 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Notices of intention to proceed served | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 0 | 7 | 15 | 15 | 37 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 35 | 183 | 255 | 293 | 766 |
| Outside hawkers licensed | 520 | 591 | 454 | 330 | 1,895 |
| Food prosecutions | 0 | 16 | 22 | 4 | 42 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 46 | 40 | 29 | 7 | 122 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 0 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 8 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,668 | 3,102 | 3,200 | 3,052 | 13,022 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 6,637 | 3,256 | 2,499 | 1,912 | 14,304 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 2,324 | 562 | 116 | 153 | 3,155 |

## Engineer's Report for March.

A review of the Departmental weather records for the first quarter of the year, shows that Public Works have been very much handicapped on account of the unusual conditions that have prevailed. On 48 days out of a total of 90, work has been interfered with by either frost or rain, and, as may be inferred from this, progress has of necessity been comparatively slow. Towards the end of March, a marked general improvement took place. With the approach of the season of the year when bituminous work on roadways usually commences, weather conditions become of great importance as affecting this particular branch of the Department's outside work, warm, dry weather being essential for its successful accomplishment.

*Roads.*—The widenings of Bubbling Well Road on the north side from Hart Road to Hardoon Road and on the south side from Yates Road to Carter Road are both well in hand.

Kerb and channel is being laid and the footpaths are being made up to their standard widths in Weihaiwei Road from Yates Road to Mohawk Road, and in Mohawk Road from Weihaiwei Road to Bubbling Well Road.

Yochow Road is being raised east and west of Kungping Road, prior to the road being ballasted and metalled at this point for a width of 12 feet.

The raising of Chemulpo Road from north of Yangtszepoo Road to Rangoon Road has been completed.

Similar work is in progress in Wayside Road west of Lay Road.

The making up of West Soochow Road for its full width east of Tonquin Road is approaching completion.

Thorburn Road is being raised and formed north of Kwenming Road.

The ashing of Pingyang Road from Yangtszepoo Road to Pingliang Road has been completed.

*Bridges.*—Extensive repairs are being carried out to the piers, stringers and decking of Thibet Road Bridge.

*Bundings.*—Extensive repairs are being carried out to the timber bundings in Dixwell Road from East Hanbury Road to Sawgin Road, and in North Yangtsze Road from Fearon Road to Woochang Road.

*Drainage.*—The laying of the 4-ft. 6-in. diameter and 3-ft. by 2-ft. egg-shaped culverts in Funing Road west of Lay Road has been completed for about two-thirds of the total length.

The culverting of the creek in Bubbling Well Road east of Tifeng Road, by 3-ft. diameter tubes has been completed for a length of about 520 feet.

The existing 1-ft. 6-in by 1-ft. egg-shaped sewer in Yangtszepoo Road east of Whashing Road is being relaid.

*Central Offices.*—Further consignments of window casements, glass, and strong-room doors have arrived from England. The dressing of the granite work is proceeding steadily.

*Gaol Cell Blocks.*—A consignment of the special cell door locks has now arrived from England. As soon as these locks are fixed it will be possible to utilize some of the cells.

*Isolation Hospital — Discharge Block.*—The roof over the discharge block is completed, and the internal work is proceeding.

*No. 34 Boone Road.*—The alterations and fitting up of these premises for the Private Nursing service are practically completed.

*Riverside Power Station.*—The supports for the Willans Turbines have been completed.

Work has been commenced in the construction of a temporary shed, 25-ft. by 221-ft., replacing various outbuildings on the site.

*Fearon Road Power Station.*—The reinforced concrete work for the switch and transfermer cubicles is well in hand.

*Sawgin Road Depot.*—An office for the District Inspector is being erected by direct labour.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—1,561 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

*Cleansing and Watering. Total*

Road sweepings collected 5,303 cartloads
Used for raising land 730 „
Water used for street watering 2,583,000 gallons

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,906 |
| Foremen | 238 |
| Mafoos | 159 |
| Artisans | 429 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 8,421 pieces |
| Machine made | 2,275 „ |
| | 10,696 „ |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 14 admissions during the month and 30 bundles of wood chopped.

*New Buildings.*

Summary of work done during the month.

| *Description of Work.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 295 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 77 |
| Plans approved | 65 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,432 |
| Boundary walls erected<br>Carpenter sheds erected<br>Repairs to buildings effected<br>New shop fronts inserted<br>Shop fronts, etc., painted<br>Alterations effected<br>Fences erected<br>Sign-boards erected<br>Drying stages erected<br>Temporary mat sunshades erected | 543 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 173 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 4 |
| Summonses | 1 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 35 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 56 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction, the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by Public Works Department | 4 |
| First intimation notices issued | 4 |
| Total | 4 |

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 52 |
| Boundary stone certificates issued | 45 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 21 |
| New lots put under taxation | 11 |
| The assessed value of the land placed under taxation | Tls. 33,051 |
| Official plans prepared | 19 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 220 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 150 |
| Surveys made in connexion with Road Widenings and/or Extensions | 67 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are, or may in future, be of use to the public | 52 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Central District | 13 |
| Eastern ,, | 13 |
| Western ,, | 35 |
| Outside Limits | 18 |

C. HARPUR,
*Acting Engineer & Surveyor.*

**Summary of Revenue for March**

| Description | Estimate for 1919 | 1919 | | | 1918 | | | 1917 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 |
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,054,630 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 795,850 | — | 30,139.44 | 161,655.77 | — | 32,226.28 | 152,196.03 | — | 28,138.99 | 147,873.53 |
| Chinese | 1,182,460 | — | 50,435.75 | 249,790.01 | — | 29,057.95 | 241,649.16 | — | 35,654.94 | 233,864.73 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,600 | — | 29.40 | 34.40 | — | — | 40.00 | — | 154.50 | 154.50 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 220,000 | — | 49,711.07 | 49,711.07 | — | 42,913.61 | 42,913.61 | — | 47,805.60 | 47,805.60 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | 1 | 60.00 | 3,885.00 | 1 | 30.00 | 4,345.00 | — | — | 4,465.00 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 24,000 | 3 | 75.00 | 6,075.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 5,775.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 5,725.00 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 400 | — | — | 139.00 | — | — | 102.00 | — | — | 135.00 |
| Eating House | 9,000 | 122 | 213.19 | 2,109.20 | 49 | 127.93 | 2,175.77 | — | — | — |
| Chinese Club | 4,500 | — | — | 1,141.70 | 1 | 8.35 | 1,008.35 | — | — | 1,100.00 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13,000 | - | — | 3,061.00 | — | — | 3,214.00 | 1 | 30.00 | 3,411.00 |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36,000 | 143 | 723.05 | 8,915.55 | 98 | 392.75 | 8,948.75 | 159 | 784.50 | 8,821.40 |
| Tea-shop | 16,000 | 649 | 1,404.00 | 4,192.50 | 668 | 1,347.50 | 4,003.00 | 673 | 1,404.50 | 4,338.00 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 6,500 | 8 | 17.31 | 1,695.27 | 1 | 7.16 | 1,501.99 | 1 | 7.15 | 1,648.5 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,000 | 14 | 510.00 | 1,426.00 | 10 | 337.00 | 1,012.00 | 17 | 458.00 | 1,417.00 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 18 | 709.00 | 2,087.00 | 15 | 735.00 | 2,065.00 | 20 | 751.00 | 2,426.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 2,500 | 15 | 252.00 | 637.00 | 10 | 168.00 | 499.00 | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 29,000 | 305 | 8,090.17 | 8,090.17 | 302 | 7,775.92 | 7,775.92 | 308 | 7,957.74 | 7,957.74 |
| Exchange Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Opium-shop | | — | — | — | — | — | — | 122 | 13,740.00 | 45,390.00 |
| Tobacco Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,000 | 1,032 | 576.30 | 1,517.32 | 927 | 518.61 | 1,586.67 | 1,084 | 562.84 | 1,514.61 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,100 | 66 | 94.78 | 283.80 | 65 | 93.73 | 282.36 | 63 | 90.59 | 275.45 |
| Launch | 3,300 | 27 | 54.00 | 875.00 | 27 | 54.00 | 781.00 | 34 | 68.00 | 792.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,722 | 404.25 | 1,037.04 | 1,678 | 397.63 | 1,015.78 | 1,838 | 431.08 | 1,063.48 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 171 | 122.88 | 259.09 | 160 | 115.09 | 263.84 | 182 | 130.26 | 312.63 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 11,500 | P. 11 C. 11 | 44.63 | 2,619.35 | P. 14 C. 12 | 45.42 | 2,890.25 | P. 6 C. 6 | 21.45 | 3,151.07 |
| Livery Stable | 12,000 | P. 411 C. 262 | 1,047.62 | 3,106.65 | P. 396 C. 243 | 982.27 | 2,921.11 | P. 394 C. 257 | 1,015.24 | 3,099.63 |
| Motor Car & Motor Bicycle | 45,000 | 115 | 142.69 | 10,675.45 | 58 | 307.55 | 8,569.39 | 33 | 125.14 | 6,655.20 |
| Cart | 31,500 | 1,986 | 2,831.50 | 8,960.00 | 1,743 | 2,478.00 | 7,901.50 | 1,667 | 2,466.00 | 7,992.50 |
| Private Ricsha | 55,000 | 134 | 145.86 | 13,153.00 | 82 | 82.32 | 12,367.00 | 87 | 88.63 | 11,058.45 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,487.65 | 34,416.50 | 8,000 | 11,454.35 | 34,349.35 | 8,000 | 11,385.50 | 33,407.52 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 5 | 6.48 | 32.29 | 6 | 8.65 | 37.61 | 5 | 5.03 | 41.39 |
| Wheel-barrow | 50,000 | 9,272 | 4,641.83 | 12,262.70 | 9,079 | 4,546.82 | 11,784.51 | 9,477 | 4,748.14 | 12,340.42 |
| Firearms | 500 | 1 | 75.00 | 75.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 75.00 | — | — | 225.00 |
| Dog | 3,500 | 279 | 401.33 | 1,495.20 | 338 | 486.16 | 1,673.78 | 455 | 652.50 | 1,752.69 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 111,240 | 5,580 | 8,752.11 | 25,772.00 | 5,513 | 8,652.30 | 26,012.38 | 4,573 | 7,091.67 | 20,968.48 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | 10.00 | 140.00 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Firemen's Quarters | 3,100 | — | 260.00 | 372.50 | — | 232.00 | 375.00 | — | — | 306.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 5,820 | — | 465.00 | 1,430.48 | — | 485.00 | 1,380.00 | — | 445.00 | 1,335.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 1.72 | 389.25 | — | 72 | 72.21 | — | .71 | 63.26 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 33,700 | — | 16,741.10 | 16,741.10 | — | 21,870.30 | 21,870.30 | — | 20,504.19 | 20,504.19 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | 250.00 | 250.00 | — | 250.00 | 250.00 | — | 250.00 | 250.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co. Ld. | 7,330 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 50,000 | — | 12,739.30 | 12,739.30 | — | 11,365.00 | 11,365.00 | — | 10,780.93 | 10,780.93 |
| Electricity Department | 242,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 13,820.00 | 13,820.00 |
| Convict Labour | 12,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concreteware Manufactory | 10,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 5,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,296,530 | | 203,865.41 | 653,218.66 | | 179,703.37 | 627,048.62 | | 211,644.82 | 668,242.98 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Superintendent of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有擬承攬各項本局有權利承認全份項

二 所有承攬本局自有權利承認全份項

三 擇人到定局之後其該承攬人遵照合同辦理的人信及承攬之價

四 所有承攬各人之信及承攬之價

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## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|

### ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT

Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 186 | 90 3-phase Induction Motors<br>Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 26 |

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# The Municipal Gazette

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2598.**

**CHINESE WINE SHOP OFF-LICENCE.**

THE following licence conditions will be enforced with effect from April 1, 1919:—

1.—That the licence be not transferable.

2.—That the licence number plate be fixed in a conspicuous position at the main outside entrance to the premises and remain at all times legible and undefaced and that the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous place inside the premises.

3.—That free access be given to the Police on duty and to officers of the Health and Public Works Departments, the Revenue Office and the Fire Brigade, charged with the inspection of licensed premises.

4.—That no liquor sold be consumed on the premises.

5.—That samples of the liquor kept for sale be furnished when required for analysis by the Health Officer or his accredited representative; and that if such liquor be found on such analysis to be bad, impure, unwholesome, or unfit for consumption, the same shall be liable to be confiscated and dealt with in such manner as the Council may direct, without compensation.

6.—That no noise, disorderly conduct or gambling be permitted and that no persons of bad character be harboured on the premises.

7.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.

8.—That on a breach of any of its conditions, the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 8, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2602.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2603.**

**DOGS.**

DOG owners who have not yet taken out licences for the current year, are requested to make application at the Revenue Office, *accompanied by the fee of $5 for each dog.*

Attention is directed to Condition No. 6 imposed in the licence, as follows:—

"That the dog when in the streets "or other place of public resort be "effectively muzzled, but in such a "manner as will admit of its "breathing and drinking."

Dogs found without muzzles, whether led or at large, within the limits of the Settlement or on outlying roads, will be seized by the Police and detained at the Kennels in the Gordon Road for a period of one week or longer as circumstances may direct; their owners, when identified, will be prosecuted. Dogs wearing ineffective muzzles will be regarded as unmuzzled.

Enquiries on the subject of lost or strayed dogs should be made at the Gordon Road Police Station (Telephone No. West 348).

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 17, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2604.**

**TRAFFIC—"ONE-WAY ROADS."**

NOTICE is hereby given that, in order to relieve congestion in the Kiangse and Szechuen Roads, and with a view to ameliorating traffic conditions generally, the Kiangse Road will be available only for vehicles proceeding from South to North and the Szechuen Road for vehicles proceeding from North to South from May 1, 1919, and until further notice.

The public is requested to cooperate in making this regulation a success so that it may be permanently adopted.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 17, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2605.**

**STEAM LAUNCHES.**

THE following additional licence condition will be enforced with effect from May 1:—

7A.—*That the licensee (of passenger launches charging fares) on the first day of each month shall furnish the Captain-Superintendent of Police with a complete time table showing the times of departure and arrival of the said launch at all Jetties within the Settlement and that such time table for departures shall be strictly adhered to unless 24 hours notice in writing be given beforehand to the Captain-Superintendent of Police of any change thereof.*

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 17, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2606.**

**TRAFFIC.**

THE Chaoufoong Road Jetty will be closed to traffic during repairs, from Thursday, April 24, to Thursday, May 1, inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 17, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2608.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business during the race days, viz., Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, May 5, 6 and 7.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 24, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Band Committee held on Tuesday, April 22, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Ed. White *(Chairman)*
A. Howard

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, April 23, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

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**Fire Brigade.**

*Re-organization.* — Correspondence with the Senior Foreman:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 8, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to address you on the subject of the re-organization of the Fire Brigade. You will recollect that this matter was informally discussed some few months ago when the Foremen of Nos. 1, 2 and 7 Companies and your 1st Assistant met the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of Council: it was then arranged that the suggestions of the volunteer members of the Brigade should be submitted for the Council's consideration, and as it is understood that the matter has since been considered by them, I am directed to state that the Council will be glad to receive their views as early as possible.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

J. W. STAVERS, Esq.,
Senior Foreman,
Shanghai Fire Brigade.

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Shanghai, February 24, 1919.

SIR,—I have been instructed by the members of the Volunteer Fire Brigade to protest strongly against statements contained in the Chief Officer's Report for 1918, and in particular against the last statement in the following sentence from Paragraph 1 on Page 12A, in which he refers to the decrease in the percentage of fire waste:—

"This must be accounted for "mainly by the motorisation of "the Brigade, and the increased "efficiency of the paid staff."

Inquiry into this question would demonstrate that the Volunteer Brigade is mainly responsible for the extinction of fires occurring in the Settlement.

The members regard the ignoring of their own services as a deliberate insult, and as an attempt to mislead the Council and Ratepayers.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
J. W. STAVERS,
*Senior Foreman.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, February 26, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your favour of the 8th instant dealing with the re-organization of the Fire Brigade.

In reply thereto I am directed to inform you on behalf of the Volunteer Members of the Brigade that, as conditions are at present, we do not desire to make any suggestions to the Council for the permanent re-organization of the Brigade.

Moreover as appears from the Chief Officer's report for 1918, the services of the Volunteer Members are quite superfluous and totally unappreciated. Such being the case, we should be glad to be relieved of our duties at the Council's earliest convenience If this is not feasible, we shall be pleased to carry on until such time as the Council can make other adequate arrangements. In the latter case we would request the Council to hold an enquiry into our present status, with a view to making certain alterations which we consider essential to even a temporary *modus operandi* of the Brigade.

I should like to add that this reply has the unanimous approval of a full meeting of the Volunteer Brigade.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
J. W. STAVERS,
*Senior Foreman.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council, Room,
Shanghai, February 27, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 24 written on behalf of the volunteer members of the Fire Brigade protesting against certain statements contained in the Chief Officer's report for 1918 and characterising the ignoring of their services by the Chief Officer as a deliberate insult and as an attempt to mislead the Council and the Ratepayers.

In reply I am directed to inform you that the Council accepts responsibility for the fact that no tribute to the services of the volunteer members appears in the Chief Officer's report as published. As presented to the Council his report did make reference to their good work in a paragraph which dealt also with the question of the re-organization of the Brigade and in deleting this paragraph in the view that it was undesirable that any statement should be made at the present time which might prejudge the merits or demerits of the case for re-organization, this reference to the work of the volunteer members was also unintentionally excised.

I am to assure you that the Council does fully appreciate the value of the services rendered by the volunteer members to the Community and as a matter of fact in his speech which was drafted about three weeks ago in review of the work of the past year, a tribute to the volunteer members was inserted by the Chairman as follows:

"The volunteer strength of the Brigade has, I regret to say, fallen still lower: the work that they have performed in the public interest must therefore call all the more for the unstinted praise and thanks of the Community. That the total fire loss for the year shows a very substantial decrease, representing a percentage of only 5 per cent. on the property at risk, or a decrease of 3.78 per cent. on the percentage for 1917, is eloquent testimony of their good work as also of the general efficiency of the Brigade as a whole."

I am to express the Council's hope that the volunteer members will be satisfied that the omission of any reference to their services in the Annual Report was quite unwittingly due to its action in deleting the paragraph above referred to.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

J. W. STAVERS, Esq.,
Senior Foreman, Fire Brigade.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, February 28, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 26 and to note that the volunteer members do not desire to make any suggestions to the Council in regard to any permanent re-organization of the Fire Brigade.

In regard to the wish of the volunteer members to be relieved of their duties at the Council's earliest convenience I am to express the Council's hope that the explanation given in my letter of yesterday's date as to how it was that tribute to their services was omitted from the Chief Officer's Report for 1918 may result in re-consideration of this wish. If this is not possible, I am to request that you may kindly furnish the Council with a statement of the alterations in the status of the Brigade which they consider essential to give effect to the expression that they will be pleased to carry on until such time as the Council can make other adequate arrangements.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

J. W. STAVERS, Esq.,
Senior Foreman,
Shanghai Fire Brigade.

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Shanghai, March 12, 1919.

SIR,—I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of February 28 and in reply I am directed to inform you that the incident of the Chief Officer's report and our omission therefrom is merely a side issue and does not in any way affect our request, that the Council should furnish us with a definite statement as to whether they are prepared to relieve us of our duties immediately, or whether they are desirous that we carry on, until such time as they can make other arrangements. Until we know that the Council wish us to carry on until other adequate arrangements are made, and also how long it will be before the Council can complete their arrangements, we do not feel called upon to make any suggestions for alterations in the status of the Brigade, which might be quite superfluous and merely serve as a subject for criticism.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
J. W. STAVERS,
*Senior Foreman.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 31, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 12 re-iterating the request of the volunteer members of the Fire Brigade that the Council should furnish them with a definite statement as to whether it is prepared to relieve them of their duties immediately or desires that they should carry on until such time as other arrangements can be made and

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stating that until they know that the Council wishes them to carry on and how long it will be before such other arrangements can be completed, they do not feel called upon to make any suggestion for alterations in the status of the Brigade which might be quite superfluous and merely serve as a subject for criticism.

In reply I am directed to express the Council's regret that the volunteer members are apparently so unwilling to assist with their views upon the re-organization of the Brigade and that it has therefore been necessary for the Council to consider the matter and reach a decision without the aid of such views.

The Council has long realized, and it is understood that the volunteer members have likewise realized, that the rapid growth of the Settlement, the marked change in the type of buildings and the increased needs of present day requirements in regard to fire prevention, inspection and fire fighting are such as to require a Brigade composed very largely of professional firemen who can devote their whole time to fire matters. On the other hand the fine record of the Brigade of over fifty years as a Volunteer Brigade and the most excellent services which the volunteer members are still rendering to the Community are such that the Council has been loath to make a change that would alter its status. But in a matter of such importance as fire prevention, sentiment cannot it is realized be allowed to outweigh all other considerations and so the Council feels that an alteration in its status should no longer be postponed.

There is no desire on the Council's part, to dispense with the volunteer element entirely, indeed for several reasons, no small importance is attached to the retention of the volunteers and with this in view the Council has decided to re-organize the Brigade on the basis that a volunteer section shall be provided for and accommodated in the Hongkew Station which is considered the most suitable for the purpose, the other stations being manned by the professional section.

In informing you of this decision, I am directed to express the hope that the volunteer members will continue to render their services to the Community as at present until the end of April when the re-organization will take effect and that thereafter they may lend their support to the Council's proposals so that the retention of the volunteer element in the Brigade may still be possible.

Beyond stating that the volunteer section will conduct its own mess as is done under the existing company system, and that in regard to fire matters, distribution of gear, etc., it will be under the orders of the Chief Officer, it is impossible at the moment to define in detail the interrelation between the volunteer and professional sections, but the Council believes that this is a matter which can be settled on a satisfactory basis and one to which it will give close consideration on learning that it may expect support of its proposals by the existing volunteer members, to whom in conclusion I am to convey an expression of the Council's very appreciative and whole-hearted thanks for their past services to the Community.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

J. W. STAVERS, Esq.,
Senior Foreman,
Shanghai Fire Brigade.

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Shanghai, April 5, 1919.

SIR,—With regard to the Council's decision contained in your letter of March 31, which decision reads

"The Council has decided to re-organize the Brigade on the basis that a volunteer section shall be provided for and accommodated in the Hongkew Station which is considered the most suitable for the purpose, the other stations being manned by the professional section."

We feel that the Council must have been aware of the effect that such a decision would produce, or it must have been badly misled, as even the most casual of enquiries would have elicited the fact that no Company of the Volunteer Brigade would for a moment entertain the idea of such a re-organization.

In view, therefore, of the above decision and in view also of the Council ignoring our request for an enquiry into the unpleasant conditions under which we have been working for some considerable time, we consider the Council to have virtually dismissed the Volunteer Members of the Fire Brigade: and accordingly we accept that dismissal with effect from April 30, 1919.

With regard to the paragraph in the above quoted letter, which paragraph reads:—

"I am directed to express the Council's regret that the volunteer members are apparently so unwilling to assist with their views upon the re-organization of the Brigade and that it has therefore been necessary for the Council to consider the matter and reach a decision without the aid of such views"

We would point out that before any correspondence was entered upon between the Council and ourselves, the Chairman of the Council verbally informed the Senior Foreman, that it was their idea to place all the Volunteer Companies in the Hongkew Station. In view of this statement we considered that as the Council had already made up their minds, we were not called upon to make any suggestion for alterations in the status of the Brigade which might be quite superfluous and merely serve as a subject for criticism.

We would call the Council's attention to the fact that the Volunteer Brigade is now in as high a state of efficiency as it has ever been. Doubtless the Council feels it has excellent reasons for accepting the *ex-parte* statements that have led it to dispense with the services of 43 foreign members of the Brigade, members with experience of local fire-fighting conditions extending over periods ranging from 1 to 9 years, but we would like to point out to the Council that we consider it extremely dangerous if they intend to entrust the safety of the Settlement to the type of coolie that has been hurriedly enrolled for the 'professional' Brigade during the past two years.

Our withdrawal from the Brigade is being forced, and we therefore take this opportunity of disclaiming all responsibility for the safety of the Settlement from fire after Wednesday, April 30, 1919.

After the service we have voluntarily given we feel the dismissal deeply, and, in order to give the community some idea of the position we have now been forced into, we would request the Council to publish this correspondence in the next issue of the Municipal Gazette.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
J. W. STAVERS.
*Senior Foreman.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, April 23, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 5, on the subject of the Council's proposal to retain a Volunteer Section in the re-organized Fire Brigade.

In reply thereto, I am directed to state that the Council views with extreme regret the attitude which the Volunteer members of the Brigade have elected to adopt. It was fully nine months ago that proposals for the re-organization of the Brigade were discussed by the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of Council, the Foremen of Nos. 1, 2 and 7 Companies and your First Assistant, and all were agreed that a change in the status of the Brigade was necessary; what that change should be was not decided at once in order that the Volunteer members might submit suggestions for consideration. Nothing transpired for several months and a further inquiry, addressed to you on February 8, requesting the views of the Volunteer members, only met with the reply that they did not wish to make any suggestions for the permanent re-organization of the Brigade, but desired to be relieved of their duties as early as possible; they would, however, carry on temporarily provided certain alterations were made which they considered essential. On further inquiring what those alterations were, no suggestions were forthcoming, and the Council was obliged to proceed with the work of re-organization without assistance from the volunteer members, and the proposal set out in its letter of March 31 is the result. Your reply states that "Even the most casual of inquiries would have elicited the fact that no Company of the Volunteer Brigade would for a moment entertain the idea of such a re-organization" and alluding to a verbal suggestion by the Chairman of Council that it might be

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possible to make some arrangement on these lines, you state that you considered the Council had already reached its decision on the subject, and any suggestions would be quite superfluous and would merely serve as a subject for criticism. Even if the Council had made its decision, which I am directed to state emphatically, it had not, it is considered regrettable that the volunteer members should not have made known their views on the subject or made alternative suggestions, instead of merely intimating that they consider themselves dismissed from the end of the month.

In summarising the present position of affairs therefore, I am directed to state that the Council, responsible for the efficiency of the fire fighting services of this Settlement, has during recent years recognized with considerable anxiety that the day had passed when the whole of the work of the Fire Brigade could with fairness be left entirely to the volunteer personnel. The Council had hoped that the members of the Brigade would cordially co-operate in the measures for re-organization necessitated alike from the increasing number, intricacy and value of modern fire fighting appliances, as from the fact that conflicting business and private duties, to an ever increasing degree, rendered attendance of the volunteer members in sufficient numbers at day fires a matter of great anxiety.

It is chiefly for the latter reason that the building up of the professionally trained portion of the Brigade has for many months been a matter of the greatest care, so as to bring it to the stage of development now reached, where the total absence upon occasion of the whole of the volunteer element, at even the largest fires, would not prejudically affect its efficiency. In taking these steps, however, the Council had and has no desire to dispense with the services of the Volunteer element, it has always viewed with the greatest appreciation the unselfish devotion to public duty of the members of the Brigade in that they gave of their best to the public service without expectation of merit or reward. It was therefore hoped that while, for the sake of efficiency, the Brigade must be administered and to a large extent manipulated by a professionally trained staff, it would be possible to retain, permanently, a section conducted by volunteer effort as heretofore. That the volunteer members should decline to co-operate in such a project is a great disappointment to the Council, and in accepting regretfully their decision, I am directed to repeat the Council's assurance of the grateful thanks of the Community for the services rendered in the past by the Volunteer members of the Brigade and to express its regret that those services should terminate.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

J. W. STAVERS, Esq.,
Senior Foreman,
Shanghai Fire Brigade.

The following interchange of letters with the Fire Insurance Association has ensued on this subject:—

Shanghai, April 8, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—It is reported that the Volunteer Members of the Shanghai Municipal Fire Brigade have tendered their resignation to the Shanghai Municipal Council as from the 30th instant, and in the event of this resignation being accepted and becoming effective, my Committee venture to ask the Council what steps it is proposed to take to meet the situation.

The matter appears one of extreme importance from a fire insurance point of view, and my Committee, at their Meeting held this day, decided to refer it to you without delay.

Your early reply will be greatly appreciated.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
G. J. W. MORGAN,
*Acting Secretary,*
*Fire Insurance Association.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, April 23, 1919.

SIR,—In reply to your letter of April 8, I am directed to send you herein enclosed an advance Gazette proof of the correspondence which has passed between the Council and the Senior Foreman on the subject of the re-organization of the Fire Brigade.

Beyond emphasizing how greatly the Council regrets that the volunteer members should have taken a stand that precludes the Council from proceeding with its original intention of making provision for a volunteer section in the Hongkew Station, there seems to be no matter dealt with in the correspondence that calls for particular comment or explanation, other than the ability of the Brigade to carry on the fire protection of the Settlement upon the withdrawal of the volunteer members at the end of this month.

I am directed to state that the Council is satisfied that the existing staff is quite competent to conduct the work of the Fire Brigade in an efficient manner, and that there is no ground for apprehension that the fire protection of the Settlement will in future be performed less effectively than heretofore. It should perhaps be here stated that the Department at present has at its disposal a total of 5 Europeans and 142 Chinese available for fire duties, while it is intended still further to augment the foreign strength of the Brigade by the immediate engagement of 6 additional firemen of experience.

The European staff consists of the Chief Officer with 14 years experience as Chief and a total of 22 years fire experience, the Departmental Assistant with 8 years experience in the Birmingham and Southampton Brigades and 4 years' local experience, the Departmental Engineer with experience in the Oakland Fire Department, U.S.A., and 12 months' local experience, the Clerical Assistant, who has completed a full volunteer training course with the London Fire Brigade in addition to two years' local experience, and Mr. R. O. Jackson who has proved himself a capable fireman.

The Chinese personnel consists of 142 men, of whom 67 have over two years service to their credit and most of the remainder have nearer two years service than one.

For some time past, more particularly in the day time, the brunt of the fire extinction service of the Settlement has been borne by these men and, in making this statement, no disparagement is intended of the excellent service given fully and freely by the volunteer firemen; but you are doubtless aware that the conditions of commercial life have to-day little in common with those of earlier days, and the heads of many firms which formerly provided numerous firemen are to-day obliged to refuse their employes permission to volunteer for this work.

There remains only to enclose herewith for your information, a copy of a memorandum by the Chief Officer, detailing the proportion of foreign supervision provided in Calcutta, Rangoon, Alexandria, and other places, which the Council believes will be of interest to you.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

G. J. W. MORGAN, Esq.,
Acting Secretary,
Shanghai Fire Insurance Association.

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(*Enclosure.*)

*Memorandum by the Chief Officer.*

With reference to my remarks re Fire Brigades in the Far East on a paid basis, and the proportion of foreign supervision, I would mention the following Brigades with such detail pertaining to each as I have been able to gather from the latest Annual Reports to hand:—

*Calcutta 1918.*—

Chief Officer.
Chief Engineer.
Inspector of Warehouses.
2 Station Officers.
6 Engineers.
1 European Driver.
7 European Firemen.

From April, 1917, to March, 1918, the Chief Officer was absent on War service in Mesopotamia, leaving the Senior Station Officer in Charge of the Brigade.

The Inspector of Warehouses is naturally a special service man. The 6 Engineers are for the steam Fire Engines, these are not necessary here, as we are an all motor Brigade: Calcutta is not. We have no need of a European driver. This leaves a strength of 10 Europeans for actual fire extinguishing work. The total strength is 220.

Calcutta is the largest City in the Far East under Foreign Administration. The Fire Brigade protects the City and suburbs, in addition it also protects Howrah, the Municipalities of Cossipore-Chitpore,

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Maniktala and Garden Reach. It has a total area of over 113 sq. miles with a population of about 1½ millions. Shanghai has a total area inside Boundary limits of 8⅔ sq. miles with a population of about 620,000. It must be admitted that a large portion of the area of Calcutta is not built on, but their fire risk is more than ours.

*Rangoon 1916-1917.*—This city has an authorized strength of 3 officers and 10 petty officers. One officer and 6 petty officers joined the forces. It would appear that this Brigade is without a permanent second officer, leaving approximately 5 Europeans.

*Alexandria* has a total strength of 1 Chief Officer, 1 Supt., 1 Asst. Supt., 1 Chief Engineer. As far as I can see there are 5 Europeans with a total strength of 175 men, but it is difficult to judge, as they do not differentiate between natives and Europeans. Alexandria has naturally very large cotton risks. Unfortunately I cannot find reports for Bombay and Madras.

*Singapore 1917.*—There are 3 Europeans, one of whom was on leave.

*Penang* has one European Superintendent.

M. W. PETT,
*Chief Officer, Shanghai Fire Brigade.*

Shanghai, April 17, 1919.

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**Internal Peace Confederate Association and Internal Peace Hoping Association.**

Correspondence with the Senior Consul:—

Shanghai, February 25, 1919.

SIR,—I enclose herewith for your consideration and reply copy of the Chinese text and a free translation of a letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs in Shanghai concerning the office of the Internal Peace Confederate Association.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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(*Enclosure.*)

*Translation of letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to the Senior Consul, dated February 22, 1919.*

I have received a letter from the "Internal Peace Confederate Association" stating as follows:—

"Our association is composed of representatives of all the Provincial Assemblies, the Chambers of Commerce, Educational Associations and other organizations. The office of this association was situated in Peking, because it has been decided that the Peace Conference should take place in Shanghai, we have removed our association to Shanghai. The residence of the members of this association is at No. 15 Markham Road, the office of this association is at No. 20 Markham Road, and the meeting place is at the Cotton Spinning Guild. We wish to hang up a notice board on the door of the three above-mentioned places, please ask the Senior Consul to convey that wish to the Shanghai Municipal Council."

In receipt of the above I have the honour to inform you, Senior Consul, for your consideration and transmission to the Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 19, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 25 forwarding a copy and translation of a communication from the late Commissioner for Foreign Affairs requesting that the Internal Peace Confederate Association be permitted to exhibit notice boards at Nos. 15 and 20 Markham Road and at the offices of the Cotton Spinning Guild, and in reply I have the honour to inform you that the permission requested is granted on the understanding that it will apply only as a temporary measure and so long as the activities of the Association are not the subject of complaint and that the notice boards to be exhibited shall contain only the Chinese characters which denote the name of the Association.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.

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Shanghai, April 2, 1919.

SIR,—I enclose herewith for your consideration and reply copy of the Chinese text and a free translation of a letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs in Shanghai concerning the office of the Internal Peace Hoping Association.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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(*Enclosure.*)

*Translation of letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to the Senior Consul, dated March 31, 1919.*

I have received a letter from the "Internal Peace Hoping Association" stating as follows:—

"Our Association is composed of representatives of all similar associations in every place outside Peking and the associations of the Chinese Sojourners. We are hoping for peace: we had a meeting on March 2 in Nanking. We elected Mr. Young Shi-ling as the Chairman, and Messrs. Liang She-yi and Chang I-ling as Vice-Chairmen. Now we have removed our office to Shanghai, to No. 81 Bubbling Well Road. Please ask the Senior Consul to convey to the Shanghai Municipal Council to let us hang up a notice board on the door of the office. Since we have requested the Chinese Authorities for registration, we have the honour to inform you, Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, for your consideration."

In receipt of the above I have the honour to inform you, Senior Consul, for your consideration and transmission to the Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 2, forwarding a copy and translation of a communication from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, requesting that the Internal Peace Hoping Association be permitted to exhibit a notice board at No. 81 Bubbling Well Road, and, in reply, I have the honour to inform you that the permission requested is granted on the understanding that it will apply only as a temporary measure and so long as the activities of the Association are not the subject of complaint, and that the notice board to be exhibited shall contain only the Chinese characters which denote the name only of the Association.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.

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**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*North Szechuen Road.*—The claim of Captain J. H. P. Parker, on behalf of Mrs. A. Parker, has been accepted for the surrender of the area required from B.C. Lot 60 Pao for widening this road to 60-ft., that the wall and surface drain be set back, that the small house at the corner be removed, that the road drain trap be cleaned and maintained, and that payment be made at the rate of Tls. 5,000 per mow for the land surrendered, or Tls. 860 for Mow 0.172.

*Haiphong Road.*—The following letters refer to an improvement to this road ex Lot 4370:—

Shanghai, February 25, 1919.

SIR,—On behalf of the Committee of the Doon Za Loh Nee Dong Charitable Institution I beg to inform you that the Committee desire to build a guild house on B. C. Lot 7178—Haiphong Road, they understand that a portion of land on the northern boundary of the lot will be required by the Council for the construction of the Haiphong Road. The Committee is quite willing to surrender the area required for road purposes, but they wish me to point out to you the following:—

1.—The Committee intends to build the house facing south, therefore they will not use the Haiphong Road as a frontage to the guild: they wish the Council to pay reasonable compensation for the area of whatever is required for the road.

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2.—The Committee desire the house built with a southern exposure necessitating the making of the entrance way on the east of the lot, there is, however, hardly enough land on the east side. The Committee, therefore, begs that the Council will fill in the creek on this side and wish to know the cost to them of laying pipes and filling up the creek with mud.

I shall be glad if you will kindly let me know at your earliest convenience the amount of compensation the Council will be prepared to pay for the land required for the Haiphong Road and the cost of filling of the creek as the Committee wishes to start building operations as soon as possible.

Thanking you in advance.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

ZEE HAI-DOO.

C. HARPUR, Esq.,

Acting Engineer, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, March 6, 1919.

SIR,—In reply to your letter of February 25, on the subject of Lot 4370, Haiphong Road, I am directed to state that after careful consideration of the facts stated in your letter, the Council is willing to arrange compensation as follows:—

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Mow 0.174 at Tls. 600 per mow | 104 |
| Plus 10% | 10 |
| | 114 |
| Less one-third for betterment | 38 |
| | Tls. 76 |

The cost of laying a 12-in. pipe and filling the creek on the east of the lot between Haiphong and Markham Roads is Tls. 305, leaving a net amount of Tls. 229 payable by the Institution in the event of the Council undertaking the work.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

ZEE HAI-DOO, Esq.,

for the Doon Za Loh Nee Dong Charitable Institution.

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Shanghai, March 7, 1919.

SIR,—We beg to acknowledge the receipt of your kind favour of yesterday's date in the matter of the Haiphong Road, in reply thereto we beg to state that the contents are acceptable to the Committee, and we shall be glad if the Council will undertake the work of filling in the creek as soon as possible and thanking you in advance.

We are, Sir,

Your obedient servants,

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*Members of the Doon Za Loh Nee Dong Charitable Institution Committee.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,

Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, March 28, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We beg to enclose herewith Surrender Deed in triplicate, for an area of Mow 0.174 from Cadastral Lot 4370 of land for the Haiphong Road extension, duly executed by our Mr. Algar. We shall feel obliged if you will return us one copy of this Deed after it has been registered at the British Consulate, together with your cheque for Tls. 76 being the agreed amount of compensation.

Yours faithfully,

ALGAR & CO., LD.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,

Secretary, Municipal Council.

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**Road Widening Plans.**

Estimates have been received as under for lithographing 150 sets of the Road Widening Plans for 1919:—

Commercial Press, $528. To be completed in 3 months.

Mercantile Printing Company, Ld., $480. To be completed in 5 weeks.

Kelly and Walsh, Ld., $473. To be completed in 6-8 weeks.

Oriental Press, $375. To be completed in 4-5 weeks.

The tender of Messrs. Kelly and Walsh, Ld., $473, has been accepted.

**Public Lighting.**

*Bubbling Well Road.*—The recommendation of the Engineer has been adopted to replace the five 100 c.p. lamps in the section of this road between Hart and Hardoon Roads with 200 c.p. lamps at an additional annual cost of Tls. 150.

**Educational Department.**

Report by Mr. F. M. H. Holman, B.A. (Cantab.) Lecturer in Education University of Hongkong upon his recent inspection of the foreign schools under the Council's control. All four schools have been recommended for approval by the Cambridge Local Syndicate:—

Hongkong, March 24, 1919.

SIR,—According to previous communications and arrangements between yourself, on behalf of the Municipal Council, and Sir Charles Eliot, the Vice-Chancellor of this University, Mr. F. M. Holman—our Lecturer on Education—was deputed to proceed to Shanghai to visit the various Municipal Schools and report thereon. Mr. Holman accordingly made an extended visit to the various schools and has now sent in his report from which you will see that he has gone into all questions arising out of the recognition of these schools by the Cambridge Syndicate in a most thorough, complete and business-like manner, and I am glad he has been able to recommend all four schools for recognition.

It gives me much pleasure in forwarding Mr. Holman's Report.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

G. P. JORDAN,

*Pro-Vice-Chancellor.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,

Chairman, Municipal Council.

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Hongkong, January 20, 1919.

SIR,—I have recently visited Shanghai, at the request of the Shanghai Municipal Council, for the purpose of inspecting the Schools for foreign children maintained by the Council. It gives me much pleasure to send you my Report on these.

The Municipal Council at Shanghai, owing to the conditions which obtain in an International Settlement, has no compulsory powers in the matter of education; and it has been found impossible, I understand, to obtain public support, in sufficient strength, for any system of higher education within Shanghai than is provided for foreign boys and girls at the schools with which I am about to deal. The desire of parents seems to be only for such an education as will allow their children to reach a state of training which renders them acceptable in the business offices of the city. To supply such a training, it may be fairly stated, is the aim of the Council's schools.

The four schools visited by me were:

The Public School for Boys.
The Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.
The Public School for Girls.
The Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.

The following notes treat of each school in detail.

*The Public School for Boys.*

This institution originated in a Masonic School which was later taken over completely by the Municipal Council. Its material consists, almost entirely, of local boys who are likely to enter upon a business career in Shanghai, the average age at the time of leaving being sixteen or seventeen years. The School supplies the highest type of education provided by the Municipal Council, and the school authorities are aware that the courses which they provide are likely to be all the general education which will ever be received by the great majority of the pupils.

The buildings are modern and well designed, standing in a good, open situation. I consider them entirely satisfactory. They do not include, at present, either a gymnasium or a department for the teaching of hand-work; but I understand that these are likely to be added soon. The school possesses a large play-ground, an excellent assembly hall, well-fitted laboratories, a good art room, a clean and well managed kitchen and a bright dining room for boys who take meals on the premises. The buildings are designed for two hundred and fifty boys and the school is now only a very few below that number.

The organization appeared to me to be good and likely to yield excellent results. A very good feature is the great attention devoted to the physical side of the school life of the boys. The organization in this direction is on very sound and thoroughly modern lines. The curriculum appears to be satisfactory, on the whole; though shorthand is allowed as an alternative to history

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in Forms V Lower, V Upper and VI. The amount of time given to each subject in the time-table must be governed by the experience of the school authorities in dealing with the type of boy most usual in the school; and here it must be pointed out that there are some Eurasian boys and many foreign boys in the school, the latter being particularly difficult to deal with since they enter the school at varying ages and with great differences in their knowledge of the English language, the word foreign here being used to indicate boys who are not of British parentage.

The subjects taught are English, modern languages: (French or German and Chinese); arithmetic, mathematics, natural science, history, geography, book keeping, shorthand, drawing, vocal music physical exercises and drill and organized field games also form part of the school life.

The demand for men in Europe arising out of the war has led to the inclusion in the school staff of some women teachers for duties which, under normal conditions, would be placed in the hands of men. The women teachers so engaged, however, are well qualified and are fully capable of meeting the needs of the school for the period of the war and the subsequent demobilization. It is well recognized that the present arrangements are purely temporary and that the needed assistant masters will be appointed as soon as possible. The staff, at present, consists of the Headmaster, with five Assistant Masters and five Assistant Mistresses. Of the latter, three, I understand, are temporary and for the period of the war only. The Headmaster, three Assistant Masters and two of the Assistant Mistresses are University graduates. Provided that the temporary Assistant Mistresses are replaced as soon as possible by Assistant Masters, I consider the staff well qualified to conduct the work of the school.

The classes were of a very convenient average size for the purposes of teaching. There is no overcrowding in the class-rooms and the staff appeared to have good opportunities of getting into the necessary personal touch with their pupils, a matter which is of great importance in a school of this type, where ordinary class subjects are taught in English, which is not the native tongue of a number of the pupils. The school is often asked to receive boys whose knowledge of the English language is very inferior to that of their fellows of about the same age who are already within the school. In view of this fact the standard of attainment in the various classes was, so far as I could judge in an inspection in which my time was necessarily limited, surprisingly uniform; a condition of things which must add greatly to the efficiency of the school since it enables the teaching staff to maintain a proper and fitting uniformity of presentation in their class-room methods.

The relations which existed between the boys and the members of the staff appeared to be very satisfactory. The Headmaster keeps in close touch with boys and parents, and, by a wise system of checks upon the disciplinary measures taken by members of the staff, secures a proper authority for his assistants while at the same time avoiding any possibility of injustice. Co-operation in games and scouting brings together the boys and the staff and the friendly atmosphere which existed was very pleasing.

I observed the working of the boys in their class-rooms and was present at the giving of lessons by all members of the staff. The teaching appeared to be in every way satisfactory.

On consulting past records on the school I found a steady growth in numbers and efficiency. I have already mentioned that the school is now dealing with almost as many boys as it was designed to accommodate.

My impression was that the school is efficient and very well-conducted. I suggest that it is fully worthy of recognition and approval by the Syndicate so far as I understand the requirements of that body.

*The Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*

The school originated in a charitable institution set up by the late Sir Thomas Hanbury for the protection and education of poor Eurasian children. It was taken over, after experiencing considerable financial difficulties, by the Shanghai Municipal Council, by which body it is now maintained. The original School for Boys was placed in the same building as the School for Girls; but the present buildings for the School for Boys are new ones, erected for the purpose by the Shanghai Municipal Council. The School for Girls now occupies the whole of the old building.

The School for Boys provides an elementary education to prepare boys for business life in Shanghai. Its fees are lower than those of the Municipal Public School for Boys. I understand that the proportion of boys of British parentage is far less in the Thomas Hanbury School than in the Public School for Boys, the majority of the Thomas Hanbury boys being either Eurasians or of nationalities other than British. It follows from this that there are greater difficulties in teaching the boys at the Thomas Hanbury School because of the poor knowledge of the English language possessed by the majority of them at the time when they join the school, and the fact that many of them enter in this state when they are of quite advanced school age. Most of the pupils of the school are day-boys, but there are some boarders.

The buildings are modern, well-designed and kept in good order. There is no assembly hall, but I am told that one is likely to be erected in the near future. There is no art room and no hand work is at present done in the school. The class-rooms are bright, large and well lit. The dormitories are spacious and well ventilated. There is a large open play ground, but no covered play-ground at present.

The school is divided into an Upper School and a Lower School. Two special classes are provided for the teaching of the English language to boys of advanced school age who come to the school with such a poor knowledge of English that they cannot be graded with boys of their own age in the ordinary school work. The curriculum is arranged under the eight headings of English, mathematics, business subjects, geography, history, scripture, drawing and Chinese; the latter being treated as an extra subject unless the Headmaster considers it a necessary feature of the school course for any particular boy, in which case it is not charged for. This arrangement of subjects should provide an efficient preparation for business activities of the sort which the type of boy who attends the school is likely to undertake when he leaves. No experimental science is taught in the school but a series of science readers is used.

The time-table appeared to me to be quite satisfactory. A considerable amount of time is devoted to English subjects; and this, in view of the class of pupil with which the school has to deal, is very necessary.

The staff consists of the Headmaster, four Assistant Masters and five Assistant Mistresses. One of the Assistant Masters, I understand, is absent on war service. It is intended to increase the number of Assistant Masters as soon as possible, and to retain the service of Assistant Mistresses only in the lower parts of the school. Holding in view the abnormal circumstances, I consider the staff to be as efficient and adequate as it is reasonable to expect.

The classes appeared to be well graded and of a convenient size. The existence of the two classes for big boys who are backward in English enables the standard in the rest of the school to be maintained at a fairly uniform level. The class-rooms are sufficiently large to allow the boys to work under good conditions and the equipment of the rooms was, on the whole, modern and satisfactory. All the teachers seemed capable and well able to conduct the school work. The boys seemed ready and intelligent; and I found, on personal contact with them that they were willing to talk and possessed of ideas which they were perfectly willing to state. The impression left was distinctly good.

The previous reports on the school, which I examined, showed a steady and healthy growth and progress.

In this case, also, I suggest that the school be approved by the Syndicate.

*The Public School for Girls.*

This school was founded at the same time and in the same way as the Public School for Boys. When the new buildings for the Public School for Boys were completed the Public School for Girls entered into entire possession of the premises in which it is now lodged.

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The buildings stand in the midst of a thickly populated district and are somewhat old-fashioned in design. They are a little dark and gloomy, and the corridors are draughty. I understand, however, that the Municipal Council intends to erect new buildings, the site having been chosen already. The present buildings are quite satisfactory from the point of view of air space in the class-rooms, heating, etc., but more modern buildings will certainly add to the total efficiency of the school work. The school stands in the midst of a large playground, in one part of which is situated a garden in which, at the favourable time of the year, some of the girls plant and tend flowers.

The school is divided into Kindergarten, Lower School and Upper School. The subjects taught are English, French, German, arithmetic, botany, physiology, history, geography, drawing, book-keeping, shorthand, vocal music, physical exercises, drill, organized games, cookery and needlework. Latin, Greek and higher mathematics are taught in certain special cases.

The time-table was quite satisfactory in its arrangement.

The Head-Mistress directs a staff of eighteen assistant mistresses and two student mistresses. Four of the assistant mistresses are University graduates, the Head-Mistress has passed through Whitelands Training College, and four of the assistant mistresses have also passed through training colleges. The staff appeared to me to be well qualified and efficient. The general policy in the working of the school I consider to be excellent.

I visited the class-rooms and found them perfectly satisfactory as regards space and equipment. The classes appeared to be well-graded and of a very convenient average size. Geography is a subject which, in my opinion, is particularly well taught in this school, and great attention is also devoted to the teaching of history. It is clear that the very great importance of these two subjects is well appreciated by the Head-Mistress. The class-room practice of the staff, so far as I was able to judge, was very good, and the relations existing between the teachers and their pupils appeared to be excellent. The working of the school seemed to be smooth and the scheme of discipline wise and moderate.

Part of the work of the school is conducted in a converted dwelling house some distance from the main School buildings. I understand that this arrangement is purely temporary. The premises have been adapted, as far as possible, by the Municipal architects, to school purposes, but there are still defects in the way of lighting and ventilation, and the premises are generally inconvenient.

I certainly think that the Syndicate could well approve this school, but would add the suggestion that the Council should be urged to undertake the construction of the new buildings as soon as possible.

*The Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*

This school was founded at the same time, and with the same objects, as the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys. Most of the pupils take up work in business offices in Shanghai after leaving school.

Of the four schools inspected by me, the buildings in which this school is lodged are the least suited for the purposes to which they are put. The class-rooms are small, the stair-cases narrow and steep, the premises are draughty and the lighting in many of the class-rooms is poor. The dormitories in which the boarders sleep, however, are spacious and well lit, and the necessary lavatory accommodation is good. There is a pleasantly fitted little common room for the boarders, which has recently been introduced. Evidently an effort is being made to give the girls a sense of home-like surroundings and to abolish, as far as possible, the "institution" atmosphere. The school possesses a fairly large playground.

The school is divided into Kindergarten, Lower School and Upper School. Instruction is given in scripture, English, arithmetic, geography, history, literature, French, drawing, class singing, drill, needlework, and cooking for girls in the Fifth and Sixth Forms. Great importance is attached to handwriting, English Composition, grammar and arithmetic. The distribution of these subjects over the time-table appeared to me to be quite satisfactory.

The staff consists of the Head-Mistress, together with seven assistant mistresses and a music mistress. Those of the pupils who are boarders are in charge of three matrons. One of the assistant mistresses is a University graduate, and all are trained and experienced. They appeared to me to be keen and capable.

The class-rooms were, in some cases, small, and, in other cases, dark. The equipment was, on the whole, good. The classes were of an average size which would give the teacher opportunities for individual attention to the children, and the grading appeared to me to be as uniform as might be expected in view of the great variety of age, nationality and standard of attainment in English which was evident amongst the girls. The grading is made easier, as in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, by the existence of a special class for girls who join the school at a fairly advanced school age, but with very little knowledge of the English language. The teachers, I thought, handled their classes well, and were doing good work under conditions which were not so favourable as could be desired. The pupils appeared ready, polite and intelligent. A great deal of school efficiency is probably lost in the class-rooms every year through fatigue set up in the pupils by strain owing to defects in the school buildings.

The working and discipline of the school appeared to be quite satisfactory. I examined previous reports on the school, and from them it was evident that a great deal has been done to improve its efficiency and there is, undoubtedly, a good record of growth and progress since the institution has been taken over by the Municipal authorities. I think, therefore, that the school could be approved by the Syndicate.

I trust that I have been able to provide the Syndicate, in the above notes, with the information which it requires in forming its judgment with regard to these schools.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant.
F. M. H. HOLMAN,
B.A. (Cantab.)
*Lecturer in Education,*
*University of Hongkong.*

The SECRETARY,
Local Examinations and Lectures Syndicate, University of Cambridge.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, April 11, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter to the Chairman of March 24, forwarding for the Council's information Mr. Holman's report upon his recent inspection of the four foreign schools under the Council's control, and to state that the members of the Foreign Educational Committee and the Council have noted with pleasure and satisfaction that all four schools have been recommended for approval by the Cambridge Local Syndicate.

In respect thereto, I am directed to inquire whether in accordance with the practice followed in such cases in England, as indicated in the Chairman's letter to Sir Charles Eliot of June 21, 1918, a copy of Mr. Holman's report has been forwarded to the Cambridge University Authorities and, if such is not the case, to request that a copy be forwarded at an early date.

In conclusion, I am directed to thank the Hongkong University Authorities for the valuable assistance they have so willingly rendered in this matter, and to request that you will kindly convey to Mr. Holman an expression of the members' deep appreciation of the work he has performed in connexion therewith.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

G. P. JORDAN, Esq.,
Pro-Vice-Chancellor,
Hongkong University.

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## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, APRIL 19.

*Police Force.*—2nd Class Sergeants G. Gilbert and R. J. Crouch are promoted to be 1st Class Sergeants from April 1.

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2nd Class Sergeant J. Robertson is permitted to terminate his service on June 22, the date of expiry of his agreement.

2nd Class Constable Kuninari Shiba has changed his name to Kuninari Sakurai with the Council's approval.

E. Kallstrom is appointed Probationary Warder from April 21.

*Educational Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. G. M. Billings, Headmaster of the Public School for Boys, from May 9.

*Secretariat.*—Mr. T. L. Rawsthorne, Junior Clerk, is appointed Assistant, under agreement, from May 9.

### Public Band.

On Sunday next, April 27, at 5 o'clock p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

1. Overture "I Promessi Sposi" Ponchielli
2. Trio for Piano, Violin and Cello Gretchaninoff
   (*a*) Allegro Appasionato
   (*b*) Lento Assai
   (*c*) Finale—Allegro Vivace

*(The Moscow Trio)*

3. Fantasia "Komarinskaja" Glinka
4. "Tema con Variazioni" Rachmaninoff

*(The Moscow Trio)*

5. Three dances from "Henry VIII" German

A. DE KRYGER,
*Conductor-in-Charge.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 2630 | Baikal | Credit Foncier d'Extreme Orient | | | conservatory |
| 2390 | Chinwangtao | Liddell Bros. & Co. | | | staircase |
| 1657 | Tongshan | J. A. Offor | | | addns. |
| 5657 | Gordon | Dong Kee & Co. | | | wall |
| 5232 | Ichang | Nagai Wata Kaisha | | | latrine block |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 161 | Honan | Lee Tai Kee | | | addns. |
| 531, 531A & 532 | Hoopeh | Ling Tung Chaou | 80 | | |
| 342 | N. Honan | Yao Lun Tsun | | | addns. |
| 870 | Woochang | Chun Wei Ping | | | altns. |
| 1064 | Woosung & Tiendong | do. | | | addns. |
| 2437 | B'bling Well | S. A. Hardoon | 22 | | |
| Unreg. N of 3650 | Gordon | Yao King Kee | 12 | | |

### Fire Brigade Report for March.

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 16, as against 29 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 1,075 (Foreign, Tls. Nil; Chinese, Tls. 1,075), as against Tls. 34,900 (Foreign, Tls. 26,050; Chinese, Tls. 8,850) during March 1918. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 83,000 (Foreign, Tls. 7,000; Chinese, Tls. 76,000), as against Tls. 512,200 (Foreign, Tls. 435,200; Chinese, Tls. 77,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 10, Street Alarms 4 and Police 2.

The general alarm was given on 2 occasions, the remaining 14 being station calls.

These calls proved to be 10 small fires, 2 chimney fires, 3 false alarms (1 malicious) and 1 fire outside the Settlement.

The supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Defective flue | 2 |
| Child playing with matches | 1 |
| Dropped match or cigarette end | 1 |
| Lamp overfilled | 1 |
| Sparks from chimney | 1 |
| Sparks or ashes from stove | 1 |
| Tar overboiling | 1 |
| Lighted charcoal cracking an earthenware basin and falling on to the floor board | 1 |
| Unknown | 1 |

The premises affected were:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Foreign buildings | 2 |
| Chinese buildings | 18 |

Of these eleven houses were more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The water used at fires during the month was 26,480 gallons.

The Brigade was occupied 7 hours and 20 minutes at fires, or supposed fires, and the Staff was employed for a further 65 hours and 25 minutes watching and damping down.

It was an exceedingly quiet month, there being no fire of any importance.

M. W. PETT,
*Chief Officer.*

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call: Time of | Call: How received | Alarm given | Locality | District: Municipal | District: Fire | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire: Brigade | Time at fire: Staff | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| March 1 | 10 30 p.m. | Telephone | Station | Whangpoo River | Outside | | | | 80 minutes | 8 hours | |
| 4 | 11.34 a.m. | Street Alarm | " | N. Honan/Boone Rds. | Northern | 8 | | | 15 " | | False alarm |
| 4 | 4.49 p.m. | Telephone | " | 5-6 Thibet Road | Central | 6 | Foreign Gas Works | | 15 " | | |
| 9 | 7.25 p.m. | " | " | U 180 Peking Road | Central | 3 | Chinese Dwelling | | 35 " | 2 hours | Chimney |
| 10 | 1.40 p.m. | Bubbling Well Police | " | Fc 505 Medhurst Road | Western | 7 | " | | 20 " | | |
| 11 | 5.28 a.m. | Telephone | " | P 100 Nanking Road | Central | 3 | Chinese Lodging House | | 15 " | | |
| 11 | 6.27 p.m. | " | " | F 14 off Chili Road | Central | 3 | Chinese Shop | | 15 " | 1 hour | |
| 17 | 5.23 p.m. | " | " | Chekiang Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Matshed | | | 10 minutes | |
| 19 | 8.50 p.m. | " | General | Rc 2 Urga Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwellings | 4 damaged | 55 minutes | 15 hours | |
| 23 | 9.36 a.m. | " | Station | 13 West End Lane | Northern | 2 | Foreign Resid. | | | 15 minutes | Chimney |
| 24 | 6.36 p.m. | Street Alarm | " | Sinza/Markham Roads | Western | 7 | | | 10 minutes | | Malicious false alarm |
| 25 | 1.59 a.m. | Telephone | " | F 527 off Woochang Rd. | Northern | 2 | Chinese Dwelling | 1 damaged | 1 hour | 10 hours | |
| 25 | 9.49 p.m. | Street Alarm | " | I 815 off Chekiang Rd. | Central | 5 | " | | 25 minutes | 1½ " | |
| 27 | 2.14 p.m. | Telephone | General | Rb 307 Urga Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shops | 6 damaged | 1 hour | 27 " | |
| 27 | 9.23 p.m. | Louza Police | Station | Rb 87 off Swatow Rd. | Central | 5 | " | | 20 minutes | | False alarm |
| 28 | 10.28 p.m. | Street Alarm | " | L 428 Canton Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Shop | | 15 " | 30 minutes | |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

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## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, April 20, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 3 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 16 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 |
| Influenza | — | 22 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 5 | 166 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Mixed Court Report for March.

A number of regular sessions of the Court were abandoned through Assessors being incapacitated by influenza and it was frequently necessary to postpone the hearing of cases at the eleventh hour owing to the parties or their counsel being unable to attend Court from the same cause.

Warrants were issued for three enemy subjects who evaded embarkation on the repatriation ships.

The following enemy subjects were before the Court during the month on criminal charges:—

| *Name* | *Nationality* | *Offence* | *Decision* |
|---|---|---|---|
| H. Kremla | Austrian | Entering Settlement without permit | To be detained in Police Station until put on board ship for repatriation. |
| H. F. O. Dettmar | German | do. | Sent to the Repatriation Camp on 25-3-19. |
| F. Bande | German | Changing address without notice | To be kept in Police custody until sailing of steamer. Visits from his wife to be allowed. |

On March 27, before Messrs. Grant Jones and Yui, Messrs. Lester, Johnson & Morriss, agents for the Shanghai Tug & Lighter Company, Ld., sued one Dau Kyung-pau (譚金寶) for $255 rent due in respect to No. 272 Yunnan Road. In answer to a question put by the Court, plaintiff's shroff stated that the premises were used as a first-class brothel and had been so used for the past two years; this fact was known to his employers. The Assessor said that the Court would give judgment for defendant, this being an immoral contract.

Here follow returns of Offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with, Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention and Chinese Civil Cases.

M. O. SPRINGFIELD,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
K. J. McEUEN,
Captain-Superintendent of Police.

### OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| **1.—Offences Against the Person:—** | |
| Abduction | 3 |
| Assault | 21 |
| Attempted suicide | 3 |
| Intimidation | 10 |
| Murder | 7 |
| Causing grievous bodily harm | 1 |
| **2.—Offences Against Property:—** | |
| Burglary | 11 |
| Cruelty to animals | 6 |
| Embezzlement | 5 |
| Obtaining money by threats | 8 |
| False pretences | 1 |
| Forgery | 1 |
| Fraud | 4 |
| Godown-breaking | 2 |
| House-breaking | 6 |
| Larceny | 154 |
| Malicious damage | 28 |
| Receiving stolen property | 5 |
| Robbery | 35 |
| **3.—Offences of a Public Nature:—** | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 22 |
| Carts | 33 |
| Dogs | 32 |
| Foodshops | 24 |
| Laundries | 7 |
| Lodging houses | 4 |
| Motor cars | 40 |
| Opium | 39 |
| Ricshas | 943 |
| Tea shops | 6 |
| Wheel-barrows | 116 |
| Wine shops | 3 |
| Hawkers | 30 |
| Breach of Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| Fireworks | 2 |
| House refuse | 108 |
| Indecent advertisements | 2 |
| Nuisances | 1,009 |
| Prostitutes | 23 |
| Traffic | 70 |
| Coining | 8 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 2 |
| Contempt of Court | 1 |
| Disorderly conduct | 63 |
| Gambling | 49 |
| Loitering with intent | 10 |
| Returning after expulsion | 4 |
| Vagrancy | 6 |
| **4.—Miscellaneous Cases** | 9 |
| TOTAL | 2,976 |

### SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2,129 |
| Case withdrawn | 1 |
| Cautioned | 25 |
| Compensation | 3 |
| Dismissed | 58 |
| Expulsion | 6 |
| Fined | 470 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 1 |
| Imprisonment | 189 |
| " and expulsion | 48 |
| Left to Civil Court | 1 |
| Reformatory | 6 |
| Released on Security | 2 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 13 |
| Sent to Military Governor of Shanghai | 16 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 5 |
| Various | 3 |
| TOTAL | 2,976 |

### WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On March 1 | 48 |
| Received | 28 |
| Released | 26 |
| On March 31 | 50 |

### SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 224 |
| " served | 212 |
| Warrants issued | 28 |
| " executed | 19 |

### FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 2 |
| " executed | 2 |
| " withdrawn | 1 |
| Summonses issued | 21 |
| " served | 15 |
| " withdrawn | 5 |
| Persons apprehended on warrants | 2 |
| " summoned | 15 |
| Sealing orders issued | 87 |
| " " executed | 21 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 53 |
| " " withdrawn | 8 |
| " " pending | 5 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 15 |

### CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 88 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 40 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 67 |
| " heard | 103 |
| " in course of hearing | 14 |
| " concluded | 67 |
| " awaiting first hearing on March 31 | 87 |
| Summonses issued | 75 |
| " served | 64 |
| " withdrawn | 5 |
| Warrants issued | 34 |
| " executed | 12 |
| " withdrawn | 16 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 12 |
| " summoned | 82 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 65 |
| Sealing orders issued | 27 |
| " " executed | 6 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 17 |
| " " withdrawn | 3 |
| " " pending | 1 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 7 |

### SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 52 |
| Bonds accepted | 40 |
| " rejected | 14 |

### HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On March 1 | 60 |
| Received | 19 |
| Released | 28 |
| On March 31 | 51 |

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SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| J. P. Seogaard | Danish | Tsu Miau-sung | Tls. 84 | For plaintiff for Tls. 48. and $47 |
| F. N. Matthews | British | Oo Zea-ching | $90 | For plaintiff for $60 |
| J. T. Hammond | British | Tsu Yuen-ching | $65 | For defendant |
| Union Eastern Trading Co. | Russian | Zia Dzoong-tsar | Tls. 14,600 $8,000 | For plaintiffs for Tls. 14,600 and $8,000 |
| Burroughs, Wellcome & Co. | British | Nanyang Medical Co. | For an injunction restraining defts from selling a colourable imitation of a toilet product known as "Hazeline Snow" | For plaintiffs |
| L. Encarnacao S. Encarnacao d'Assumpcao | Portuguese | Schnabel, Gaumer & Co. | Tls. 12,000 & Tls. 12,000 | Dismissed. |
| American Trading Company | American | Kya Ung-kyeu Nyi Yuin-faung | Tls. 1,000 | For plaintiffs for Tls. 1,000 |
| E. Sousitchner | Russian | Sing Yoong-meu | $565 | For plaintiff for $65 |

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 所有承攬本項各局自有權利承攬全份或一部

三 行未定估定價必准攬款承辦如亦不承辦者付認辦費

四 人選有到定後之保證金及該項認定之保證金

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2602.**
**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**
**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2603.**
**DOGS.**

DOG owners who have not yet taken out licences for the current year, are requested to make application at the Revenue Office, *accompanied by the fee of $5 for each dog.*

Attention is directed to Condition No. 6 imposed in the licence, as follows:—

"That the dog when in the streets "or other place of public resort be "effectively muzzled, but in such a "manner as will admit of its "breathing and drinking."

Dogs found without muzzles, whether led or at large, within the limits of the Settlement or on outlying roads, will be seized by the Police and detained at the Kennels in the Gordon Road for a period of one week or longer as circumstances may direct; their owners, when identified, will be prosecuted. Dogs wearing ineffective muzzles will be regarded as unmuzzled.

Enquiries on the subject of lost or strayed dogs should be made at the Gordon Road Police Station (Telephone No. West 348).

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 17, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2605.**
**STEAM LAUNCHES.**

THE following additional licence condition will be enforced with effect from May 1:—

7A.—*That the licensee (of passenger launches charging fares) on the first day of each month shall furnish the Captain-Superintendent of Police with a complete time table showing the times of departure and arrival of the said launch at all Jetties within the Settlement and that such time table for departures shall be strictly adhered to unless 24 hours notice in writing be given beforehand to the Captain-Superintendent of Police of any change thereof.*

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 17, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2608.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business during the race days, viz., Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, May 5, 6 and 7.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 24, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2609.**
**TRAFFIC.**

THE Kungping Road Jetty will be closed to traffic during repairs, from Wednesday, May 7, to Saturday, May 17, inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 1, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2610.**
**PUBLIC SWIMMING BATH.**

THE Public Swimming Bath in the North Szechuen Road, near the Hongkew Recreation Ground, will be open on and after Thursday, May 15, from 6 o'clock a.m. to 8 o'clock p.m.

The Bath will be reserved for the use of ladies and children from 9 o'clock a.m. to 1.30 p.m., except on Sundays.

Admission 10 cents, payable at the door.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 1, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2611.**
**TRAFFIC—"ONE-WAY ROADS."**

IN accordance with Municipal Notification No. 2604 of April 17, 1919, commencing from May 1, 1919, and until further notice, Kiangse and Szechuen Roads, between Peking Road and Avenue Edward VII, will be available only for "one-way" vehicular traffic between the hours of 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. as follows:—

Kiangse Road: vehicles must proceed South to North.

Szechuen Road: vehicles must proceed North to South.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 1, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2612.**
**FIRE BRIGADE.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications from foreigners for appointment as Supervising Firemen. Pay Tls 125 per mensem with plain furnished quarters, bed, bedding, fuel and light.

There are 6 vacancies and appointments will be made on three months probation merging in a three years agreement if services are satisfactory.

Applicants must be able to supervise the Chinese Fire staff, have had practical fire training and experience, be unmarried, steady and trustworthy and preferably under 35 years of age.

Applications should state age, qualifications, experience, etc., and should be forwarded together with copies of testimonials and certificates to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 1, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2613.**
**TRAFFIC.**

THE Chinwangtao Road Jetty will be closed to traffic during repairs, from Sunday, May 18, to Tuesday, May 27, inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 1, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Tuesday, April 29, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
T. Ibukiyama

*Absent:*
Messrs. J. H. Dollar
W. L. Merriman
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 5.55 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, April 30, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

*Absent:*
Messrs. C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 5.40 p.m.

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**Volunteer Corps.**

*Light Horse.*—In consideration of long and valued service in the Corps, and upon the recommendation of the Commandant, retired rank of Captain, with the right to wear the prescribed uniform, has been conferred on Capt. P. Orighton upon his resignation from the Corps from May 1, accepted by the Council with regret.

*Shanghai Scottish.*—In consideration of long and valued service in the Corps, and upon the recommendation of the Commandant, retired rank of Captain, with the right to wear the prescribed uniform, has been conferred on Capt. C. H. Rutherford upon his resignation from the Corps from May 1, accepted by the Council with regret.

*"A" Company, British.*—The resignation of Capt. G. M. Billings has been forwarded by the Commandant and accepted by the Council with regret. Upon the recommendation of the Commandant his transfer to the Reserve of Officers has been approved.

**Lotteries.**

Correspondence with the British-American Tobacco Co., Ld. and with Messrs. Fleming, Davies & Bryan, on the subject of trade lotteries for the purpose of advertising certain brands of cigarettes:—

Shanghai, April 9, 1919.

SIR,—With a view to advertising the "Pirate" brand of cigarettes sold by this Company in China, the Company has adopted the following scheme:—

A number is placed upon each carton of "Pirate" cigarettes, and at the end of each month the Company offers to purchase back the empty cartons bearing certain numbers selected by the Company, paying for such empty cartons full cartons of "Pirate" cigarettes. The highest prize is 25 cartons of cigarettes of the total value of $62.50.

I shall be obliged if you will inform me whether you consider that this scheme is contrary to the Municipal Regulations as to lotteries, or whether you have any objection to the scheme for any other reason. The Company regards the scheme as a good advertisement, but would not desire to continue it if you consider it in any way objectionable.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
W. B. KENNETT.

K. J. McEUEN, Esq.,
Captain Superintendent of Police.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, April 22, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter to the Captain Superintendent of Police of April 9, requesting the Council's approval of a scheme which your Company proposes to adopt for the purpose of advertising the "Pirate" cigarettes.

In reply, I am directed to inform you that the Council's policy is opposed to every form of advertisement which constitutes a lottery, and to state that, if approval were granted in this instance, it would undoubtedly lead to the submission of innumerable kindred applications by Chinese business-men which the Council would have difficulty in refusing. The members are, therefore, unwilling to comply with your request, and I have accordingly to inform you, with regret, that your application has been disapproved.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary*

W. B. KENNETT, Esq.,
British-American Tobacco Co., Ld.

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Shanghai, April 14, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I am instructed by Mr. J. Whey to inform the Council that he proposes to do the following, provided the Council has no objections:—

The Tabaqueria Filipina, of which Mr. Whey is the proprietor, is manufacturing a cigarette known as Dah Chi. In each package of cigarettes Mr. Whey proposes to put a coupon, a sample of which I enclose herewith. These coupons are valued at five cash big money and cigars or cigarettes may be purchased with them or if the holder desires he may obtain the actual cash.

I will be obliged to you if you will let me know if the Council has any objections to this proposed scheme.

Yours truly,
R. T. BRYAN, JR.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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*Translation of notice by The Chinese Hsin Nieh Tobacco Co.*

The Chinese Hsin Nieh Tobacco Co. issue a notice saying that every packet of Dah Chi Brand cigarettes will contain a picture-card which may win a prize of $1 in accordance with an announcement to be made at the end of each month as to what pictures are entitled to such a prize. In case no prize is won a cigarette will be given in return for each such card.

Shanghai, April 16, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—In supplement of the letter written to you on the 14th instant by our Mr. Bryan relative to the coupons which Mr. Whey wishes to put in the packages of Dah Chi cigarettes, we beg to state that Mr. Whey wishes to put ten prize coupons in each case of cigarettes. Each case contains five thousand packages. At regular intervals the names of the prize coupons are published in the Chinese papers and the holders thereof are entitled to receive one dollar in cash for every prize coupon that they hold. We enclose herewith further samples of the coupons, the pictures on which are supposed to represent Chinese Fables.

We will be obliged to you if you will inform us whether or not the Council will permit Mr. Whey to use the coupons in the manner described.

Yours very truly,
FLEMING, DAVIES, & BRYAN.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council, Room,
Shanghai, April 28, 1919

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 14, requesting the Council's approval to a scheme which the Tabaqueria Filipina Company proposes to adopt for the purpose of advertising "Dah Chi" cigarettes.

In reply, I am directed to inform you that the Council's policy is opposed to every form of advertisement which constitutes a lottery, and to state that, if approval were granted in this instance, it would undoubtedly lead to the submission of innumerable kindred applications by Chinese business-men which the Council would have difficulty in refusing. I am accordingly directed to inform you, with regret, that your application has been disapproved.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

R. T. BRYAN, JR., Esq.

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**Municipal Properties.**

*Yangtszepoo Market.*—Correspondence with Messrs. Arnhold Brothers & Co., Ld., relative to a proposed exchange of this site for another piece of land in the neighbourhood:—

Shanghai, March 25, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We would be obliged if your Department, in conjunction with the Health Office, would give your careful consideration to our suggestion of removing the Yangtszepoo Market on B. C. Lot No. 7222 to B. C. Lot No. 8388 situated on the corner of Batavia and Jansen Roads.

Our asking you to do this is the necessity of our building a row of quarters for the Foreign Staff at the Oriental Cotton Mill on B. C. Lot No. 8387, as near the Yangtszepoo Road as possible which would place them right in front of the Market and subject them to many inconveniences in the way of smells and flies during the Summer months.

In addition to the advantage which would occur to us would be several in our opinion favourable to the removal of the market. In its present condition, the market is small, very congested, and the stalls, hawkers and patrons overflow on to the Yangtszepoo Road, which, being subject to rapidly moving traffic, is of great danger to the patrons of the market all days of the week.

We are the owners of B. C. Lot No. 8388 and one of the conditions of the transfer could be that we would give you a larger area and place the market in a safer position for those using it. We would, therefore, suggest that the South-West corner of this lot would be suitable and agreeable for us to surrender for an improved market. The lot runs along a public road, is well situated to those resident

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in the Chinese houses adjoining and should in every way be more suitable as a market.

We are, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
Oriental Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld.,
*per pro* ARNHOLD BROS. & CO., LD.,
J. A. MOLLER,
*General Managers.*

C. HARPUR, Esq.,
Deputy Engineer & Surveyor.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, April 11, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 25 relative to a proposal to remove the Yangtszepoo Market to an alternative site in the neighbourhood, i.e., from Cadastral Lot 2757 to Cadastral Lot 2731.

In reply I am directed to point out that it is essential that the Market should have proper access by a Municipal road, and that the Council cannot, therefore, consider its transfer to the South-Eastern corner of Lot 2731—the South-Western corner would be unsuitable—until the scheduled extension of the Jansen Road from Pingliang Road to Yangtszepoo Road has been surrendered for public use and made up. When this happens so far as can be foreseen there would be no objection to the transfer on payment to the Council of the difference in the assessed values of the present site and the proposed site plus the cost of removal and reconstruction provided that the immediate neighbourhood of the proposed site is not then under development as a foreign residential property.

I am to observe that your statement that the stalls, hawkers and patrons of the present Market overflow on to the Yangtszepoo Road is incorrect.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Messrs. ARNHOLD BROTHERS & CO., LD.
General Mangers,
Oriental Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ld.

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*Public School for Girls—Children's Playground and Tifeng Road.* — Negotiations have been concluded with Mr. P. Tilley, whereunder B. C. Lot 3887, measuring Mow 1.827 has been purchased at the rate of Tls. 2,500 per mow, or a total sum of Tls. 4,567.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Hongkong Road.*—Negotiations have been concluded with the International Committee of the Y.M.C.A. for the surrender from Lot 17D of Mow 0.068 of land required for the widening of this road at the rate of Tls. 34,000 per mow plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender and less one-third for betterment, a total sum of Tls. 1,696.

*North Szechuen Road.*—The claim of Captain J. H. P. Parker, on behalf of Miss A. Parker, has been accepted for the surrender of the area required from B.C. Lot 60 Pao for widening this road to 60-ft., that the wall and surface drain be set back, that the small house at the corner be removed, that the road drain trap be cleaned and maintained, and that payment be made at the rate of Tls. 5,000 per mow for the land surrendered, or Tls. 860 for Mow 0.172.

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, APRIL 26.

*Police Force.* — Probationary Warder R. Marussich is dismissed the Force from April 22.

*Electricity Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. J. F. Caie, Accountant, and Mr. S. T. Clarke 2nd Foreman Mechanic, from May 9.

Mr. S. T. Russell is appointed temporarily as Boiler Erector, from April 1.

*Educational Department.* — The appointment of Mr. J. G. Moore, Assistant Master in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, is confirmed under an agreement terminable at three months' notice from May 29, 1918.

Mr. C. N. de Trafford is appointed temporarily as Assistant Master in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, from April 24

**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, April 27, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 3 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 14 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 3 | 1 |
| Influenza | — | 11 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 172 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

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**Public Band.**

*Friday Dance Performance.* — By the courtesy of Commander Estes, United States Navy, the Band of the U.S.S. Brooklyn will give a performance of dance music at the Town Hall immediately upon completion of the usual programme by the Public Band on Friday afternoon, May 2. Dancing will commence at 5.30 p.m.

By the courtesy of Commander Estes, United States Navy, the Band of the U.S.S. Brooklyn will give a concert in the Public Garden on Saturday, May 3, commencing at 5 o'clock, p.m.

**On Sunday next, May 4, at 5 p.m., the programme will be as follows:—**

1. Overture "Zampa" Herold
2. Trio for Piano, Violin and Cello Beethoven
   (*a*) Adagio-Allegro Vivace
   (*b*) Andante Sostenuto
   (*c*) Scherzo
   (*d*) Presto

*(The Moscow Trio)*

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3. (*a*) "Salut d'Amour" Elgar
   (*b*) "Intermezzo" Moszkowsky
4. "Pasacaliy" Handel

for Violin and Cello (Duo: Messrs. C. BAKALEINIKOFF and V. SIROIDO)

5. Overture "Phèdre" Massenet

A. DE KRYGER,
*Conductor-in-Charge.*

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**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 629 | Kinwoka, Chekiang & Kiukiang | Palmer & Turner | | 1 | |
| 722 | Range | Tung Kee | | | dining hall |
| 7293 | Seoul | Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| 5020 | Y'poo | Palmer & Turner | | | reservoir |
| Unreg. E of 6169 | Hart | China Realty Co., Ld. | 1 | | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 597 | N. Shanse | Ti Loong Kung Sze | 4 | | |
| 318 | do. | WongChenKee | | | addns. |
| Unreg. N of 231 | B'bling Well | Chang Fook Kee | 2 | | |
| 2290 | Moulmein | ShanghaiLand Investment Co., Ld. | 19 | | |

**Parks Report for March.**

*Road side trees—*

Total No. of trees planted 1,059
,, ,, ,, transplanted 3
,, ,, ,, fastened 566
,, ,, ,, staked 708
,, ,, ,, pruned 1,259

*New Roads—*

Total No. of trees planted 1,019
,, ,, ,, staked 883
,, ,, ,, fastened 581

*Road Widenings—*

Total No. of trees transplanted 145
,, ,, ,, staked 14
,, ,, shrubs transplanted 484

*Nurseries—*

Total No. of trees transplanted 700
,, ,, shrubs transplanted 8,740
,, ,, plants transplanted 470
Various cuttings inserted 27,130

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**Sports.**

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players. |
|---|---|
| Golf | 846 |
| Football | 88 |
| Hockey | 22 |
| Total No. of Players | 956 |
| ,, ,, non-Players | 5,189 |
| ,, ,, Visitors | 6,145 |

*Plants bedded out at—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 6,050 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 368 |
| Wayside Park | 540 |
| | 6,958 |

*Trees and shrubs planted at—*

| | Trees. | Shrubs. |
|---|---|---|
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | | 854 |
| Jessfield Park | | 501 |
| Studley Park | 31 | |
| Cathedral Compound | | 35 |
| Quinsan Square | 7 | |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | 1 | |
| Hongkew Police Station | 48 | 48 |
| | 87 | 1,438 |

*653 shrubs and 5 trees transplanted* at Hongkew Recreation Ground. Turf laid at Bubbling Well Cemetery Extension 32 fong.

D. MacGregor,
*Superintendent*

Countersigned,
C. Harpur,
*Acting Engineer & Surveyor.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 本局有保留權可承攬全部或一部份

三 投標人須行使其權利

四 本局不必承攬最低價或任何價目

五 投標人須知本局所用之表格

六 投標人須繳保證金

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單送來之後本局即登報保證金之准攬人須知本局所用之表格

信時間辦理之後本局即將該項表格連同保證金一併退還

二部局有權將投標人所繳之保證金沒收

面寫明送攬者姓名及住址

漆明承攬人須在西工部局定期內完成

其所有之價目表須用英文寫明

其所有之價目表須用英文寫明

此送在西工部局之後仍有在工程進行中發現錯誤之權

天蓋定路科實行封還的此若有公信合同須亦有權利承

概獨辦二等因實驗須俾承辦覓不承低價

免或日千輪因承單付人攬理的總辦本

交由上四必需內錢知之實付人局

說挂午號於整攬保證則添價保自寄

明號十工信火

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## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 130 | 15,000 yards Khaki Drill | — | July 31 |
| 131 | 200 ,, ,, Cord | — | do. |
| 132 | 5,000 ,, Blue Camlet | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before December 31, 1919. | | |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 492 | Concrete Bunding and Jetty, Dixwell Road between Broadway East and East Seward Road | — | May 16 |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 186 | 90 3-phase Induction Motors<br>Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 26 |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT

House Refuse removal from all the shoots for the twelve months ending April 30, 1920

| | |
|---|---|
| Chi Yung Yao | Tls. 12,000 |
| *Chow Tai Sing | $6,840 |
| Wong Kang Kee | 6,720 |
| Wong Chung Zien | 6,720 |
| Ching Yuan Kow | 6,600 |
| Ng Ping Kyi | 6,564 |
| Zung Chung Sung | 6,540 |
| Chow Za Kee | 6,540 |
| Waung Kwaung Kung | 6,480 |
| Li Van Yui | 6,480 |
| Chow Vin Kee | 6,480 |
| Chen Jin Kee | 6,360 |
| Yang Tsan Kee | 6,300 |
| Loh Ding Kee | 6,240 |
| Ling Lee Dong | 6,000 |
| Zung Dze Kyung | 6,000 |

*Accepted

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# The Municipal Gazette

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2602.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2610.**

**PUBLIC SWIMMING BATH.**

THE Public Swimming Bath in the North Szechuen Road, near the Hongkew Recreation Ground, will be open on and after Thursday, May 15, from 6 o'clock a.m. to 8 o'clock p.m.

The Bath will be reserved for the use of ladies and children from 9 o'clock a.m. to 1.30 p.m., except on Sundays.

Admission 10 cents, payable at the door.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 1, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2611.**

**TRAFFIC—"ONE-WAY ROADS."**

IN accordance with Municipal Notification No. 2604 of April 17, 1919, commencing from May 1, 1919, and until further notice, Kiangse and Szechuen Roads, between Peking Road and Avenue Edward VII, will be available only for "one-way" vehicular traffic between the hours of 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. as follows:—

Kiangse Road: vehicles must proceed South to North.

Szechuen Road: vehicles must proceed North to South.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 1, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2614.**

**TRAFFIC.**

THE Ewo Road Pontoon will be closed to traffic during dredging operations from Monday, May 5, to Friday, May 9, inclusive.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 8, 1919.

### China's War Measures.

Report by the Captain Superintendent of Police on the subject of the repatriation of German and Austro-Hungarian Subjects, and letter from Admiral Tsai Ting-kan, Co-Director of the Head Office for the Repatriation of Enemy Subjects, expressing appreciation of the assistance rendered by the Police in this connexion:—

Shanghai, April 14, 1919.

SIR,—I forward herewith a confidential report by the Deputy Superintendent in which he brings to notice the good work performed by Inspector R. C. Aiers, Sub-Inspectors T. H. Steele and J. Sinclair, Sergeants T. Robertson and F. Mitchell and Messrs. T. M. Yau and C. L. Van, two Chinese clerks attached to Police Headquarters, in connexion with the recent repatriation of enemy subjects. I also forward a file giving full details of enemy subjects still remaining in Shanghai, who have been exempted either totally or temporarily. There are, therefore, still a number to be repatriated but the backbone of the work may be considered as finally broken.

It will be remembered that when the Chinese Government decided to repatriate enemy subjects a Bureau was formed to which Major Hilton-Johnson, Deputy Superintendent of Police, was attached. From the time ships were definitely allotted and work on the scheme was commenced in earnest, Major Hilton-Johnson was detached from all police work and gave his entire attention to perfecting details and arrangements and assisting Admiral Tsai Ting-kan in his difficult task. That everything passed off so satisfactorily and smoothly was due in a great measure to Major Hilton-Johnson's devotion to duty as well as that of all those concerned directly with him in the work. It is with much pleasure that I have to bring their names to the notice of the Watch Committee, and to add that the tact, patience and diligence displayed throughout an exceedingly trying period entitles those mentioned to the highest commendation and any recognition and rewards which it may be considered suitable to bestow. Admiral Tsai has been good enough to write to me his appreciation of what the Police have been able to do in assisting towards the proper carrying out of all arrangements for repatriation, and I attach copy of his letter which has already been published for the information of the Force.

K. J. MCEUEN.
*Captain-Superintendent of Police.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, April 3, 1919.

SIR,—As Co-Director of the Enemy Subjects Repatriation Bureau, I desire to tender my sincere thanks for the ready and efficient co-operation and assistance which have at all times been extended to this office by the Shanghai Municipal Police. Notwithstanding many difficult and trying circumstances working has always been harmonious; and I feel that it is very largely owing to the tact, patience and energy displayed by the officers and men of both the Regular and Special Branches of your Force that the success of the repatriation measure has been due.

It is a pleasure to me to express to you personally, and through you to all ranks under your command, how greatly I appreciate what has been done by the Municipal Police to further a national measure I was appointed by my Government to see carried out.

With your permission I am writing a personal letter of thanks to Mr. Anderson in charge of the Special Constables, on whose shoulders, I understand, much of the hard work of embarkation fell. For his unfailing help and valiant support I shall also write to thank Major Hilton-Johnson.

Yours faithfully,

TSAI TING-KAN.

K. J. MCEUEN, Esq.,
Captain Superintendent of Police

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### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Bubbling Well Road.* — Correspondence and Award by the Land Commissioners containing the terms upon which expropriation has been arranged of the scheduled area of Lot 2816:—

Shanghai, April 8, 1918

DEAR SIR,—I shall feel obliged if you will kindly inform me upon what terms you will be prepared to surrender, should the Council decide to acquire it, that portion of Cadastral Lot 2816 which is scheduled for acquisition on the official plan of Road Extensions and Widenings, measuring Mow 0.404 and coloured red on the accompanying plan.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Engineer & Surveyor.*

M. CHAUMONT, Esq.

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Shanghai, April 13, 1918.

DEAR SIR,—We have been requested by Mr. Chaumont to acknowledge receipt of your favour of the 8th instant inquiring upon what terms he will be prepared to surrender, should the Council decide to acquire it, that portion of Belgian Lot 18, Cadastral Lot 2816, of land which is scheduled for acquisition for the Bubbling Well Road widening measuring Mow 0 404, and coloured red on the plan accompanying your letter.

He has instructed us to reply and point out that the surrender of the strip in question, curtails the lawns of the two front houses standing upon the lot, to such an extent as to render them too small for lawn tennis.

Under these circumstances he bases his claim upon the estimated loss of rental of the houses by reason of the absence of a tennis lawn which we estimate at Tls. 15 each per house per month, or a total of Tls. 360 per annum. To reproduce this sum it will be necessary to invest at say 7 per cent. the sum of Tls. 5,142. He, therefore, claims this amount plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender.

It is, of course, understood that the cost of setting back the boundary wall and gate piers to the new scheduled line will be borne by the Council.

Yours faithfully,

ALGAR & CO., LD.

C. H. GODFREY, Esq.,

Municipal Engineer & Surveyor.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, April 24, 1918.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 13 to the Municipal Engineer, on the subject of the widening of the Bubbling Well Road ex Lot 2816.

In reply thereto, I am directed to state that the Council is of opinion that a claim based on loss of rental at Tls. 15 per house per month is too high. It should be borne in mind that tennis is possible for only six months of the year and it is inconceivable that the tenants pay the unduly high price of Tls. 30 per mensem for such a privilege. The Council would not be indisposed to agree to pay compensation on the terms you suggest, as a special case provided that Tls. 15 per month is taken as the basis, the compensation payable would then be as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Tls. 15 for 12 months Tls. 180 capitalized at 7 per cent. = | Tls. 2,571 |
| Plus 10 per cent. | 257 |
| | 2,828 |
| Plus cost of reinstating wall and piers | 220 |
| | Tls. 3,048 |

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Acting Secretary.*

Messrs. ALGAR & CO., LD.

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Shanghai, May 1, 1918.

DEAR SIR,—We are in receipt of your favour of the 24th ultimo in connexion with the claim for compensation for the Bubbling Well Road Widening ex Belgian Lot 18, Cadastral Lot 2816 W.

We regret that the Council is of the opinion that a claim based on a loss of rental of Tls. 15 per house per month is too high.

We still maintain that the claim is not too high and may mention that we have consulted two or three other landlords who are of our opinion.

We admit that tennis is only possible for six months in the year, but it must be borne in mind that the loss of a tennis court is not the only inconvenience that a tenant is put to. It includes a reduced size of garden all the year round, the cutting down of trees and bushes of several years growth and the inconvenience while the boundary wall is being set back.

Under the circumstances we ask that the Council will again consider the claim as set forth in our letter dated April 13 addressed to the Municipal Engineer. We may mention that the owner would prefer that the Council undertake the reinstating of the boundary wall and piers.

In conclusion we would draw your attention to the fact that the lease of No. 185 Bubbling Well Road does not expire until December 14, 1919, and that of No. 186 until January 31, 1919. Should the Council wish to carry out the improvement before the expiry of the leases, arrangements must be made with the tenants.

Yours faithfully,

ALGAR & CO., LD.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,

Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, May 27, 1918.

GENTLEMEN,—In reply to your letter of May 1, on the subject of the surrender from Lot 2816 of the area required for widening Bubbling Well Road, I am directed to state that the Council remains of opinion that your claim for loss of rental at the rate of Tls. 180 per house per annum capitalized at 7 per cent. is altogether too high.

I am directed, therefore, to inform you that the matter will be referred to the Land Commission for settlement.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Acting Secretary.*

Messrs. ALGAR & CO., LD.

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LAND COMMISSION.

CASE No. 119.

*Bubbling Well Road.*

Cadastral Lot 2816—Western District. Registered Owner M. Michel H. Chaumont, heard in the Council Room on April 28, 1919.

PROCEEDINGS.

The Council is represented by the Assistant Secretary, Mr. E. S. B. Rowe, the Deputy Engineer being in attendance, Mr A. E. Algar of Messrs. Algar & Co., Ld., appears as agent for the Registered Owner.

The Assistant Secretary states that in this case the Council is prepared to pay full and fair compensation for the land to be surrendered, but this case was noteworthy in that it was sought to recover special compensation on the grounds that surrender of the scheduled area precluded use of the remaining portion of the garden for tennis. The case might, therefore, become one of considerable importance as a precedent in future similar cases. The registered owner put forward a claim based on the loss of two tennis courts, which worked out at approximately 4 times the value of the strip of land. The Council had offered, as a special case, to pay on the basis of Tls. 15 per month, seeing that tennis was only playable for half the year.

Mr. Algar enquires how the Council arrived at the figure of Tls. 15 per month, to which Mr. Rowe replies that it was based on no principle at all but was made with a view to effecting a settlement by compromise. The Council indeed recognized that computation on the lines adopted was intrinsically unsound, tennis might be played for five, six, or seven months, and the capitalized claim might vary in each case, also it assumes perpetual occupancy, and use of the courts, whereas, as a matter of fact, one of the gardens is not used as a tennis court at all and for some years past, has not been, yet the rent is the same as for the other property. He submits that a property laid out as a tennis court, could not, *ipso facto*, be entitled to be rated at four times the value of one without such an appurtenance.

In the circumstances, he concluded, the Council is regretfully obliged to withdraw the counteroffer contained in its letter of April 24, 1918, and to submit that the assessed value, with 10 per cent. added for compulsory surrender, is the proper amount of compensation

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Mr. Algar admits that tennis is only possible for half the year, but contends that the cutting off of 21 feet, necessitated a smaller garden all the year round and tenants, able to pay the rental required, expect a garden large enough to play tennis.

The Deputy Engineer draws attention to the fact that the width of the strip varies from 15 feet to 21 feet owing to the curve in the road.

Mr. Algar then deals with the basis upon which his claim is framed, and cites letters received from Messrs. J. Ambrose and G. W. Davies, the former estimating that Tls. 15 per house per month is a fair claim to make and the latter that the reduced earning power in his opinion would be fairly represented by Tls. 10 for each property. Mr. Algar then remarks that the sum offered for reinstatement, Tls. 220, is grossly insufficient for the work involved; in reply to which Mr. Rowe, on behalf of the Council, undertakes to pay the full cost of reinstatement, whatever it may be.

The Assistant Secretary then enquires of Mr. Algar what, in his opinion, is a fair sum to pay for hiring a tennis court, and in reply Mr. Algar cites numerous instances which have come within his experience, ranging from $80 for 4 months for one court, to a larger area of 12 courts which worked out at Tls. 9 each per season. Mr. Rowe then submits that, in his claim Mr. Algar was in fact asking for the full rental value of the whole area of the tennis courts, whereas the Council required only about one-eighth of it for road purposes, and the balance of 7/8ths was still available for a garden. He asks if Mr. Algar suggested that the owner should receive compensation for the full area and yet retain 7/8ths of it? In reply Mr. Algar remarks that as tennis could not be played on what remained, he was entitled to ask full value for it, but, in any case, his claim also included compensation for the worsement to the property occasioned by the reduced size of the garden all the year round, the cutting down of trees of several years growth and inconvenience while the boundary wall is being set back. In reply Mr. Rowe observes that the first named loss is comprised in offering compensation for the land at its value, while the second and third items are transient in nature and to receive a monthly payment for them in perpetuity, which is what the claim amounts to, would be grossly excessive compensation.

The Deputy Engineer states that it must be borne in mind that as the area of the land is curtailed, the land tax is reduced, as is the Municipal house tax and also the water rate. It is conceded that when a tennis court is provided it probably makes the house available for relet-ting to a larger community.

Both parties then withdraw.

AWARD.

The Commissioners after carefully considering the arguments of the parties, find no cause to depart in this case from their usual method of fixing compensation, namely, on the basis of the assessed value of the land taken, with due allowance for betterment or detriment. They award as follows:—

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Mow 0.404 at Tls. 3,300 per mow | 1,333.20 |
| plus 10 per cent for compulsory surrender | 133.32 |
| plus allowance for detriment | 1,000.00 |
| Tls. | 2,466.52 |

The Council shall bear the cost of rebuilding the walls and piers to the new roadline, and of such other reinstatement work as may be involved by the surrender.

A. D. BELL,
R. S. IVY
H. G. SIMMS, } *Land Commissioners 1919/20.*

L. G. WESTCOTT,
*Secretary.*

## Educational Facilities.

Arrangements have been made with the Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld., for the provision of a special tram car service for the convenience of children residing in outlying districts attending schools, closely approximating the Council's requirements contained in its letter of December 2, 1918, as set out in the Gazette of December 31, 1918. The Company, however, expresses its inability to provide a service of special tram-cars reserved for the exclusive use of school-children and equipped with safety devices.

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MAY 3.

*Police Force.*—Mr. W. Beatty is appointed 2nd Assistant Superintendent under an agreement from April 22.

*Health Department.* — The appointments of Miss D. P. Malcolm and Miss C. D. Malcolm, Probationer Nurses, are confirmed under agreement from October 27, 1918.

*Public Works Department.*—Temporary Assistant Inspector A. J. R. Hodges is promoted to be Inspector from May 1, under an agreement terminable at three months' notice.

*Public Band.*—Mr H. G. dos Remedios, temporary Musician, was permitted to terminate his service on April 30.

*Educational Department.* — Miss N. Trueman is appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls from April 28.

*Secretariat.*—Miss K. Walker is appointed temporarily as Stenographer and Typist from April 25.

## Public Band.

The Sunday and Friday performances of the Band in the Town Hall have been discontinued.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | May 12 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | „ 13 | 5.30 | „ Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | „ 14 | 5.30 | „ Public Garden |
| Thurs. | „ 15 | 5.30 | „ „ |
| Fri. | „ 16 | 5.30 | „ Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. | „ 17 | 1.30 | „ Race Course |

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, May 4, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 25 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 1 |
| Measles | — | 13 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 10 | 169 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 1405 | Dent | J. Noble | | | wall |
| 386 | Burkill | Tsao Sing Tai | 1 | | servants' quarters |
| 2894 | Seymour | China Realty Co., Ld. | 1 | | servants' quarters |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 186 | Avenue Edward VII | Moorhead & Halse | 24 | | |
| 396 | Hankow | San Sing | | | addns. |
| 128 | Honan and Peking | E. D. Sassoon & Co. | 92 | | |
| 695 | Haining | Heng Tai | | | addns. |
| Unreg. W of 1630 | Chusan and Tongshan | ZeeZungShing | | | addns. |
| 228 | Wuchow | Chu Kwan Yung | 1 | | |
| 670 | Sinza | Chang Yuen Kee | 4 | | |
| 596 | do. | Hong Yue Cotton Mill | 2 | | |

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 凡有承攬事件必須用本局自有格式方能有效

三 行定估定之准許如有不承認者

四 所有目前所有人之名稱及住址

五 本局有取消登記之權

六 所有承攬人之信章應與本局公認者相同

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2602.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2610.**

**PUBLIC SWIMMING BATH.**

THE Public Swimming Bath in the North Szechuen Road, near the Hongkew Recreation Ground, will be open on and after Thursday, May 15, from 6 o'clock a.m. to 8 o'clock p.m.

The Bath will be reserved for the use of ladies and children from 9 o'clock a.m. to 1.30 p.m., except on Sundays.

Admission 10 cents, payable at the door.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 1, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2615.**

**TRAFFIC.**

THE Jinkee Road between the Bund and Szechuen Road and the Yuenmingyuen Road between Jinkee Road and Peking Road will be closed in sections to vehicular traffic during the work of reconstruction in asphaltic concrete.

The work will be commenced on or about Friday, May 23, and it is anticipated that it will take about two weeks to complete. The first section to be closed will be in Jinkee Road between the Bund and Yuenmingyuen Road.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 15, 1919.

## Tavern Licences.

REPORT BY THE WATCH COMMITTEE ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL, MAY 14, 1919.

The foreign Taverns for which licences are at present held are as follows:—

| Class | Name of Establishment | Licensee. Name. | Licensee. Nationality. | Licensee. Address. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | *Central District.* | | |
| I | Kalee Hotel | A Mildner | French | 25A Kiangse Road |
| II | Shepherd's Café | C. E. Shepherd | British | 33 ,, ,, |
| II | Lyceum Theatre | Amateur Dramatic Club | ,, | 19 Museum ,, |
| I | Palace Hotel | H. E. Morton | American | 2 Nanking ,, |
| II | Carlton Café | L. Ladow | ,, | 4-5 Ningpo ,, |
| II | Grand Hotel Continental | D. G. Chelmis | Greek | 88-90 Szechuen ,, |
| | | *Northern District.* | | |
| III | | Mrs K. Kimura | Japanese | 10 Boone Road |
| II | Hotel Acropol | Mrs B. R. Goldstein | French | 10A-10B Boone ,, |
| III | | R. Shiraishi | Japanese | K264-5 ,, ,, |
| III | | Mori Yoshi | ,, | K2264A ,, ,, |
| II | Astor Grill | H. E. Morton | American | 13-14 Broadway |
| II | Astor House Annex | ,, | ,, | 15 ,, |
| III | | T. Hamasaki | Japanese | 30 Chapoo Road |
| III | | K. Masumi | ,, | 40 ,, ,, |
| III | | T. Shimada | ,, | 0165 ,, ,, |
| III | | R. Shiraishi | ,, | 0170 ,, ,, |
| III | | T. Kanazawa | ,, | 0172 ,, ,, |
| III | | A. Koyama | ,, | 0174 ,, ,, |
| III | | K. Senkichi | ,, | 0178 ,, ,, |
| III | | Miss Fukin | ,, | 0191 ,, ,, |
| III | Tokiwa Hotel | T. Tokiwa | ,, | 0196 ,, ,, |
| II | Victoria Hotel | I. Goldenberg | British | 0389 ,, ,, |
| III | | Miss A. Fujimura | Japanese | 0402 ,, ,, |
| III | | Eijiro Hada | ,, | 0403 ,, ,, |
| III | | Y. Yogo | ,, | 0450 ,, ,, |
| II | Victoria Cinematograph | A. Ramos | Spanish | 24 Haining ,, |
| I | Savoy Hotel | Mrs. E. S. Biddle | American | 5/7 Nanzing Road and 21 Broadway |
| II | | Kankichi Yasui | Japanese | 41 N. Szechuen Road |
| II | Apollo Theatre | S. Hertzberg | Russian | 52 ,, ,, |
| I | Astor House Hotel | H. E. Morton | American | 7 Whangpoo ,, |
| III | | T. Sasaki | Japanese | F172/3 Woochang ,, |
| III | | S. Aikawa | ,, | C856 Woosung ,, |
| III | Hoyokwan Hotel | J. Yonoda | ,, | C159 ,, ,, |
| II | Concordia Hotel | M. Greenberg | Russian | C1537 ,, ,, |
| | | *Western District.* | | |
| II | Olympic Theatre | A. Ramos | Spanish | 127 Bubbling Well Rd. |
| II | Burlington Hotel | R. W. MacCabe | British | 173 ,, ,, ,, |
| II | St. George's Hotel | S. Hertzberg | Russian | 217 ,, ,, ,, |

Two applications in regard to Tavern Licences which have lapsed were submitted and considered by the Committee at its Annual Licensing Meeting held on April 11, as follows:—

1. J. J. Birnbaum, 14 Astor Road.
2. E. Bruno, Point Hotel, 93 Yangtszepoo Road.

Application No. 1 which was the subject of a written protest by the Shanghai Hotels, Ld. and of a verbal protest to the Police by the Hanbury Institute, was received on March 21, four days after the due date notified in Municipal Notification No. 2573, and application No. 2 on April 2, more than a fortnight after the due date. Under these circumstances the Committee decided not to recommend their favourable consideration by the Council.

On April 16, a letter from the Shanghai Land Investment Company, owners of the premises at No. 14 Astor Road was submitted requesting reconsideration of Application No. 1, and upon consideration of the reasons advanced in support of this request, Messrs. White and Brooke Smith were satisfied that the explanation as to the lateness in lodging the application was such as to justify reversal of the decision reached on April 11 and a recommendation that the application be granted: as a director of the Land Investment Company and thus an interested party, Mr. Macray abstained from expressing any views on this request.

As it seemed probable that the circumstances in the case of Application No. 2 might be somewhat similar, directions were given for inquiry of the applicant as to whether he had any explanation to offer in regard to the lateness of his application. In the absence of any reply and as the Committee is informed that the applicant has taken employment at No. 14 Astor Road, it is assumed that he does not desire to proceed with his application.

The Committee recommends that Application No. 1 be approved and that, in future, the usual annual Licensing Notification should emphasize that applications that are not received on or before the date therein specified will not receive consideration.

ED. WHITE,
H. A. J. MACRAY,
A. BROOKE SMITH,
*Members of the Watch Committee for 1919.*

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2616.**

**DOG LICENCES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the licence conditions set forth in the Handbook of Local Regulations have been re-numbered as follows:—

No. 2 re-numbered 7.
No. 3 re-numbered 2.
No. 4 re-numbered 3.
No. 5 re-numbered 4.
No. 6 re-numbered 5.
No. 7 re-numbered 6.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 15, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Thursday, May 1, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. A. W. Burkill (*Chairman*)
W. L. Merriman
S. B. Neil
P. Peebles
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Friday, May 9, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. A. W. Burkill (*Chairman*)
W. L. Merriman
S. B. Neill
P. Peebles
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Foreign Educational Committee held on Tuesday, May 13, 1919, at 4.30 p.m, there were:—

*Present*: Dr. R. S. Ivy (*Chairman*)
Messrs. C. P. Dawson
J. W. C. Bonnar

*Absent*:
Mr. C. M. Bain

The meeting adjourned at 5.35 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, May 14, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

*Absent*:
Messrs. C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
H. A. J. Macray

The meeting adjourned at 6.15 p.m.

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**Volunteer Corps.**

*"B" Company, British.*—The resignation of Capt. L. J. Cubitt, has been forwarded by the Commandant and accepted by the Council with regret.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant Captain Cubitt now reverts to the Retired List on which he was placed in 1911.

**Fire Brigade.**

*Re-organization.*—Reply by the Fire Insurance Association to the Council's letter of April 23, 1919, as set forth in the Gazette of April 24, 1919:—

Shanghai, April 30, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I beg to acknowledge your favour with enclosures, dated 23rd instant.

My Committee desire me to thank you for your full reply to my letter of 8th instant, and are glad to learn that the Council is satisfied that the existing staff is competent to conduct the work of the Fire Brigade in an efficient manner, and also note with satisfaction that it is intended to further augment the foreign section of the brigade by the immediate engagement of six additional firemen of experience.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
G. J. W. MORGAN,
*Acting Secretary,*
*Fire Insurance Association.*

E. S. B. ROWE, Esq.,
Assistant Secretary, Municipal Council.

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**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*North Honan, Tsepoo and Tongdongkaloong Roads.* — Correspondence with Messrs. Platt Macleod & Wilson containing the terms of compensation agreed upon in respect of the scheduled widening of Lots 342 and 343:—

Shanghai, December 13, 1918.

DEAR SIR,—Referring to the conversation of our Mr. Ziar with you yesterday afternoon in connexion with the surrender by us to the Council of such portion of Cadastral Lots 342 and 343 as delineated on the Council's plan No. 8513 and coloured red thereon, we now write to make a formal claim for the sum of Tls. 15,910.40 of which particulars are as follows:—

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Surrender of portion of Cadastral Lot 342 measuring 8 fun 7 li and 5 haou and assessed at Tls. 16,000 per mow | 14,000.00 |
| Surrender of portion of Cadastral Lot 343 measuring 5 li and 8 haou and assessed at Tls. 8,000 per mow | 464.00 |
| Increase of 10 per cent. on the assessed value for enforced surrender | 1,446.40 |
| Tls. | 15,910.40 |

If it is necessary for us to sign a Deed of Conveyance of the portions surrendered to the Council, we shall be obliged if you will send the draft deed to us for our approval.

Yours faithfully,
PLATT, MACLEOD & WILSON.

C. HARPUR, Esq.,
Acting Engineer and Surveyor.

Shanghai, January 13, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—Referring to our letter of December 13, 1918, in connexion with Cadastral Lots 342 and 343, we shall be obliged if you will send us a cheque for Tls. 15,910.40 at your early convenience.

Yours faithfully,
PLATT, MACLEOD & WILSON.

C. HARPUR, Esq.,
Acting Engineer and Surveyor.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, January 31, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—In reply to your letter of December 13, 1918, to the Municipal Engineer, on the subject of the surrender from Cadastral Lots 342 and 343 of land for the North Honan, Tsepoo and Tongdongkaloong Roads, I am directed to state that the Council accepts your claim provided you are willing to consent to a deduction in respect of the frontages of the two roads last named as indicated hereunder:—

*North Honan Road.*

| | | | Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cad. Lot 342. | | | |
| 0.525 mow at Tls. 16,000 per mow | Tls. 8,400 | | |
| Plus 10% | 840 | | |
| | | | 9,240 |
| *Tsepoo Road.* | | | |
| Cad. Lot 342. | | | |
| 0.125 mow at Tls. 16,000 per mow | Tls. 2,000 | | |
| Plus 10% | 200 | | |
| | 2,200 | | |
| *Less* 1/3rd for betterment | 733 | | |
| | | 1,467 | |
| Cad. Lot 343. | | | |
| 0.058 mow at Tls. 8,000 per mow | 464 | | |
| Plus 10% | 46 | | |
| | 510 | | |
| *Less* 1/3rd for betterment | 170 | | |
| | | 340 | |
| | | | 1,807 |
| *Tongdongkaloong.* | | | |
| Cad. Lot 342. | | | |
| 0.225 mow at Tls. 16,000 per mow | 3,600 | | |
| Plus 10% | 360 | | |
| | 3,960 | | |
| *Less* 1/3rd for betterment | 1,320 | | |
| | | 2,640 | |
| | | | 2,640 |
| | | Tls. | 13,687 |

I shall be glad, therefore, if you will be so good as to express your acceptance of these terms whereafter deeds of surrender will be prepared accordingly for your signature.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

MESSRS. PLATT, MACLEOD & WILSON.

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Shanghai, March 1, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We shall be much obliged if you will inform us when the Council will be able to complete the widening of the Chapoo Road from North Honan Road to North Shanse Road.

Yours faithfully,
PLATT, MACLEOD & WILSON.

C. HARPUR, Esq.,
Acting Engineer and Surveyor.

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Shanghai, March 4, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—Your letter of the 1st instant, enquiring as to the widening of the Chapoo Road, is intended I presume to refer to the Tsepoo Road, and has reference to the Council's letter of January 31.

With regard to other properties on the Tsepoo Road between North Honan and Shanse Roads, I can give no definite information as to when the widening will be completed, as it is the practice to proceed with such widenings only as demolition of the affected houses or redevelopment of the property takes place.

Yours faithfully,
C. HARPUR,
*Acting Engineer & Surveyor.*
Messrs. PLATT, MACLEOD & WILSON.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 10, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I shall be much obliged if you will be so kind as to favour me with a reply to the Council's letter to yourselves of January 31, on the subject of the North Honan, Tsepoo and Tongdongkaloong Roads.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*
Messrs. PLATT, MACLEOD & WILSON.

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Shanghai, March 10, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We thank you for your letter of the 4th instant. Our letter of the 1st instant was intended to refer to the widening of the Tsepoo Road and had reference to the Council's letter of January 31.

Regarding the surrender of land along Tongdongkaloong the lease of the buildings thereon has yet 6 years to run and it, therefore, seems to us premature to discuss any terms concerning the surrender.

As to the surrender along the Tsepoo Road, there is no betterment to the reserved property since the Council has no definite knowledge as to when the widening of the road will be completed. Moreover, the surrender means loss of rentals of at least 3 shop buildings along the North Honan Road. Therefore we cannot consent to the deduction mentioned in your letter of January 31, and have to claim full compensation for the surrender.

We shall be much obliged if you will send us the deeds of surrender for our approval at your early convenience.

Yours faithfully,
PLATT, MACLEOD & WILSON.
C. HARPUR, Esq.,
Acting Engineer and Surveyor.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 21, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 10, on the subject of the surrender of the scheduled area of Lots 342 and 343 N.

In reply thereto I am directed to state that as regards the 2nd paragraph of your letter relating to land in the Tongdongkaloong, upon which it is noted there is a lease which has yet six years to run, the Council is quite willing to defer the negotiations for surrender until such time as rebuilding takes place or the public need for the widening should become urgent. The reason why this area is dealt with at all at the present time is due to the fact that it was included in your claim dated December 13, 1918.

As regards Tsepoo Road, which prior to the present building operations varied from a width of 11-ft. 9-in. to 18-ft. 11-in., there can be no doubt that the widening has benefitted your property and I am, therefore, directed to inform you that the Council can make no concession in the matter of its claim for a deduction for betterment.

As to the North Honan Road frontage of your property, and the statement in your letter that "the surrender means loss of rentals of at least three shop buildings", I am directed to point out that you have apparently overlooked the fact that the Council has accepted your claim in full for this area without any deduction for betterment.

The only revision, therefore, which appears called for in the Council's offer of January 31, is in regard to the Tongdongkaloong, and the revised offer will, therefore, read as follows:—

*North Honan Road.*

| | | Tls. | Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cad. Lot 342. | | | |
| 0.448 mow at Tls. 16,000 per mow | 7,808 | | |
| Plus 10% | 781 | | |
| | | | 8,589 |
| *Tsepoo Road.* | | | |
| Cad. Lot 342. | | | |
| 0.125 mow at Tls. 16,000 per mow | 2,000 | | |
| Plus 10% | 200 | | |
| | 2,200 | | |
| *Less* 1/3rd for betterment | 733 | | |
| | | 1,467 | |
| Cad. Lot 343. | | | |
| 0.058 mow at Tls. 8,000 per mow | 464 | | |
| Plus 10% | 46 | | |
| | 510 | | |
| *Less* 1/3rd for betterment | 170 | | |
| | | 340 | |
| | | | 1,807 |
| | | Tls. | 10,396 |

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*
Messrs. PLATT, MACLEOD & WILSON.

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Shanghai, April 15, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 21 and are now instructed by our clients, the beneficial owner of the property, to accept the revised offer of the Council contained in your letter.

We shall be glad to have the deeds of surrender sent to us for our signature together with a cheque for Tls. 10,396 in due course.

Yours faithfully,
PLATT, MACLEOD & WILSON.
N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, April 23, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 15, and to convey to you the Council's thanks for the arrangement therein concluded; the surrender of Mow 0.671 of land from Cadastral Lots 342 and 343, for the widening of the North Honan and Tsepoo Roads, for the sum of Tls. 10,396.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*
Messrs. PLATT, MACLEOD & WILSON.

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Shanghai, April 28, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 23rd instant, together with the surrender deeds in triplicate for the surrender to the Council of portions of Cadastral Lots 342 and 343.

We now return the surrender deeds duly executed by our Mr. Platt and Mr. Macleod and shall be glad to have your cheque for Tls. 10,396 in due course.

Yours faithfully,
PLATT, MACLEOD & WILSON.
N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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*Bubbling Well Road.*—The claim of Mr. W. A. C. Platt has been accepted for the surrender of the scheduled area of Lot 1270 at the assessed value Tls. 9,000 per mow or Tls. 4,563 for Mow 0.507 plus cost of reinstatement.

*Yuyuen Road.* — Arrangements have been made for the purchase of land for widening the Yuyuen Road from the Nie and Wong Families, at the rate of Tls. 500 per mow, details of the various lots and areas being as follows:—

| *Owner* | *Location* | *Area Mow* | *Taels* |
|---|---|---|---|
| Nie Chang Chen | W. of B.C. 8045 | 0.069 | 34.50 |
| Nie Mow Zung | do. | 0.031 | 15.50 |
| Nie Chang Chen | W. of B.C. 8337 | 0.001 | 0.50 |
| Nie Mow Zung | Opposite U.S.C. 2268 | 0.026 | 13.00 |
| Wong Tse Jin | W. of U.S.C. 2395 | 0.187 | 93.50 |
| | Totals | 0.314 | 157.00 |

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MAY 10.

*Police Force.*—Sikh Constable No. 331, Massa Singh, is discharged, invalided, from May 4.

*Health Department.* — Miss M. Daly, Miss F. C. de Morgan and Miss E. Redmile are appointed Nurses from April 26.

Long leave is granted to Nurse E. J. Swinton from May 16.

Miss M. L. Vial is engaged as a candidate for an appointment as Probationer Nurse on six months' trial from May 10.

*Public Works Department.*—The appointment of Assistant Inspector A. T. Kriger is confirmed from May 1, under an agreement terminable at three months' notice.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. S. Grieve, temporary Cookery Mistress in the Public and Thomas Hanbury Schools for Girls, is permitted to terminate her service on May 16.

*Secretariat.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. N. M. Harloe, Assistant, from June 2.

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## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, May 11, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 16 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 3 |
| Measles | — | 7 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 156 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 73 | Szechuen & Hongkong | Tam Wa | | | altns.& addns. |
| 2357 | Ewo | G. Ohara | | | bun-ding |
| 439 | Wuchow | Wong Tsong Kee | | | 2 kit-chens |
| 6015 | Y'poo | Palmer and Turner | | | dining rooms & kit-chen addns. |
| 2386 | B'bling Well | Yah Sung Kee | | | |
| 1516 | Mandalay | Koo Sung Tai Yee Kee | | | addns. |
| 4320 | Markham | Hong Yue Cot-ton Mill | 1 | | |
| 4844 | W. Soochow | DongKee & Co. | 1 | | watch-man's lodge wall |
| Un-reg. S of | Tatung | Sinza Refuge | | | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 410 | Tsepoo | Brandt and Rodgers | 1 | | wall |
| 195 | Tongshan | Lee Hop Shin | 3 | | |
| 1325 | Thibet and Cemetery | Wong Yung Kee | 32 | | |

## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | May 19 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | ,, 20 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | ,, 21 | 5.30 ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | ,, 22 | 5.30 ,, | ,, |
| Fri. | ,, 23 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. | ,, 24 | 4.30 ,, | Public Recreation Ground |

## Report of Captain-Superintendent of Police for April.

Strength of the Force on April 30.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 7 | |
| Foreigners | 140 | |
| Japanese | 27 | |
| Sikhs | 588 | |
| Chinese | 1,480 | |
| | | 2,242 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 80 | |
| Followers | 219 | |
| | | 299 |
| | Total | 2,541 |

*Armed Robberies.* — During the month five reports were made of armed robbery from houses in the Settlement. Two of these were reported in Hongkew, one in Louza, one in Sinza and one in West Hongkew district. Two men were arrested in connexion with these reports, tried at the Mixed Court and handed over to the Court of the Military Governor.

Two cases of armed highway robbery from the person were reported, one from the Central and one from Hongkew district.

One case of attempted highway robbery from the person in which no arms were used was reported in the West Hongkew district. One person was arrested in connexion with this case and sentenced to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol.

One man was arrested on a charge of armed robbery committed prior to April 1, 1919, and he is at present under remand. Another, who was arrested in the Settlement at the instance of the Chinese Authorities on a charge of armed robbery committed outside the Settlement, was handed over to the City Authorities.

Two persons were also arrested during the month for highway robbery from the person committed prior to April 1, 1919. They were charged and sentenced to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol. One prisoner undergoing a sentence at the Municipal Gaol for robbery was again brought up and tried with them, but no further sentence was imposed.

Of the thirteen persons referred to as being under remand at the end of March on charges of armed robbery from houses during that month and on dates prior thereto, three were remitted to the Court of the Military Governor, three were sentenced to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol, four expelled from the Settlement whilst the charges preferred against three were dismissed.

One man who was referred to as being under remand at the end of March 1919 charged with highway robbery from the person has been sentenced to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol, and another who was referred to on the same date as under remand on a charge of being a member of a robber band has been released.

The eleven persons referred to in previous reports as being under remand on charges of robbery at the end of December, 1918, are still awaiting sentence.

*Bombs.*—On April 28 a bomb explosion took place on the roof garden of a certain establishment on the Nanking Road. No persons were injured and damage done was very slight.

Two unexploded bombs were removed by the Police from two other places in which they had been planted in the same district, one on April 11 and another on April 22.

*Executions.*—During the month eight persons who were found guilty of having committed armed robbery in the Settlement were executed at Loongwha in the presence of a representative of the Municipal Police.

*Reports of Property Stolen.*—During the month 348 reports of property stolen were made at the various stations. Enquiries were made with successful results in 162 of these cases.

*Murder Outside Limits.*—On February 8, 1919, a man named Woo Tsz-hyien, whilst on the s.s. Tuck Wo at Tungchow was thrown overboard by a man named Tsz Ah-foh. The latter was arrested in Shanghai on February 11, 1919, and was charged at the Mixed Court on March 7. A *prima facie* case was made out against him and he was remitted to the Authorities at Tungchow who found him guilty and executed him on April 17 last.

*Execution at Peking.*—The execution at Peking on April 5 of Hung Shih-tsoo, who was arrested here in connexion with the murder of Sung Chiao-jen at the Shanghai-Nanking Railway Station over six years ago and who was recently remitted to the Chinese Authorities by the Mixed Court, closes another chapter in the history of the tragedy which agitated Shanghai so much in the closing days of March 1913, inaugurated a rebellion and an unsuccessful punitive expedition to Peking.

***Identification Office.***— During the month 499 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 151 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 152 records were received from the French Police out of which number 78 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For identification | 651 |
| Identified | 229 |
| Percentage | 35 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 4 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 31 |
| | 35 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 13.

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The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 292 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 56 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 64 | *Second offenders.* |
| 23 | *Third offenders.* |
| 5 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 59 | *Habitual offenders* (serious) |
| 499 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for April.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed for the Public Works Department | Tls. | Nil |
| *Less.* | | Nil |
| Total | Tls. | Nil |
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the Public Works Department | Tls. | 1,803.53 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | | 862.01 |
| Total | Tls. | 941.52 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. | 941.52 |

Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.

K. J. McEuen,
*Captain-Superintendent of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:*— | |
| Absent from ship without leave | 1 |
| Assault | 1 |
| Causing grievous bodily harm | 3 |
| 2.—*Offences against property* — | |
| Larceny | 2 |
| Receiving stolen property | 4 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:*— | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:*— | |
| Dogs | 5 |
| Motor Cycle | 1 |
| Gambling | 4 |
| Vagrancy | 1 |
| Entering the Settlement after permit had been withdrawn | 1 |
| Total | 23 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 3,492 | 3,492 |
| Others | 59 | 840 | 899 |
| Total | 59 | 4,332 | 4,391 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cautioned | 4 |
| Dismissed | 3 |
| Fined | 5 |
| Handed over to Chinese Authorities | 1 |
| Imprisonment | 6 |
| Remanded | 4 |
| Total | 23 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on April 30.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 9 |
| Louza Station | 25 |
| Hongkew Station | 7 |
| Harbin Road Station | 4 |
| West Hongkew Station | 4 |
| Wayside Station | 12 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 2 |
| Sinza Station | 1 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 3 |
| Gordon Road Station | 2 |
| Gaol | 1,609 |
| Reformatory | 87 |
| Total | 1,765 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 594 | 520 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 594 | 520 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN March 29 and April 25.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 43,598.36 |
| Recovered | 24,623.03 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 31. 3. 19. | 41 | 406 |
| Captured | 365 | |
| Returned | 78 | 406 |
| Killed | 283 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 3 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 42 | |

## Engineer's Report for April.

Plans have been completed and work has been commenced on a number of the more important works provided for in this year's Budget. Efforts are being made to proceed as rapidly as possible with various drainage works, the completion of which is desirable before the hot weather sets in.

A commencement has been made with the laying of asphaltic concrete and, the weather having been on the whole fairly favourable, good progress has been made. This class of work will be proceeded with throughout the summer and it is hoped that it will be possible to complete during this year a fairly extensive mileage along the more important thoroughfares.

*Roads.*—The making up of the widened portion of Bubbling Well Road between Hart Road and Hardoon Road has been completed, with the exception of a narrow strip of the carriageway and the footpath on the south side.

The making up of the footpaths to their standard width and the laying of kerb and channel is approaching completion in Weihaiwei Road from Yates Road to Mohawk Road.

The making up of West Soochow Road for its full width east of Tonquin Road is completed.

The ballasting and metalling of East Yalu Road for a width of 12 feet from Chaoufoong Road to Dent Road has been completed.

The ballasting and metalling of Pingliang Road for a width of 12 feet westwards from Thorburn Road to join up with the existing metalling has been completed.

The ballasting and metalling of Tongshan Road has been completed on the south side from Dent Road to Kwenming Road.

The raising and ashing of Thorburn Road north of Kwenming Road has been completed.

Liping Road has been widened at its junction with the recently constructed ash road running along the River Front to Woosung.

Asphaltic concrete has been laid in Fokien Road from Nanking Road to Avenue Edward VII, to form a wearing surface on the existing cement concrete.

The following roads are being surface treated:—

With Asphaltum:—

Mohawk Road from Weihaiwei Road to Avenue Edward VII.

North Soochow Road from North Szechuen Road to North Honan Road.

Yates Road from Great Western Road to Bubbling Well Road.

Connaught Road from Hart Road to Jessfield Road.

With desiccated tar:—

Pingliang Road from Whashing Road to Lay Road.

Kwangse Road from Chefoo Road to Tientsin Road.

Newchwang Road form Lloyd Road to Chekiang Road.

Ningpo Road from Lloyd Road to Chekiang Road.

Tientsin Road from Kweichow Road to Chekiang Road.

Yunnan Road from Chefoo Road to Ningpo Road.

*Jetties.* — Extensive repairs are being carried out to the Chaoufoong Road and Kungping Road Jetties.

*Drainage.*—The culverting of the Bubbling Well Road Creek from Hart Road to Siccawei Road by 4-ft. 6-in. diameter tubes is in progress.

The culverting of the Singkeipang from Dent Road to Singkeipang Road by 4-ft. 6-in. diameter tubes has been commenced.

The laying of a 1-ft. 6-in. by 1-ft. egg-shaped sewer in Pingliang Road from east of Dalny Road to Thorburn Road has been commenced.

The construction of the Screening Chamber at the outfall end of the Ewo Road main sewer has been completed.

The laying of the 4-ft. 6-in. diameter and 3-ft. by 2-ft. egg-shaped culverts in Funing Road west of Lay Road is approaching completion.

The reconstruction of the defective sewer in Peking Road from Fokien Road to Thibet Road by 1-ft. 6-in. by 1-ft. egg-shaped sewer is well in hand.

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*Central Offices.*—Practically the whole of the scaffolding has now been taken down, and the fixing of the ground floor window casements has been commenced.

*Goal—New Cell Blocks.*—The compound paving has been completed, and an extra doorway constructed from the Cookhouse in connexion with the new blocks. A second consignment of cell door locks has arrived from England.

*Isolation Hospital - Discharge Block.*—The internal work and fitting up is proceeding, and the electrical work has been commenced.

Painting has been proceeding at the Public Swimming Bath.

*Riverside Power Station.*—Excavation has been started for the foundations for the new Turbine House. This building will be 60 feet wide by 152 feet long.

The brickwork for the temporary shed started last month is now finished, and most of the carpenter work is completed.

*Fearon Road Power Station.*—The reinforced concrete work for the switch and transformer cubicles is completed.

*Sawgin Road Depôt.*—The construction of the office and store shed is well in hand towards completion.

*Sinza Depôt and Ewo Road Depôt.*—The construction has been commenced of additional store sheds at each of these depôts.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—1057.50 fong of material was dispatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected cartloads | 4,959 |
| Used for raising land | 690 |
| Water used for street watering | 5,575,400 gallons |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 3,456 |
| Foremen | 238 |
| Mafoos | 159 |
| Artisans | 526 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 10,272 pieces |
| Machine made | 3,037 ,, |
| Total | 13,309 ,, |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 13 admissions during the month.

*New Buildings.*

| *Description of Work.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 302 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 75 |
| Plans approved | 52 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 3,437 |
| Boundary walls erected | 540 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadway | 13 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 1,655 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 10 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 26 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 40 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction, the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Notices as to dangerous structures received from the Public | 1 |
| Dangerous structures reported by Public Works Department | 8 |
| First intimation notices issued | 9 |
| Second intimation notices issued | 1 |
| Total | 10 |

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of New Lots | 75 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates Issued | 33 |
| Consular Lots Surveyed | 27 |
| New Lots put under Taxation | 7 |
| The assessed value of the land placed under Taxation | Tls. 20,307 |
| Official plans prepared | 32 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, Mow Surveyed | 378 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, Mow Plotted | 535 |
| Surveys made in connection with Road Widenings and/or Extensions | 38 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or Waterways which are or may in future, be of use to the public | 75 |

M. C. R. Stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Northern District | 6 |
| Western ,, | 7 |
| Outside Limits | 27 |

C. HARPUR,
*Acting Engineer & Surveyor.*

**Summary of General Municipal Rate, March Quarter.**

**Foreign.**

| | 1919. | | 1918. | | 1917. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. |
| | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | 706 | 2,675,153 | 687 | 2,494,517 | 676 | 2,369,716 |
| Northern do. | 1,019 | 955,522 | 1,019 | 931,479 | 1,026 | 914,203 |
| Eastern do. | 745 | 928,191 | 724 | 893,059 | 696 | 859,487 |
| Western do. | 1,001 | 1,275,336 | 1,006 | 1,237,195 | 976 | 1,193,409 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 631 | 412,540 | 597 | 373,916 | 598 | 396,752 |
| Total | 4,102 | 6,246,742 | 4,033 | 5,930,166 | 3,972 | 5,733,567 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 3,100 | 4,643,122 | 3,072 | 4,403,314 | 3,000 | 4,349,872 |
| do. Chinese | 856 | 1,303,935 | 819 | 1,223,209 | 777 | 1,115,386 |
| Unoccupied | 146 | 299,685 | 142 | 303,643 | 195 | 268,309 |
| Total | 4,102 | 6,246,742 | 4,033 | 5,930,166 | 3,972 | 5,733,567 |
| TAX COLLECTED:— | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | | 73,343 | | 68,454 | | 66,604 |
| Northern do. | | 25,877 | | 25,086 | | 23,956 |
| Eastern do. | | 26,370 | | 25,122 | | 24,172 |
| Western do. | | 34,624 | | 32,884 | | 31,946 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 5,818 | | 5,232 | | 5,357 |
| Total | | 166,032 | | 156,778 | | 152,035 |

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**Chinese.**

| | 1919. | | 1918. | | 1917. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. |
| | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | 11,928 | 5,568,791 | 11,983 | 5,487,942 | 11,523 | 5,172,730 |
| Northern do. | 16,633 | 3,019,211 | 16,632 | 2,987,894 | 16,339 | 2,926,016 |
| Eastern do. | 17,422 | 1,595,647 | 16,935 | 1,518,611 | 16,525 | 1,459,056 |
| Western do. | 14,907 | 2,122,371 | 14,741 | 2,080,552 | 15,105 | 2,122,682 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 1,225 | 109,994 | 1,223 | 109,714 | 1,239 | 110,686 |
| Total | 62,115 | 12,416,014 | 61,514 | 12,184,713 | 60,731 | 11,791,170 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 1,980 | 491,122 | 1,828 | 444,323 | 1,764 | 425,337 |
| do. Chinese | 57,877 | 11,298,044 | 57,395 | 10,960,068 | 56,427 | 10,636,565 |
| Unoccupied | 2,258 | 626,848 | 2,291 | 780,322 | 2,540 | 729,268 |
| Total | 62,115 | 12,416,014 | 61,514 | 12,184,713 | 60,731 | 11,791,170 |
| TAX COLLECTED:— | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | | 158,539 | | 153,323 | | 148,380 |
| Northern do. | | 86,926 | | 85,192 | | 82,417 |
| Eastern do. | | 45,521 | | 42,797 | | 40,747 |
| Western do. | | 58,449 | | 56,620 | | 56,185 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 1,561 | | 1,558 | | 1,550 |
| Total | | 350,996 | | 339,490 | | 329,279 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Superintendent of Revenue.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 承攬人行止有估定之准用英文開列各項本局如認為適當亦有權不承認全部或一部份承攬本局有權不承認全部或一部份承攬

三 本局有權不承認全部或一部份承攬

四 所有承攬人須遵照本辦法辦理

五 本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

六 所有承攬人須繳付一律得收之保證金

明本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

所有承攬人須繳付一律得收之保證金

目前須在工部局公報及本局網頁上登載

所有承攬人須繳付一律得收之保證金

目前須在工部局公報及本局網頁上登載

後本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

到期必須繳付一律得收之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

後本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

之後本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

其說明書及各種表格須在工部局公報及本局網頁上登載

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

該承攬人須繳付一律得收之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

款項須繳付一律得收之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

錢數目必須繳付一律得收之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

其數目必須繳付一律得收之保證金

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仍有權取消承攬人之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

將收回承攬人之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

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本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

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本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

錢數目必須繳付一律得收之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

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說明書及各種表格須在工部局公報及本局網頁上登載

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

各人須繳付一律得收之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

人須繳付一律得收之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

其該承攬人須繳付一律得收之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

該承攬人須繳付一律得收之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

之後本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

准遵照本辦法辦理

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

用認定之標準

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

款項須繳付一律得收之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

承辦人須繳付一律得收之保證金

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

目前須在工部局公報及本局網頁上登載

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

如有權取消承攬人之保證金

是否有權取消承攬人之保證金

權利

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

認定

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

全部或一部份承攬

本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

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本局有權取消承攬人之保證金

有權取消承攬人之保證金

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2617.**

*(Translation.)*

IT has been brought to the Council's attention, that recently certain handbills and pamphlets have been printed and distributed by certain persons with a view to bringing unlawful pressure upon Chinese merchants and residents in the Settlement, to refrain from purchasing, selling or dealing in Japanese goods, thus tending to cause unrest and threatening the peace and good order of the Settlement.

The Public should take note that all acts of intimidation are unlawful, and that anyone attempting by force or threat or other form of compulsion to interfere with any resident or merchant in the pursuit of his lawful business, or by force or threat or other form of compulsion to induce anyone to refrain from the exercise of his right to make use of, purchase, sell or deal in any goods, will on detection be arrested and punished as a law breaker.

If anyone attempts to intimidate any resident or merchant, immediate information should be given by the concerned to the nearest Police Station, with a statement of the circumstances in detail, whereupon his assailant will forthwith be arrested and the case brought before the Mixed Court, or the Court of the party concerned for investigation and severe punishment without the least leniency. Warning is duly given. Let all obey.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 19, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2602.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2616.**

**DOG LICENCES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the licence conditions set forth in the Handbook of Local Regulations have been re-numbered as follows:—

No. 2 re-numbered 7.
No. 3 re-numbered 2.
No. 4 re-numbered 3.
No. 5 re-numbered 4.
No. 6 re-numbered 5.
No. 7 re-numbered 6.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 15, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2618.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Monday, June 2 and 9, 1919.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 22, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2619.**

**TRAFFIC.**

THE Keecheong Road Jetty will be closed to traffic during repairs, from Friday, May 30, to Thursday, June 5, inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 22, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Watch Committee held on Thursday, May 15, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Ed. White *(Chairman)*
E. C. Pearce
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. H. A. J. Macray

The meeting adjourned at 6.40 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Monday, May 19, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Skinner Turner *(Chairman)*
L. E. Canning
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. T. Ibukiyama

The meeting adjourned at 4.50 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, May 19, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. W. L. Merriman *(Chairman)*
A. Howard
E. C. Pearce

*Absent:*

Mr. C. M. Bain

The meeting adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Band Committee held on Wednesday, May 21, 1919, at 11.45 a.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Ed. White *(Chairman)*
A. Howard

The meeting adjourned at 1 o'clock, p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, May 21, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
A. Howard
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

*Absent:*

Messrs. C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray

The meeting adjourned at 6.50 p.m.

### Special Vice Committee.

In accordance with Resolution X, passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, Messrs. Skinner Turner, T. Ibukiyama and A. Brooke Smith have been appointed as the Council's representatives on this Special Committee and Dr. F. Rawlinson, Mr. L. E. Canning and Mrs. C. F. Remer have been nominated by the Shanghai Moral Welfare Committee.

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**Volunteer Corps.**

*Medical Staff.*—Eight months' leave is granted to Capt. C. N. Davis from May 31.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant the following promotions are authorized:—

*Light Horse.*—Lieut. H. S. Lindsay to be Captain, Commanding the Light Horse.

*"A" Company British.*—Lieut. W. J. Monk to be Captain, Commanding "A" Company British.

*Shanghai Scottish.*—Lieut. G. L. Campbell to be Captain, Commanding the Shanghai Scottish.

**Central Offices.**

The recommendation of the Acting Engineer set out in the following extract has been adopted, whereunder an additional floor area of 3,360 sq. ft. will be obtained in the new building by eliminating the verandahs on the third floor, at a nett additional estimated cost of Tls. 10,347, without involving extra delay in completion of the building:—

"The recent decision regarding the housing of the Electricity Department in the Central Offices, and the general deletion of residential quarters, resulting in the feasibility of a continuous central corridor throughout the building suggests a further improvement which I am anxious to have placed before the Council. It may be seen that the treatment of the top story on the Foochow Road frontage is different from that facing Kiangse and Hankow Roads, on the latter the front wall of the 3rd story is set back some 8-ft., and is to be screened by a continuous balustrade (not yet erected). On the Foochow Road front this balustrade is omitted and the front wall is continuous up from the ground, being pierced by semi-circular windows on the 3rd floor. This was so designed to allow the greater depth in connexion with the Volunteer Club rooms, etc. The appearance of this treatment seems to me sufficiently satisfactory to justify its continuation along the Kiangse-Hankow Roads.

I beg to suggest, therefore, that the balustrade be omitted from these frontages and that the 3rd floor facade wall be continued up to correspond with the design on the Foochow Road. By so doing an additional floor area of 3,360 sq. ft. is gained on the top floor, at a cost of Tls. 3 per foot, exactly *half* the average cost of the remaining floor space throughout the block. The additional floor area will be most valuable on the northern frontage (cadastral offices), now that a central corridor takes a corresponding floor area from the depth of these offices. The proposed alteration is a very simple one, no granite work being interfered with in any way: and as the work could proceed simultaneously with the interior of the building I do not anticipate any extra delay caused thereby. The Contractor's estimate for this work is Tls. 12,530. A saving of Tls. 2,183 will be made by the resulting omission of interior fall-pipes, hence the real extra cost would only be Tls. 10,347."

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Nanking Road.*—The claim of Mr. J. Ambrose, on behalf of Mr. E. A. Probst, has been accepted for surrender of the area required for widening Nanking Road ex Lot 30, at the assessed value, Tls. 47,000 per mow, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender and less one-sixth for betterment, or Tls. 3,834 for Mow 0.089 plus reinstatement of wall and gateway.

*Linching Road.*—The offer of Messrs. Dowdall & Read has been accepted, to surrender without compensation the area required for this road from Lots 6827 and 6835, a total area of Mow 2.152, upon condition that when houses are erected on these properties, the Council will construct free of charge a cement concrete footpath over a frontage of 740 ft., the approximate length of frontage from which surrender will be effected.

*Bubbling Well Road.*—The claim of the Oriental Land Co., Ld., has been accepted, for the surrender of the scheduled area of Lot 1265, at the assessed value Tls. 10,000 per mow plus 10 per cent., or Tls. 13,585 for Mow 1.235 plus cost of reinstatement.

*Yuyuen Road.*—The offer of Mr. R. H. Parker has been accepted, to make free surrender of the area required from U. S. Lot 2377 to widen this road to 50ft.

**Cambridge Local Examinations.**

From the *Public School for Boys* there were entered 39 candidates of whom 24 passed, 7 with honours —one class I, one class II and five class III—and five marks of distinction were gained.

Seven candidates were entered from the *Public School for Girls*, all of whom passed the examinations.

Nine candidates were entered from the *Thomas Hanbury School for Boys*, of whom 9 passed, 2 with honours, Class III.

*Extract from the Colonial Class Lists for December 1918*:—

PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR BOYS.

Senior Boys—Honours Class III
*r.* Whitgob, H. M.

Students under 18 years of age who have satisfied the Examiners:
Ferguson, A.
Wheeler, S. H.

Junior Boys—Honours Class I
*a, e, bk.* Soyka, C.

Honours Class III
Madar, P.
*a.* Moosa, M.

Students under 16 years of age who have satisfied the Examiners:
Dodd, R. V.
Gelbart, J.
Viloudaki, R. G
Weill, F. L.
White, H. A.

Student not under 16 years of age who has passed the examination as a junior:—
Reid, A.

Preliminary Boys—Honours Class II
Petigura, A.

Honours Class III
Milligan, J. R.
Petersen, E. W.

Students under 14 years of a who have satisfied the Examiner
Carlson, E. A.
Frost, R. W.
Green, S.
Madar, T.
Moosa, S.
Jacob, J. R.

Students between 14 and 16 yea of age who have satisfied the e aminers:—
Hendriksen, J. A. l
Hertzberg, E.
Petersen, K. W.

*a.* denotes that the candidat to whose names it is prefixed we distinguished in Arithmetic.
*r.* ditto, Religious Knowled
*c.* ditto, English Langua and Literature
*bk.* ditto, Bookkeeping

PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

Senior Girls—Students under years of age who have satisfied tl Examiners:—
Day, E. G.
Smith, E. C.
Whitgob, B.

Junior Girls—Students under years of age who have satisfied tl Examiners:—
Soyka, A.
*r.* Wegener, J. G.

Students not under 16 years age who have passed the Examin tion as juniors:—
Cohen, M.
Whitgob, S.

*r.* denotes that the candidate whose name it is prefixed was di tinguished in Religious Knowledge

THOMAS HANBURY SCHOOL FOR BOYS

Junior Boys—Students under years of age who have satisfied th Examiners:—
Cunningham, H.
Guzdar, J.
Needa, V.

Student not under 16 years of ag who has passed the examination a a junior:—
Moalem, S. J.

Preliminary Boys—Honours Clas III
Artindale, R.
Naughton, W.

Student under 14 years of ag who has satisfied the Examiners:
Parker, A. H.

Students between 14 and 16 year of age who have satisfied the Ex aminers:—
Turner, J.
Viccajee, V.

ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE.

Senior Boys—Students under years of age who have satisfied th Examiners:—
Derby, S. S.
Dixon, F. W.
*bk.* Zao Yue-dong, M.

Junior Boys—Students under years of age who have satisfied th Examiners:—
*bk.* Alonco, P. A. da S
Gutierrez, F. X.

Students not under 16 years o age who have passed the examina tion as juniors:—
Aquino, L. A.
Cooke, R. J.
Ferras, M. A.
Legaspi, B.
da Silva, V. B. P.
Thompson, A.

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Preliminary Boys—Honours Class I

*gm.* Hayward, J.

Honours Class II

*f, al.* da Costa, A. J.
*gm, al.* Missemer, J. E. F.

Honours Class III

*gm.* d'Aquiar, V. A.
Alves, B. H.

Students under 14 years of age who have satisfied the Examiners:

Khan, T.
Reyes, C.

Students between 14 and 16 years of age who have satisfied the Examiners:—

Allanson, N. A.
Avasia, G. A. E.
Chandler, D. J.
Collaco, V. V.
Gon, J. F.
Gonsalves, A. V.
dos Remedios, L. A. J.
Roche, A.
de Souza, A. I.

*bk.* denotes that the candidates to whose names it is prefixed were distinguished in Bookkeeping.

*gm.* ditto, Geometry
*f.* ditto, French
*al.* ditto, Algebra

SHANGHAI JEWISH SCHOOL.

Preliminary Boys—Student under 14 years of age who has satisfied the Examiners:—

Whitgob, E.

Preliminary Girls—Student between 14 and 16 years of age who has satisfied the Examiners:—

Dietrich, M.

ST. JOSEPH'S INSTITUTE.

Senior Girls—Student under 18 years of age who has satisfied the Examiners:—

*f.* Sequeira, B. M.

Student not under 18 years of age who has satisfied the Examiners:—

Leitao, S. M.

Junior Girls—Student under 16 years of age who has satified the Examiners:—

Lynch, K. B.

*f.* denotes that the candidate to whose name it is prefixed was distinguished in French.

INSTITUTION OF THE HOLY FAMILY.

Junior Girls—Students under 16 years of age who have satisfied the Examiners:—

Abeles, R.
d'Almeida, D.
d'Aquiar, M. E.
*f.* Stone, D.
*r, f.* Vlasova, A.

Preliminary Girls—Students under 14 years of age who have satisfied the Examiners:—

Baisseree, C.
Korkin, R.

Student between 14 and 16 years of age who has satisfied the Examiners:—

Johnston, S.

*f.* denotes that the candidates to whose names it is prefixed were distinguished in French.

*r.* ditto, Religious Knowledge

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MAY 17.

*Police Force.*—The following promotions are authorized from May 1:—

To be 3rd Class Inspectors:—

T. H. Steele
J. Sinclair

To be Sub-Inspectors:—

J. Campbell
W. Whiting
T. Crookdake
J. W. Prince
J. Sullivan
J. F. Prosser

*Fire Brigade.*—Henceforward the official designation of Mr. H. Upton, Departmental Assistant, will be Station Officer.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Dr. C. N. Davis, 2nd Assistant Health Officer, from May 31.

*Electricity Department.*—Miss D. Davey is appointed temporarily as Stenographer and Typist, from May 1.

*Educational Department.*—Mr. W. H. S. Hatten is appointed Assistant Master on probation in the Public School for Boys, from May 13.

The appointment of Mr. G. H. Parkes, School Keeper and Assistant Boxing Instructor in the Public School for Boys, is confirmed from March 3, under an agreement terminable at three months' notice.

*Revenue Office.*—The appointment of Collector C. H. Ridgway, is confirmed from February 1, under an agreement terminable. at three months' notice

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, May 18, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 873,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 1 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 22 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 1 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 2 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 150 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

Mon. May 26 5.30 p.m. Public Garden
Tues. „ 27 5.30 „ Hongkew Recreation Ground
Wed. „ 28 5.30 „ Public Garden
Thurs. „ 29 5.30 „ „
Fri. „ 30 5.30 „ Hongkew Recreation Ground
Sat. „ 31 4.30 „ Public Recreation Ground

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 84 & 86 | Kiangse | Moorhead & Halse | | | addns. |
| 162 | Nanking | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | lift tower |
| 1016 | Whangpoo | Lafuente & Wootten | | | reading room & staircase |
| 1579 | Tongshan | Sung Woo Kee | | 1 | watchman's lodge & latrine |
| 805 | E. Yalu | Pai Kee | | 1 | |
| Unreg. N of 6180 | Hart | China Realty Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| 4708 | Macao | Nagai Wata Kaisha | | | shed |
| 1 | Thibet | The New World Co. | | | circus shed |
| 2050 | Weihaiwei | Brandt & Rodgers | | | addns. |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 240 | Nanking | Shun Nih & Co. | 9 | | |
| 849 | Chapoo | P. Tilley | | | addns. |
| Unreg. S of 4300 | Rangoon | Y. Hirano | 29 | | |
| 1165 | E. Seward | Sze Tuh & Co. | 32 | | |
| 3473, 3474 & 3487, 3489 | Sinza | Zen Kee | 53 | | |

## Mixed Court Report for April.

On April 14 a houseboy in foreign employ was sentenced to four months' imprisonment on the charge of improperly driving a motor car, knocking down and injuring a policeman on point duty. Evidence was given to the effect that the accused obtained the key of the garage and took his master's motor car out after disguising the number by pasting black paper over the first numeral on the license plate. In addition to knocking down the constable he collided with and damaged two ricshas.

In reference to a summons issued by the Mixed Court on the application of the Municipal Police against the Proprietor of Nos. 4 and 5 North Chekiang Road for exposing for sale lottery tickets, contrary to Article 279 of the Chinese Provisional Criminal Code, the Police stated to the Court that this shop is situated on North Chekiang Road on the boundary

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line of the Settlement. The shop is actually outside the Settlement but persons purchasing the lottery tickets have to stand inside the Settlement when making purchases. The co-operation of the Chapei Police had been sought to effect service of the summons issued by the Mixed Court. The Chapei Police had referred the matter to the City Court which ruled that no assistance could be given as the lotteries were sanctioned by the Peking Government. After hearing the above statement the Court ordered that the summons be cancelled.

The following enemy subjects and persons of foreign nationality not recognised by any consulate in Shanghai were before the Court during the month on criminal charges:—

| *Name* | *Nationality claimed* | *Offence* | *Sentence* |
|---|---|---|---|
| B. Johnson | British | Vagrancy | To be imprisoned for 3 months or such earlier date as opportunity can be found to ship him to Jamaica |
| J. B. Jesselsen | German | Visiting Settlement without a permit | Handed over to Chinese Authorities to be dealt with |
| A. Nadler | Roumanian | Larceny | One month's imprisonment |

The Court has been notified that the Mixed Court Rules of Procedure drawn up in 1915 and at that time adopted by some Assessors have now been adopted by the American Assessors and may be quoted in all cases coming before them.

At the end of the month 61 Chinese Civil Cases awaited a first hearing, being the smallest number since December 1912.

Of 14 Foreign Civil Cases set for hearing only 4 came up for hearing. Postponements in the case of the remainder were necessary owing to illness of the parties or their counsel.

Here follow returns of Offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with, Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention and Chinese Civil Cases.

M. O. SPRINGFIELD,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
K. J. MCEUEN,
Captain-Superintendent of Police.

OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| **1.—Offences Against the Person:—** | |
| Abduction | 5 |
| Allowing Children in Brothels | 5 |
| Assault | 24 |
| Attempted suicide | 3 |
| Intimidation | 3 |
| Wounding (Causing grievous bodily harm) | 1 |
| **2.—Offences Against Property:—** | |
| Burglary | 38 |
| Cruelty to animals | 8 |
| Extortion (Obtaining money by threats) | 3 |
| False pretences | 6 |
| Forgery | 5 |
| Fraud | 1 |
| House-breaking | 4 |
| Larceny | 188 |
| Receiving stolen property | 10 |
| Robbery | 22 |
| **3.—Offences of a Public Nature:—** | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 17 |
| Carts | 51 |
| Dairy | 1 |
| Dogs | 34 |
| Foodshops | 20 |
| Hawkers | 31 |
| Laundry | 1 |
| Lodging houses | 2 |
| Motor cars | 37 |
| Opium | 52 |
| Pawnshops | 3 |
| Rickshas | 1,162 |
| Tea shops | 6 |
| Wheel-barrows | 45 |
| Wine shops | 8 |
| Breach of Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| Arms | 1 |
| Fireworks | 1 |
| House refuse | 62 |
| Lotteries | 2 |
| Nuisances | 1,092 |
| Prostitutes | 20 |
| Traffic | 87 |
| Bribery | 1 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 3 |
| Disorderly conduct | 107 |
| Gambling | 112 |
| Loitering with intent | 13 |
| Returning after expulsion | 3 |
| Trademarks, infringement of | 1 |
| Vagrancy | 5 |
| **4.—Miscellaneous Cases** | 15 |
| TOTAL | 3,321 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2,429 |
| Case withdrawn | 2 |
| Cautioned | 44 |
| Compensation | 1 |
| Dismissed | 52 |
| Expulsion | 6 |
| Fined | 484 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 1 |
| Imprisonment | 191 |
| " and expulsion | 86 |
| Reformatory | 4 |
| Released on Security | 1 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 6 |
| Sent to Military Governor of Shanghai | 4 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 9 |
| TOTAL | 3,321 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On April 1 | 50 |
| Received | 38 |
| Released | 40 |
| On April 30 | 48 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 199 |
| " served | 206 |
| Warrants issued | 30 |
| " executed | 6 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 3 |
| " executed | 1 |
| Summonses issued | 30 |
| " served | 20 |
| " withdrawn | 4 |
| Persons apprehended on warrants | 1 |
| " summoned | 20 |
| Sealing orders issued | 40 |
| " " executed | 7 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 16 |
| " " withdrawn | 14 |
| " " pending | 3 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 15 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 81 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 40 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 79 |
| " heard | 150 |
| " in course of hearing | 12 |
| " concluded | 65 |
| " awaiting first hearing on April 30 | 61 |
| Summonses issued | 85 |
| " served | 78 |
| " withdrawn | 9 |
| Warrants issued | 30 |
| " executed | 12 |
| " withdrawn | 6 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 13 |
| " summoned | 80 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 55 |
| Sealing orders issued | 19 |
| " " executed | 6 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 12 |
| " " withdrawn | 1 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 4 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 61 |
| Bonds accepted | 43 |
| " rejected | 17 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On April 1 | 51 |
| Received | 20 |
| Released | 24 |
| On April 30 | 47 |

SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld. | British | Yoong Tah & Co. | Tls. 196.30 | For plaintiffs for Tls. 196.30 |
| American Commercial Co. | American | Tai Ih Dispensary | For an injunction | Proceeding |
| Union Eastern Trading Co. | Russian | Kwauh Yui Tsoo and Liang Voong-san | Tls. 13,932.80 Breach of Contract | Proceeding |

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**Health Officer's Report for April.**

Influenza rapidly subsided in April but added 3 foreign and 111 Chinese deaths from this cause, making the total fatality during this third and largest wave of infection 26 foreigners and 1,288 Chinese. It is anticipated that there may be further recurrence of progressively decreasing virulence.

Cerebrospinal fever continues to smoulder in a disconcerting way and its presence has been reported in many widely separated parts of China.

Apart from Influenza and Cerebrospinal fever the Public Health has been unusually good. Even without the stimulus of cases of Smallpox, over 3,000 free vaccinations were done at the Branch Health Offices during the month.

In view of the present strawberry season it may be noted that strawberries can be safely eaten fresh if dipped for a few seconds in boiling sugar syrup as recommended in the Public Health Notice obtainable from the Health Officer. This sterilises the fruit sufficiently to make it absolutely safe and in no way spoils the flavour. Otherwise strawberries are apt to be the cause of Dysentery and other serious troubles, watered as they so often are with nightsoil and passing through so many coolies' dirty hands. Washing in water is not enough. Although people may eat unsterilised strawberries many times and not be caught, the time inevitably comes when they will become a prey to serious intestinal trouble, and this can be so easily avoided with a little supervision by the housekeeper.

It is well now to direct special attention to the prevention of summer diseases due to infected food. Cholera is already epidemic in ports in communication with Shanghai. The house-fly has again made its appearance and is the omen of evil. The house-fly is one of the most dangerous enemies of man. It breeds in horse manure and other excrement, decaying vegetables, kitchen refuse and dead animal matter of all kinds. The conditions required for fly propagation are filth, warmth, moisture and food. The food of man is also the food of flies, but the fly also feeds on filth and brings the filth of latrines, etc., if permitted by careless housekeepers, and tramples it into our food. In this way flies cause diarrhoea, intestinal worms, dysentery, typhoid fever and cholera.

Shanghai is fortunate in having a daily removal of house refuse. Such frequency is quite unusual in other parts of the world. Stable refuse is also generally removed before it has had time to breed flies. Moreover, the Health Office has provided thousands of fly-proof refuse receptacles in Chinese property. These are fly-proof if properly used, which is, however, by no means always the case. The human factor intervenes and often defeats the best laid plans. The fool-proof refuse bin has not yet been invented, that is to say, having a lid which cannot be propped open or tied open, and which can pick up refuse thrown outside it. Neither precept nor example can reach a vast number of thoughtless souls who will not take the trouble to lift the lid and place the refuse inside the bin; neither does it appear to be within the capacity of the Police to enforce this sanitary habit. But what is done diminishes the number of dangerous flies enormously, and so diminishes the diseases they carry.

It is the careful housekeeper's duty first to see that the servants' latrine is properly screened against flies and has a spring slam door. Then to see that no refuse is kept anywhere except inside the properly covered refuse bin. Next to see that flies cannot get into the kitchen and especially the serving pantry by having spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc. In addition there should be a commodious fly-proof safe or cupboard in the serving pantry. In the dining room fruit, jam, butter, sugar, etc., should be carefully covered from flies. Flies won't touch hot food.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,

*Health Officer.*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign. | | Chinese. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Resident | Non-resident. | |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 10 | 1 | 77 |
| Beri-beri | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Measles | 0 | 0 | 39 |
| Cerebrospinal fever | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Influenza | 3 | 1 | 111 |
| From all causes | 34 | 4 | 788 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 1 |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 4 |
| Diphtheria | 4 |
| Scarlet Fever | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 |
| Dysentery | 5 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cases Admitted— | Small pox | 1 | 0 |
| | Diphtheria | 5 | 4 |
| | Scarlet Fever | 2 | 2 |
| | Influenza | 5 | 2 |
| | Other Diseases | 7 | 23 |
| Discharged | | 22 | 37 |
| Died | | 0 | 6 |
| Remaining last day of month | | 12 | 23 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 3,250 |
| Bacterial " " | 1,759 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 6 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 431 |
| Analyses | 43 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted. | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 18 | 0 |
| Surgical | 23 | 0 |
| Maternity | 7 | 0 |
| Mental | 7 | 0 |
| Total | 55 | 0 |

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox | 850 | 1,048 | 649 | 716 | 3,263 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 1 | 9 | 0 | 7 | 17 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 22 | 107 | 107 | 49 | 285 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 76 | 149 | 91 | 182 | 498 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 796 | 1,176 | 907 | 3,871 | 6,750 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 5 | 308 | 193 | 67 | 571 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 0 | 27 | 0 | 27 |
| Defective drainage amended | 26 | 31 | 37 | 16 | 110 |
| Insanitary wells abolished | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Proper water supply provided | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 9 | 4 | 7 | 2 | 22 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 14 | 5 | 23 | 6 | 48 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 1 | 204 | 711 | 916 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 7 | 26 | 1 | 34 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Offensive trade processes amended | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 7 | 6 | 7 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 11 | 12 | 4 | 5 | 32 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 48 | 64 | 90 | 20 | 222 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 1 | 4 | 11 | 1 | 17 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Notices of intention to proceed served | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 0 | 12 | 13 | 17 | 42 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 40 | 802 | 665 | 647 | 2,154 |
| Outside hawkers licensed | 540 | 651 | 504 | 369 | 2,064 |
| Food prosecutions | 0 | 31 | 2 | 4 | 37 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 0 | 50 | 5 | 0 | 55 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,765 | 2,955 | 3,250 | 3,049 | 13,019 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 7,069 | 3,482 | 2,414 | 1,940 | 14,895 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 1,825 | 540 | 157 | 157 | 2,679 |

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SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK

| | District | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | Total |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 258 | 665 | 186 | 301 | 1410 |
| Rats plague infected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation | 800 | 1000 | 750 | 200 | 2750 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1057 | 1431 | 861 | 335 | 3684 |
| Poisoned baits laid | 29600 | 22000 | 4200 | 3600 | 59400 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier | 0 | 184 | 0 | 0 | 184 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen | 1,478 | 1 | 1,478 | 0 | 0 |
| Sheep | 2,878 | 0 | 2,878 | 5 | 2 |
| Calves | 343 | 0 | 343 | 0 | 1 |
| Pigs | 207 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.

Sample received April 30, 1919.

Report sent out May 10, 1919.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.

Physical Characters.—Yellowish green colour with considerable opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 16.95 |
| (a) Volatile | 5.75 |
| (b) Fixed | 11.20 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 11.50 |
| (a) Temporary | 6.50 |
| (b) Permanent | 5.00 |
| Chlorine | 2.85 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0645 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0018 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0119 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° C. | 0.0333 |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° C. and 37° C. showed an average of 54 and 14 micro-organisms per cubic centimetre respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in quantities of 2 c.cs. and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Shows satisfactory filtration.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

## Summary of Revenue for April.

| Description | Estimate for 1919 | 1919 Number | 1919 Amount | 1919 Total from January 1 | 1918 Number | 1918 Amount | 1918 Total from January 1 | 1917 Number | 1917 Amount | 1917 Total from January 1 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,054,630 | — | 109,774.11 | 109,774.11 | — | 144,398.55 | 144,398.55 | — | 177,359.08 | 177,359.08 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 795 850 | — | 55,799.73 | 217,455.50 | — | 77,855.60 | 230,051.63 | — | 69,275.35 | 217,148.38 |
| Chinese | 1,182,460 | — | 138,950.91 | 388,740.92 | — | 132,407.99 | 374,057.15 | — | 132,236.32 | 366,101.05 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | 2.50 | 36.90 | — | 296.25 | 336.25 | — | 253.85 | 408.35 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 220,000 | — | — | 49,711.07 | — | — | 42,913.61 | — | — | 47,805.60 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | 49 | 3,001.00 | 6,886.00 | 62 | 3,772.00 | 8,117.00 | 69 | 4,339.00 | 8,804.00 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 24,000 | 77 | 5,725.00 | 11,800.00 | 78 | 5,800.00 | 11,575.00 | 76 | 5,675.00 | 11,400.00 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 400 | 13 | 117.00 | 256.00 | 16 | 96.00 | 198.00 | 19 | 121.00 | 256.00 |
| Eating House | 9,000 | 110 | 483.16 | 2,592.36 | 212 | 715.79 | 2,891.56 | — | — | — |
| Chinese Club | 4,500 | 48 | 1,200.00 | 2,341.70 | 37 | 925.00 | 1,933.35 | 45 | 1,125.00 | 2,225.00 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13 000 | 308 | 3,008.00 | 6,069.00 | 324 | 3,161.00 | 6,375.00 | 346 | 3,378.00 | 6,789.00 |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36 000 | 131 | 1,239.00 | 10,154.55 | 429 | 4,382.00 | 13,330.75 | 436 | 4,102.35 | 12,923.75 |
| Tea-shop | 16,000 | 648 | 1,403.50 | 5,596.00 | 671 | 1,342.00 | 5,345 00 | 678 | 1,523.25 | 5,861.25 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 6,500 | 102 | 737.65 | 2,432.92 | 187 | 675.87 | 2,177.86 | — | — | 1,648.58 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,000 | 13 | 513.00 | 1,939.00 | 13 | 358.00 | 1,370.00 | 22 | 621.00 | 2,038.00 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 18 | 709.00 | 2,796.00 | 14 | 675.00 | 2,740.00 | 20 | 751.00 | 3,177.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 2,500 | 16 | 275.00 | 912.00 | 14 | 230.00 | 792.00 | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 29,000 | — | — | 8,090.17 | 1 | 69.95 | 7,845.87 | — | — | 7,957.74 |
| Exchange Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Opium-shop | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 45,390.00 |
| Tobacco Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,000 | 760 | 510.47 | 2,027.79 | 908 | 524.19 | 2,110.86 | 765 | 457.33 | 1,971.94 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,100 | 66 | 96.10 | 379.90 | 67 | 97.15 | 379.51 | 62 | 88 91 | 364.36 |
| Launch | 3,300 | 288 | 798.00 | 1,673 00 | 276 | 669.00 | 1,450.00 | 266 | 646.00 | 1,438.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,480 | 349.70 | 1,356.74 | 1,515 | 357.52 | 1,373.30 | 1,545 | 354.95 | 1,418 43 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 52 | 37.45 | 296.54 | 60 | 43.33 | 307.17 | 51 | 36.58 | 349.21 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 11,500 | P. 697 C. 576 | 2,624.27 | 5,243.62 | P. 779 C. 629 | 2,883.50 | 5,773.75 | P. 806 C. 677 | 3,051.58 | 6,202.65 |
| Livery Stable | 12,000 | P. 410 C. 261 | 1,048.48 | 4,155.13 | P. 399 C. 246 | 999.01 | 3,920.12 | P. 399 C. 252 | 1,008.91 | 4,108.54 |
| Motor Car & Motor Bicycle | 45,000 | 1,098 | 10,493.03 | 21,168.48 | 901 | 8,465.35 | 17,034.74 | 657 | 6,159.35 | 12,814.55 |
| Cart | 31,500 | 2,204 | 3,191.50 | 12,151.50 | 1,942 | 2,842.00 | 10,743 50 | 1,817 | 2,735.00 | 10,727.50 |
| Private Ricsha | 55,000 | 6,267 | 12,457.38 | 25,610 38 | 5,865 | 12,[illegible]06.51 | 25 073.51 | 5,353 | 11,516.43 | 22,574.88 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,505.85 | 45,922 35 | 8,000 | 11,537.45 | 45,886 80 | 8,000 | 11,487.34 | 44,894.86 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 10 | 21.70 | 53 99 | 9 | 19 54 | 57.15 | 12 | 25.80 | 67.19 |
| Wheel-barrow | 50,000 | 9,720 | 4,864.06 | 17,126.76 | 9,078 | 4,545.57 | 16,330 08 | 9,441 | 4,727.97 | 17,068.39 |
| Firearms | 500 | — | — | 75.00 | — | — | 75.00 | — | — | 225.00 |
| Dog | 3,500 | 338 | 674.77 | 2,169.97 | 214 | 309.39 | 1,983.17 | 353 | 506.05 | 2,258.74 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 111,240 | 5,777 | 9,079.46 | 34,851.46 | 5,793 | 9,141.77 | 35,154.15 | 4,747 | 7,466.93 | 28,435.41 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | 130.00 | 270.00 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Firemen's Quarters | 3,100 | — | 169.00 | 541.50 | — | 232.00 | 607.00 | — | 198.00 | 504.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 5.820 | — | 472.00 | 1,902.48 | — | 465.00 | 1,845.00 | — | 445.00 | 1,780.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 312.51 | 701.76 | — | 266.51 | 338.72 | — | 17.07 | 80.33 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 33.700 | — | — | 16,741.10 | — | — | 21,870.30 | — | — | 20,504.19 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1 000 | — | — | 250.00 | — | — | 250.00 | — | — | 250.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co. Ld. | 7,330 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 50,000 | — | — | 12,739.30 | — | — | 11,365.00 | — | — | 10,780.93 |
| Electricity Department | 242 000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 13,820.00 |
| Convict Labour | 12,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concreteware Manufactory | 10,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 5,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,296,530 | | 381,774.29 | 1,034,992.95 | | 433,265.79 | 1,060,314.41 | | 451,689.40 | 1,119,932.38 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Superintendent of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
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二 所有份係本局自有權承攬本局承攬事件由英文開列於下

三 行未定估定必准攬價目是極低本局有權全份或一項或數項承攬

四 所有承攬各人之信及承攬人之資格

五 本局有取回登記人之保證金之權

六 所有承攬人須明瞭清單內所載之條款

本局必將其所載之條款一律公開

本局有權將承攬信章送交本局審查

此項信章須在西江路工務處送交

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# The Municipal Gazette

Vol. XII. SHANGHAI, SATURDAY, MAY 31, 1919. No. 633

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*(Translation.)*

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The Public should take note that all acts of intimidation are unlawful, and that anyone attempting by force or threat or other form of compulsion to interfere with any resident or merchant in the pursuit of his lawful business, or by force or threat or other form of compulsion to induce anyone to refrain from the exercise of his right to make use of, purchase, sell or deal in any goods, will on detection be arrested and punished as a law breaker.

If anyone attempts to intimidate any resident or merchant, immediate information should be given by the concerned to the nearest Police Station, with a statement of the circumstances in detail, whereupon his assailant will forthwith be arrested and the case brought before the Mixed Court, or the Court of the party concerned for investigation and severe punishment without the least leniency. Warning is duly given. Let all obey.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 19, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

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**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

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The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2618.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Monday, June 2 and 9, 1919.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 22, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2620.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Municipal Loans will be closed from June 16, to June 30, both days inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 29, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2621.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Clerical Assistant in the Public Works Department.

Applications, in candidates' own handwriting, should state age, qualifications, etc., and should be forwarded together with copies of testimonials to the Acting Municipal Engineer, at the Offices of the Public Works Department, 7a The Bund, not later than June 14.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 29, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Municipal Employes War Service Pay Committee held on Thursday, May 22, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
P. Fowler
Rev. Evan Morgan

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Parks Committee held on Monday, May 26, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Mr. E. Jenner Hogg (*Chairman*)
Rev. Br. Faust
Mr. P. Peebles

The meeting adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, May 28, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

*Absent:*

Mr. C. M. Bain

The meeting adjourned at 5.20 p.m.

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**Municipal Employes War Service Pay Committee.**

In pursuance of the amendment to Resolution V, passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, Messrs. E. C. Pearce, P. Fowler and the Rev. Evan Morgan have been appointed to serve on this Special Committee.

**Health Committee.**

With reference to the minute published in the Gazette of June 6, 1918, Dr. R. J. Marshall has resumed his seat on this Committee in place of Dr. E. L. Marsh.

**Foreign Educational Committee.**

The resignation of Mr. J. W. C. Bonnar of his seat on the Foreign Educational Committee has been accepted with regret.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*Annual Inspection.*—Letter from H.E. Major-General Sir Francis Ventris, Commanding the troops in China, and Report by Colonel J. R. Young, Chief Engineer, China Command, upon his inspection of the Corps are appended:—

Hongkong, May 15, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to forward for your information a copy of the report by Colonel J. R. Young on his recent Inspection of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps, and with reference to para. 4 of my letter forwarding same to the War Office I would appreciate any information you may be able to furnish on the possibility of securing an Artillery Range.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
F. VENTRIS,
*Major-General,*
*Commanding the China Command.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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(*Enclosure No. 1.*)

Hongkong, May 15, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to forward an Inspection Report on the Shanghai Volunteer Corps by Colonel J. R. Young, Chief Engineer, whom I deputed at the request of the Chairman, Shanghai Municipal Council, to make this Inspection which has not been carried out since the War.

2. With reference to paragraph 10 of the Report I have already referred for your consideration the question of a supply of arms and equipment—see my letter 7902 "A" of April 5, 1912.

3. The personnel of this Corps seem to be in a very efficient condition.

4. I am enquiring further into the possibility of finding an Artillery Range.

I have the honour to be.

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. VENTRIS,

*Major-General,*

*Commanding the China Command.*

The SECRETARY,

War Office, London, S.W. 1.

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(*Enclosure No. 2.*)

Hongkong, May 5, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to forward herewith a report on my inspection of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps last month, with the undermentioned annexures:—

State of the Corps on December 31, 1918.

Parade State, April 26, 1919.

Mobilization Manual 1917.

Mobilization Scheme, Chinese Company.

Barnes Cup Competition Rules, etc.

The Corps has a very energetic and able Commandant and is an invaluable little force well adapted to its purpose except as regards its equiment as mentioned in para. 10 of the report, to which I beg leave to draw your special attention.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. R. YOUNG,

*Colonel,*

*Chief Engineer, Forces in China.*

Major-General F. Ventris,

Commanding the Forces in China.

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**Report of Inspection 1919.**

On the day of arriving at Shanghai, April 24, 1919, I inspected the offices and stores, etc., at the Town Hall. Offices far better than any I have seen for a regular British unit. Records apparently complete. Sergt.-Major and Q. M. Sergt. both efficient, especially the former (Wise). The fittings of the armoury are of a home-made character, but quite efficient: spare rifles in good order. Spare equipment well kept.

2. Miniature range good in itself, but more and better landscape targets are needed. The best now there are hand-paintings of the neighbouring country: I think printed targets of the flatter parts of Belgium or England should be supplied.

3. The Town Hall, formerly used as a drill hall, is a fine room with wood floor, but the new drill shed at the new Municipal Buildings is much larger, with hard mud floor.

4. Machine guns and guns are stored at headquarters, but the horses are stabled half-a-mile away, near the Race Club. It is proposed to provide new stables near the new drill shed, and certainly the guns and horses should be close together.

5. From 6 to 7 p.m. (summer time) I saw various companies at their ordinary drill, though doubtless in larger numbers than usual in view of the approaching inspection parade. Officers and N.C.O.'s appeared to be efficient, and the men keen and attentive.

6. On April 25 I saw other units at drill in the same way. All units use their own national drill and words of command (except the Chinese, who follow the British drill book) and this renders it impossible to do any battalion drill.

7. At 9.15 p.m. the Commandant telephoned to headquarters the order to mobilize and afterwards I went round the different posts with him, beginning with the artillery stables. I append a copy of the mobilization manual 1917 as revised after the disbandment of the German and Austro-Hungarian Companies, from which it will be seen that each unit has quite clear orders as to place of assembly and what to do: and I attach also the detailed scheme of one of the companies, showing how complete the arrangements are. I found a ring of sentries and patrols round the whole perimeter of the central parts of the Settlement, the Commander of every group of 3 or 4 sentry posts (whether a small company or part of a larger one) having a definite headquarters with telephone, definite boundaries and definite duties. In addition there is a general reserve consisting of the Reserve Companies, the Engineers and most of the guns, machine guns and cavalry.

8. On April 26 the usual formal inspection took place at 3.30 p.m.: and both in line and in the march past the appearance of all ranks was smart and soldierlike. The march past was admirable, including the quicker movements by the mounted units.

9. Early on April 27 I was present at the musketry range when two of the companies carried out their tests in the Barnes Cup Competition. This consists in marching rather more than 4 miles and then attacking up the range, firing at surprise targets. Marks are given both for rapid marching and for good shooting, and the method of making up teams is such that each team comprises practically the second-best quarter of the company. The march was done in perfect order at about 5 miles per hour, but this pace did not affect the steadiness of the men on the range.

10. The Artillery have no range where they can practice with service ammunition. The only other feature which seriously mars the efficiency of this Corps is the obsolete nature of its weapons. Its four guns are 15 pounders, and should be replaced by newer pieces, preferably howitzers. As the draught animals are only ponies, fairly light pieces should be selected, for although the country is quite flat and the roads in the Settlement are good the guns might have to accompany the rest of the Corps in a short advance into Chinese territory, where there are no roads. Wagons are not needed, as ammunition (beyond what is carried in the limbers) can be brought up by motor cars. The machine guns are of very old patterns; those of the Maritime Company are 3-barrel Nordenfelts, further supplies of ammunition for which are apparently unobtainable. Carriages have been made locally for attaching one gun as a trailer to a motor car, and another as a side car to a motor bicycle, but these are not so efficient as modern armoured machine gun cars. One or two of the latter would be extremely useful, but the main thing to aim at is the replacement of all the existing guns by maxims.

The rifles are Lee-Metfords, and there are no Lewis guns: nor is there any web equipment.

The Engineer Company has a tool cart (man-handled) and can make trestle and other bridges: but in this country abounding with small streams it would be a good thing if they had at least two Weldon trestles with the standard patterns of baulks, chesses, etc. A pontoon and wagon might be useful too, but I am not sure that the Company could be increased sufficiently to handle it.

11. The Foreign Settlement of Shanghai is Cosmopolitan territory but its interests are predominantly British, and three-quarters of the officers and half the men of the Volunteer Corps are British, and it is therefore eminently desirable that all its equipment should be of the patterns in use in the British Army.

J. R. YOUNG,

*Colonel,*

*Chief Engineer, Forces in China.*

Hongkong, May 5, 1919.

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**Internal Peace Conference.**

Letter from Chu Chi-chien, Chief Northern Delegate, expressing appreciation on behalf of the Delegates for the courtesies extended by the Council to the Conference during its deliberations:—

Shanghai, May 22, 1919.

DEAR MR. PEARCE,—It is with keen regret that we are leaving Shanghai. During our sojourn here, things have been made very pleasant for us.

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On behalf of the peace delegates, I wish to express to you and through you to the other members of the Shanghai Municipal Council our appreciation and thanks for the many courtesies which have been extended to this Conference.

With expressions of high esteem,

Yours very sincerely,

CHU CHI-CHIEN.

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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## Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Miller Road.*—Arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. Fleming, Davies & Bryan for the surrender of the scheduled area of a piece of unregistered land north of Lot 1074 at the rate of the assessed value of the lot immediately opposite, Tls. 8,000 per mow plus 10 per cent., or Tls. 1,892 for Mow 0.215.

*Roads in the Western District.*—Surrenders have been arranged with Messrs. Moorhead & Halse of the areas required for road purposes, as under:—

| *Road* | *B.C. Lots* | *Area Mow* | *Compensation* |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bubbling Well | 6361 | 0.255 | Tls. 533 |
| do. | 6379 | 0.613 | 1,091 |
| do. | 6293 & 7182 | 0.591 | 1,301 |
| Great Western | 6361 | 0.072 | 150 |
| do. | 6379 | 0.087 | 158 |
| Yuyuen | 6375 | 0.319 | 1,318 |
| do. | 6483 | 0.195 | 430 |
| do. | 7184 | 0.098 | 241 |
| do. | 7196 | 0.053 | 142 |
| do. | 8228 | 0.187 | 329 |
| do. | 9202 | 0.184 | 320 |

## Sanitary Station.

Shanghai, May 6, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to hand you, enclosed, a Statement of Receipts and Payments in connexion with the Sanitary Station at Woosung for the March Quarter, 1919.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

The CHAIRMAN, Municipal Council.

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| RECEIPTS. | *Haikwan Taels* | |
|---|---|---|
| Balance from December Quarter 1918 | | — |
| *Foreign Municipal Council's Contribution | 1,346.50 | |
| French Municipal Council's Contribution | 471.27 | |
| Superintendent's Contribution | 2,693.00 | |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 98.75 | |
| Gain by Exchange | — | |
| †Interest on Mortgage A/c | 448.83 | |
| | | 5,058.35 |
| Total Receipts | | 5,058.35 |

| EXPENDITURE. | | |
|---|---|---|
| Salaries, Foreign Staff | 1,945.80 | |
| „ Chinese „ | 1,275.67 | |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 300.72 | |
| Maintenance Account | 132.47 | |
| Advertisements, Telegrams, etc. | — | |
| Coal and Stores for Tender | 1,311.22 | |
| Loss by Exchange | — | |
| Total Expenditure | 4,965.88 | |
| Balance due on December 31, 1918 | 10,081.53 | |
| | | 15,047.41 |
| Debit Balance on March 31, 1919 | | 9,989.06 |

*Received April 23 and accounted for March Quarter, 1919.

†Total interest received to date Hk. Tls. 1,346.49

Prepared by

J. STEINBERG,
*District Accountant.*

L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

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## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 161 | Kiukiang | S. J. Powell | | 1 | |
| 77A | Peking | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | lift tower |
| 889 | Boone | Yu Sung Hong Kee | | | block servants' quarters |
| 3316 | Baikal | Moorhead & Halse | | | |
| 2731 | Pingliang | Palmer & Turner | 1 | | wall |
| 2620 | Y'poo | J. E. Denham | | | car shed |
| 2426 | do. | New Engineering & Shipbuilding Works, Ld. | | | shed |
| Unreg. S of 3947 | Gordon | Shun Nih & Co. | | | 10 work-sheds, kitchen & latrine |
| 3520 | Markham | Yang Yuen Kee | | 1 | |
| 2894 | Seymour | China Realty Co., Ld. | 1 | | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| Unreg. E of 272 | Dixwell | Tsu Par Son | | | addns. |
| 1329 | E. Yalu, Kungping & Yochow | Fong Kwan Kee | 48 | | |
| 2970 2971 and 2925 | Y'poo | Moorhead & Halse | | | altns. |
| Unreg. W of 5455 | Ferry | LeeZangShing | 6 | | |
| Unreg. S of 3947 | Gordon | Shun Nih & Co. | 5 | | |
| 1626 | Manila | Sung King Kee | 12 | | |

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, May 25, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 24 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 4 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 160 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MAY 24.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to 1st Class Warder J. R. Vousden from June 10, 1919 to March 9, 1920, the date of expiry of his agreement, whereupon his service will terminate.

Sikh Constable No. 399, Sham Singh, is discharged, invalided, from May 19.

Long leave is granted to 1st Class Sergeant A. G. Long from June 5.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. W. J. McErlean, Clerical Assistant on probation, is permitted to terminate his service on May 31.

*Public Band.* — Messrs. C. Bakaleinikoff and V. Siroido are appointed temporarily as Musicians from May 5.

## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | June | 2 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | „ | 3 | 5.30 „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | „ | 4 | 5.30 „ | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | „ | 5 | 5.30 „ | „ |
| Fri. | „ | 6 | 5.30 „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. | „ | 7 | 4.30 „ | Public Recreation Ground |

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### Wayside Park.

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.

2.—The Park is opened daily to the Public from daylight to dusk.

3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.

4.—Horses, ponies, vehicles and bicycles are not admitted.

5.—Perambulators must be confined to the paths.

6.—Dogs are not admitted unless properly muzzled and led on leash.

7.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers or otherwise damaging the shrubs, plants or grass is strictly prohibited: visitors and other persons in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.

8.—Amahs in charge of children unaccompanied by adults, are not admitted to the Dutch Garden.

9.—Cricket, football, hockey, golf and similar games are not permitted.

10.—The positions of lawn tennis courts are arranged by the Superintendent. Persons using the courts are required to wear indiarubber soled boots or shoes.

11.—The Police have instructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, May 29, 1919.

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

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二、凡有信章者必須用本局承攬信章程之各項本文辦理

三、行文估定之後即由本局公開合人員知悉亦有恪遵承認

四、未有估定之後即由本局公開合人員知悉亦有恪遵承認

五、所有以後承攬之保證金必須繳納本局認可之銀行保證書

六、所有承攬人入各項工程之日起至完工之日止仍須負責任

清單費用須由承攬人繳納

信送來之前須送至江西路二十四號工部局面議

二時辦理之後即將該款一律退還

部局繳納之款一俟承攬人繳清後即將該款一律退還

面議承攬人在工部局面議後即將該款一律退還

塗寫其中必須用墨水書寫

所有承攬人必須繳納一定數目之保證金

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road** | | |
| 130 | 15,000 yards Khaki Drill | — | July 31 |
| 131 | 200 „ „ Cord | — | do. |
| 132 | 5,000 „ Blue Camlet<br>To be delivered on or before December 31, 1919. | — | do. |
| 133 | Convicts' Food, in the following quantities monthly, from July 1, 1919:—<br>Rice (Unpolished) (200-lb. per picul) 350 piculs<br>Wheat (133 „ „ ) 55 „<br>Beans, flat (133 „ „ ) 50 „<br>„ red (133 „ „ ) 40 „<br>For 3 or 6 months | — | June 16. Tenders should be accompanied by samples. |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund** | | |
| 498 | Supply of Cast Iron and Brass Castings | — | June 10 |
| 499 | „ Stores at Tungchow Road Workshops<br>For six months ending December 31, 1919 | — | do. |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road** | | |
| 186 | 90 3-phase Induction Motors<br>Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 26 |

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*(Translation.)*

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The Public should take note that all acts of intimidation are unlawful, and that anyone attempting by force or threat or other form of compulsion to interfere with any resident or merchant in the pursuit of his lawful business, or by force or threat or other form of compulsion to induce anyone to refrain from the exercise of his right to make use of, purchase, sell or deal in any goods, will on detection be arrested and punished as a law breaker.

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By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 19, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2622.**
*(Translation.)*

ON May 19, the Council issued a Proclamation notifying the Residents of this Settlement that all acts of intimidation are unlawful, and that anyone attempting by force or threat or other form of compulsion to interfere with any resident or merchant in the pursuit of his lawful business, or by force or threat or other form of compulsion to induce anyone to refrain from the exercise of his right to make use of, purchase, sell or deal in any goods, would on detection be arrested and punished as a lawbreaker. It is, therefore, a matter for regret that in contravention of this proclamation, certain persons have recently distributed handbills of an inflammatory character in connexion with the Boycott of Japanese goods, and have also exhibited flags bearing characters which furnish a direct incitement to disorder.

The distribution of such handbills and the exhibition of such flags cannot be tolerated, and the Public is hereby warned that any contravention of this Proclamation will be punished without the least leniency. The peace and good order of the Settlement must be maintained, and the Public should, therefore, take note and observe that handbills and flags must be of such a character as do not tend to cause unrest. Warning is duly given. Let all obey.

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N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
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Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2618.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Monday, June 2 and 9, 1919.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 22, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2620.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Municipal Loans will be closed from June 16, to June 30, both days inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 29, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2621.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Clerical Assistant in the Public Works Department.

Applications, in candidates' own handwriting, should state age, qualifications, etc., and should be forwarded together with copies of testimonials to the Acting Municipal Engineer, at the Offices of the Public Works Department, 7A The Bund, not later than June 14.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 29, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2623.**
*(Translation.)*

CHINESE holders of Debenture Certificates are hereby notified that in future payment of the half-yearly interest on Debentures will be made on presentation of Interest Warrants to the Offices of the Municipal Compradore, No. 7A. The Bund.

Production of Debenture Certificates is no longer required.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 5, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, June 4, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

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**Foreign Educational Committee.**

Mr. P. W. Massey has accepted the Council's invitation to serve on this Committee, in the place of Mr. J. W. C. Bonnar, resigned.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*Japanese Company.*—The resignation of Lieut. H. Kobayashi, has been forwarded by the Commandant and accepted by the Council with regret.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Fukien Road.*—The claim of Messrs. Hanson, McNeill, Jones & Wright has been accepted for widening this road ex Lot 547, at the assessed value Tls. 27,000 per mow, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, or Tls. 475 for Mow 0.016.

*Bubbling Well Road.*—The following claims have been accepted for the land required to carry out the scheduled widening of this road:—

| Cad. Lot. | Agent or Owner. | Area. Mow. | Compensation. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2420 | Hanson, McNeill, Jones & Wright | 0.155 | Tls. 682 |
| 2813 | Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. | 0.347 | 1,746 |
| 2814 | Mrs. F. Robinson | 0.321 | 1,646 |

*Yuyuen Road.*—Negotiations for the widening of this road ex the undermentioned lots have been concluded, details as follows:—

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| Lot. | Agent or Owner. | Area Mow | Compensation. |
|---|---|---|---|
| U.S. 2441 | Raven Trust Co., Ld. | 0.051 | Tls.102 |
| „ 2076 | S. A. Hardoon | 0.461 | 784 |
| B.C. 7194 | do | | |
| U.S. 2351 | China Realty Co., Ld. | 0.224 | 268 |

**Parks and Recreation Grounds.**

The application of Mr. C. E. Shepherd has been approved to cater for afternoon teas and refreshments during the summer season at the various Public Parks and Recreation Grounds, provided that no alcoholic beverages are supplied.

**Educational Department.**

*Summer Holidays.*—The dates of closing and re-opening the schools for the summer holidays have been fixed as follows:—

| | Closing | Opening |
|---|---|---|
| Public Schools | June 27 | September 8 |
| Thomas Hanbury Schools | „ | „ |
| Public Schools for Chinese | „ | „ |

**Public Schools.**

*St. Andrew's Bursary.*—The three bursaries, awarded on the results of a competitive examination, have been won by pupils of the schools as follows:—

1st bursary, value $100 by Anna Pearson. Public School for Girls.
2nd bursary, value $60 by J. Milligan. Public School for Boys.
3rd bursary, value $40 by C. Duncan. Public School for Boys.

**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, June 1, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 7 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 22 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 4 | 1 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 1 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 4 | 165 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MAY 31.

*Police Force.*—The service of Cadet F. L. Wainwright, who proceeded on war service, has terminated.

Long leave is granted under special circumstances, to Chief Inspector C. Dewing, from September 1.

1st Class Sergeant J. Colter is permitted to terminate his service on May 31.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Nurse C. Hutton from June 9.

*Electricity Department.*—Meter Inspector T. Murphy, returned from war service, resumed duty on May 26.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. C. W. Malcolm (*nee* Stevens), Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is permitted to terminate her service on September 29, the date of expiry of her agreement.

Miss G. Meech, Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, is permitted to terminate her service on August 31, the date of expiry of her agreement.

Miss L. Hiron, temporary Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, is permitted to terminate her service on June 15

**Public Band.**

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | June 9 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | „ 10 | 5.30 „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | „ 11 | 5.30 „ | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | „ 12 | 5.30 „ | „ |
| Fri. | „ 13 | 5.30 „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. | „ 14 | 4.30 „ | Public Recreation Ground |

*Band Tariff.*—The Council has sanctioned minor alterations in the tariff of charges for the Band, the chief modification being that in future one free rehearsal will be allowed only in cases of engagement of the full or half-Band, all other rehearsals being charged for at one-third the tariff rate, instead of one-half as heretofore; that discounts shall be allowed only on engagements of the full and half Band, and shall be 20 per cent. after three performances and 40 per cent. after eight performances during a season, and that the double rates charged for performances on Sundays, or for marching, be abolished.

Details of the revised Band tariff are as under:—

The charge for the services of the Band is Tls. 40, and of a Half-Band, consisting of not less than three European and twelve Manila musicians, Tls. 25 per hour or part of an hour.

The services of a smaller number of musicians may be engaged at the rate per hour or part thereof of Tls. 3 for European, and Tls. 1.50 for Manila musicians. In a group numbering less than a Half-Band, the following charge is made for the services of the piano player:—

| per hour or part thereof | |
|---|---|
| European | Manilaman |
| Tls. 1.50 | Tls. 1.00 |

Where not less than a Half-Band is engaged, one rehearsal is permitted without fee, all other rehearsals are charged for at one-third of the above rates.

For the services of a soloist an additional fee of Tls. 25 is charged, inclusive of such rehearsals as are necessary.

Discounts during a season shall be allowed on Full and Half-Bands as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| after 3 performances | 20% |
| „ 8 „ | 40% |

Discounts are not allowed on groups of less than a Half-Band or on rehearsals.

The cost of conveyance of musicians for distances beyond a radius of 1 mile from the Municipal Offices, Kiangse Road, must be defrayed by the persons engaging them.

The European musicians are allowed to give private music lessons, with the Conductor's permission obtained in each case.

Applications for engagements and cancellations should be addressed to the Assistant Secretary of Council, Municipal Offices, not less than 24 hours notice should be given in each case. Inquiries concerning details as to performances, music required, etc., may be made of the Conductor direct (Telephone North 175).

**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 670 | E. Seward | Zen Kee | | | addns. to wall |
| 2400 | Y'poo | G. Ohara | | 2 | |
| 4708 | Macao | Nagai Wats Kaisha | | | shed |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 700 | Avenue Edward VII | Zee Shan Kee | | | addns. |
| 539 | Canton | Yang Ven Yuen | | | altns. |
| 496 | Fokien | Yue Ping | | | addns. |
| 291 | Kingloong-ka | T. J. Pie | | | addns. |
| 452B and 452C | Peking | Lien Shing Kee | 34 | | |
| Unreg. W of 820 | Singkeipang | Chow Ven Ching | 2 | | |
| Unreg. E of 6656 | Y'poo | Tsin Kee | 7 | | |
| 4370 and Unreg. E of 4370 | Markham | Zee Hai Doo | 8 | 1 | |
| Unreg. W of 4313 | Markham | Zee Shan Kee | 6 | | |

**Fire Brigade Report for April.**

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 31, as against 26 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 26,675 (Foreign, Tls. 100; Chinese, Tls. 26,575), as against Tls. 16,600 (Foreign, Tls. 6,200; Chinese, Tls. 10,400) during April 1918. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 1,147,200 (Foreign, Tls. 1,000,000; Chinese, Tls. 147,200), as against Tls. 1,010,000 (Foreign, Tls. 735,000; Chinese, Tls. 275,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Watch Towers 14, Telephones 12, Street Alarms 3, Police 1, Messenger 1 and a Member of the Brigade 1.

The general alarm was given on 9 occasions, the remaining 22 being station calls.

These calls proved to be 1 medium, 19 small fires, 8 false alarms and 4 fires outside the Settlement.

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The supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Dropped match or cigarette end | 4 |
| Lamp upset | 3 |
| Sparks from chimney | 2 |
| Embers from stove | 2 |
| Defective flue | 1 |
| Ghee overboiling | 1 |
| Child playing with matches | 1 |
| Spontaneous combustion | 1 |
| Unknown | 4 |

The premises affected were:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Foreign buildings | 1 |
| Chinese buildings | 35 |

Of these five houses were destroyed by fire, and twenty-four others were more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The water used at fires during the month was 210,210 gallons.

The Brigade was occupied 19 hours and 35 minutes at fires, or supposed fires, and the Staff was employed for a further 142 hours watching and damping down.

The fires of note during the month were:—

*O 395 off Kiukiang Road, April 9, at 8.09 p.m.*—A call was received to Kiukiang and Shanse Roads, and on arrival a large silk hong was found to be well alight on the upper floor. Nos. 1 and 4 Companies got a number of jets to work from hydrants on Kiukiang and Hankow Roads respectively. The fire was in a very congested block and at one time it looked as if the building to the west would be involved, however No. 2 Company got extra jets to work, and after about half-an-hour's work the fire was stopped in every direction. No. O 395 was very badly damaged and two other houses were slightly damaged.

*Chapei, April 20, at 5.40 p.m.*—Sinza Watch Tower reported a fire in the direction of Chengtu Road and Soochow Creek. It was found to be in Chapei west of Markham Road, where a large contractor's yard was in flames on the east side, and burning furiously before a very stiff south-easterly wind. The Chapei Brigade were at work, but as the conflagration was spreading rapidly the Chief Officer decided to render assistance. A line of hose was laid to the fire (over 1,000 feet) and a pump got to work from the creek and the blaze tackled in the centre of the yard. Another long line of hose was laid to a large block of buildings to the north, two or three of which were already well alight. At a critical time the water in the creek had receded to such an extent that the pumps became choked with mud, one of which was quickly taken round to Tatung Road and two lines of hose laid across the creek to supply the other pump. The fire was a very severe one to deal with, especially due to the smoke. After nearly five hours' work the Brigade was able to make up leaving the Chapei Brigade still at work. Nearly 7,000 feet of hose was laid at this fire. About one-third of the yard, nine houses and a number of huts were destroyed.

M. W. PETT,
*Chief Officer.*

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call: Time of | Call: How received | Alarm given | Locality | District: Municipal | District: Fire | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire: Brigade | Time at fire: Staff | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| April 2 | 3.09 a.m. | Telephone | General | X 618 off N. Shanse Rd | Northern | 8 | Chinese Dwelling | 2 damaged | 1 hour | 14 hours | |
| 2 | 6.49 p.m. | " | Station | F 18 Chili Rd. | Central | 3 | Chinese Shop | | 20 minutes | 2 " | |
| 3 | 10.29 a.m. | " | " | Uu 25 Ching Yuen Lee | " | 3 | Chinese Dwelling | | 15 " | 1 " | |
| 5 | 1.52 a.m. | " | General | B 241 Sinza Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | 3 damaged | 55 " | 14 " | |
| 5 | 4.23 a.m. | " | Station | Honan and Tientsin Rds. | Central | 3 | | | 10 " | | False alarm |
| 6 | 4.12 p.m. | Street Alarm | " | E. Broadway & Dent Rds. | Eastern | 1 | | | 25 " | | do. |
| 6 | 6.58 p.m. | Police Box No. 2 | " | J 783 off Avenue Edward VII | Central | 5 | Chinese Dwelling | | 20 " | 2 hours | |
| 7 | 1.35 a.m. | Central Tower | " | Rue du Moulin | Outside | | | | 30 " | | |
| 8 | 6.20 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Dixwell Road | Eastern | 1 | | | 15 " | | Open space |
| 9 | 8.09 p.m. | Member of Brigade | General | O 395 off Kiukiang Road | Central | 4 | Chinese Hong | 4 damaged | 1 hour | 22 hours | One man injured |
| 10 | 2.32 p.m. | Telephone | Station | Chapei | Outside | | | | 1 " | | |
| 11 | 3.12 a.m. | " | General | G 393 Fokien Road | Central | 6 | Chinese Shop | 1 " | 50 minutes | 10 hours | |
| 11 | 11.10 a.m. | Central Tower | " | Pp 34 Woo Foo Loong | " | 3 | " | 2 " | 50 " | 7 " | |
| 11 | 2.19 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | Station | N. Honan & Haining Rds. | Northern | 8 | | | 15 " | | False alarm |
| 11 | 4.27 p.m. | Sinza Tower | General | B 1759/60 Sinza Road | Western | 7 | " | 1 " | 1 hour | 22 hours | |
| 13 | 10.21 a.m. | " | Station | Sinza & Markham Rds. | " | 7 | | | 15 minutes | | False alarm |
| 15 | 3.57 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | General | A 1070A off E. Broadway | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Godown | 1 destroyed 4 damaged | 70 " | 12 hours | |
| 16 | 2.53 a.m. | " | Station | Paoshan | Outside | | | | 10 " | | |
| 20 | 3.44 p.m. | Telephone | " | off Dalny Rd. | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Huts | 4 destroyed | 40 " | 2 hours | One woman injured |
| 20 | 5.40 p.m. | Sinza Tower | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | 4 hrs. and 45 minutes | | |
| 22 | 7.41 p.m. | Telephone | " | Eb 69 off Sawgin Rd. | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shop | | 20 " | 1 hour | |
| 23 | 3.01 p.m. | Street Alarm | General | Jb 103 Poo Woo Lee | " | 1 | " | 3 damaged | 40 " | 21 hours | |
| 23 | 4.42 p.m. | " | Station | Sinza & Markham Rds. | Western | 7 | | | 10 " | | False alarm |
| 24 | 7.41 p.m. | Central Tower | " | Lloyd/Chefoo Rds. | Central | 6 | | | 15 " | | do. |
| 25 | 1.55 a.m. | Sinza Tower | General | Pp 848 off Tatung Rd. | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | 3 damaged | 30 " | 8 hours | |
| 27 | 9.10 a.m. | Telephone | Station | 7 Whangpoo Road | Northern | 2 | Foreign Hotel | 1 " | — | 4 " | |
| 27 | 3.10 p.m. | Messenger | " | Ii 5 off Tamsui Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | 20 minutes | | |
| 28 | 1.07 p.m. | Telephone | " | J 3032 off East Seward Rd. | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Godown | | 15 " | | |
| 28 | 9.53 p.m. | Central Tower | " | Nanking Rd. | Central | 5 | | | 15 " | | False alarm |
| 29 | 8.11 p.m. | Sinza Tower | " | Markham & Gordon Rds. | Western | 7 | | | 30 " | | do. |
| 30 | 9.27 p.m. | Telephone | " | Eb 1037 off Sawgin Rd. | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | | 15 " | | |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 本局有保留全部承攬權利

三 凡有人願承攬者須用本局之信封將其姓名人數及所承攬之工項開列於下

四 本局有權不承攬最低價之承攬人

五 本局有權取消其承攬之保證金

六 所有承攬人到局之後須立即繳納一定之保證金

本局有權將其所繳之保證金沒收

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2617.**

(*Translation.*)

IT has been brought to the Council's attention, that recently certain handbills and pamphlets have been printed and distributed by certain persons with a view to bringing unlawful pressure upon Chinese merchants and residents in the Settlement, to refrain from purchasing, selling or dealing in Japanese goods, thus tending to cause unrest and threatening the peace and good order of the Settlement.

The Public should take note that all acts of intimidation are unlawful, and that anyone attempting by force or threat or other form of compulsion to interfere with any resident or merchant in the pursuit of his lawful business, or by force or threat or other form of compulsion to induce anyone to refrain from the exercise of his right to make use of, purchase, sell or deal in any goods, will on detection be arrested and punished as a law breaker.

If anyone attempts to intimidate any resident or merchant, immediate information should be given by the concerned to the nearest Police Station, with a statement of the circumstances in detail, whereupon his assailant will forthwith be arrested and the case brought before the Mixed Court, or the Court of the party concerned for investigation and severe punishment without the least leniency. Warning is duly given. Let all obey.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, May 19, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2622.**

(*Translation.*)

ON May 19, the Council issued a Proclamation notifying the Residents of this Settlement that all acts of intimidation are unlawful, and that anyone attempting by force or threat or other form of compulsion to interfere with any resident or merchant in the pursuit of his lawful business, or by force or threat or other form of compulsion to induce anyone to refrain from the exercise of his right to make use of, purchase, sell or deal in any goods, would on detection be arrested and punished as a lawbreaker. It is, therefore, a matter for regret that in contravention of this proclamation, certain persons have recently distributed handbills of an inflammatory character in connexion with the Boycott of Japanese goods, and have also exhibited flags bearing characters which furnish a direct incitement to disorder.

The distribution of such handbills and the exhibition of such flags cannot be tolerated, and the Public is hereby warned that any contravention of this Proclamation will be punished without the least leniency. The peace and good order of the Settlement must be maintained, and the Public should, therefore, take note and observe that handbills and flags must be of such a character as do not tend to cause unrest. Warning is duly given. Let all obey.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, June 5, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2624.**

(*Translation.*)

TAKING advantage of the campaign to secure the Boycott of Japanese goods, agitators and disorderly persons, who have no concern for the welfare of China, or of the residents of this Settlement, are endeavouring to foment trouble to suit their own ends preying upon peaceful merchants and residents.

It has therefore become necessary for the Council to take drastic action to preserve the peace and good order of the Settlement and to protect peaceful residents and merchants from the violence of such disorderly persons.

Warning is accordingly given:

1.—That the distribution of handbills of an inflammatory character and the exhibition of flags bearing characters which furnish a direct incitement to disorder, are prohibited. Contravention of this prohibition will be punished without the least leniency.

2.—That no credence should be given to rumours which are designed to stir up animosity and foment trouble. Several such rumours have been brought to the notice of the Council and upon investigation, have been found to be utterly baseless. The authors of, and those spreading such rumours will, upon detection, be punished without the least leniency.

3.—That the assembling of crowds in the streets of the Settlement will not be permitted. Those who have no legitimate business to attend to should not loiter on the streets or mix with the agitators and loafers who are bent on provoking trouble. During the evenings all peaceful residents should remain at Home. The Council will not be responsible for any injury or damage that may be sustained by any person contravening this order and advice.

Shopkeepers and merchants are advised to re-open to public business and in case of any intimidation to enforce the closing of their shops or places of business to report the same immediately to the nearest Police Station with a statement of the circumstances in detail, whereupon their assailants will be arrested and brought before the Court and severely punished without the least leniency.

Warning is duly given. Let all obey.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, June 6, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2625**

(*Translation.*)

FOR the better preservation of the peace and good order of the Settlement and for the protection of all peaceful residents, Warning is hereby issued by the Council as follows:—

1.—No person unless a Consular Officer or a member of the naval or military forces of any Treaty Power or unless duly authorised by the Council shall, under any pretence whatsoever, appear in the streets or in any public place, in uniform or wearing any distinctive dress or badge or headgear signifying membership of any particular organization, association or body.

2.—No person shall, under any pretence whatsoever, carry any flag or banner or wear any sash or other device in the streets or in any public place, bearing any inscription in Chinese or in any Foreign language.

Any person contravening any of the terms of this warning or interfering with the Police or other duly authorized officers of the Council, engaged in the maintenance of peace and good order or usurping the authority vested in them or otherwise guilty of any action whatsoever prejudicial to peace and good order, will be arrested forthwith and taken before the proper authorities for punishment without the least leniency.

This warning will take effect from 4 p.m. Monday, June 9, whereafter compliance with its terms will be enforced with the utmost rigour.

Warning is duly given. Let all obey.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, June 8, 1919.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2602.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2620.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Municipal Loans will be closed from June 16, to June 30, both days inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 29, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2621.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Clerical Assistant in the Public Works Department.

Applications, in candidates' own handwriting, should state age, qualifications, etc., and should be forwarded together with copies of testimonials to the Acting Municipal Engineer, at the Offices of the Public Works Department, 7a The Bund, not later than June 14.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 29, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2623.**

*(Translation.)*

CHINESE holders of Debenture Certificates are hereby notified that in future payment of the half-yearly interest on Debentures will be made on presentation of Interest Warrants to the Offices of the Municipal Compradore, No. 7A The Bund.

Production of Debenture Certificates is no longer required.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 5, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2626**

**HONGKEW RECREATION GROUND.**

OWING to the public demand for the use of the space available for the playing of games, it has been decided, in lieu of the "First come first served" practice, to call for applications by those desiring playing space, whereafter allocation will be made and notification will be issued as to what arrangements are feasible.

All persons desiring such playing space should form themselves into groups or associations of whom one person shall be considered to be the representative.

Each application should contain the following information:—

1.—Name of group, club or association.
2.—Name of Chairman or President.
3.—Name and address of Secretary.
4.—Number of members.
5.—Space applied for.
6.—Number of months and days per month and approximately the hours during which it is desired to make use of the space applied for.
7.—Whether willing to share with another club or group, to play alternately, in case applications are found to exceed the space available.

Applications in writing should be made to Mr. R. Ross, c/o Shanghai Public School, on or before Saturday, June 21, 1919, after which date playing spaces will be allotted for the current season.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 12, 1919.

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AT the special meeting of the Watch Committee held on Thursday, June 5, 1919, at 11.30 a.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. Ed. White *(Chairman)*
H. A. J. Macray
E. C. Pearce

*Absent:*
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 12 o'clock, noon

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AT the special meeting of the Watch Committee held on Friday, June 6, 1919, at 10.45 a.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. Ed. White *(Chairman)*
H. A. J. Macray
A. Brooke Smith
E. C. Pearce

The meeting adjourned at 11.25 a.m.

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AT the meeting of the Health Committee held on Saturday, June 7, 1919, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. Ed. White *(Chairman)*
J. W. Jackson
H. A. J. Macray
R. J. Marshall

*Absent:*
Mr. S. J. Halse

The meeting adjourned at 12.50 p.m.

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AT the special meeting of the Council held on Sunday, June 8, 1919, at 3 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

*Absent:*
Messrs. C. M. Bain
T. Ibukiyama

The meeting adjourned at 4.30 p.m.

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AT the special meeting of the Council held on Sunday, June 8, 1919, at 9.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 10.45 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, June 11, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 6.35 p.m.

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### Volunteer Corps.

*Medical Staff.*—Nine months leave is granted to Capt. W. B. Billinghurst, from June 14

### Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | June 16 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | ,, 17 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | ,, 18 | 5.30 ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | ,, 19 | 5.30 ,, | ,, |
| Fri. | ,, 20 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. | ,, 21 | 5.30 ,, | Public Recreation Ground |

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**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, June 8, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 23 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 0 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 154 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 2426 | Y'poo | New Engineering & Shipbuilding Works, Ld. | | | shed |
| 3263 | Avenue | Shun Nih & Co. | 1 | | |
| 238 | B'bling Well | Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| 4180 | Gordon | Nagai Wata Kaisha | 12 | | |
| 3102 | Medhurst | H. M. Cumine | | | block servants' quarters |
| Unreg. N of 2160 | Yates | Wong Koh An | | | workshed |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 178 | Honan | Wong Kor Sung | | | addns. |
| 609 | Tsungming | Chun Wei Ping | | | addns. |
| Unreg. E of 5180 | Rangoon & Lay | Kung Yue | 2 | | |
| 1086 | Avenue | Brandt & Rodgers | 18 | | |
| Unreg. W of 2755 | Yuyuen | Zee Shan Kee | | | addns. |

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JUNE 7.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to 1st class Sergeant B J Selvey from September 17, 1919 to June 16, 1920, the date of expiry of his agreement, whereupon his service will terminate.

*Fire Brigade.*—Mr. J. Donald is appointed Recruit Fireman on probation from May 14.

*Health Department.*—Mr. J. R. Gregory is appointed Inspector on probation from June 9.

*Public Works Department.*—Assistant Inspector A. T. Kriger is promoted to be Inspector from June 1.

*Educational Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. L. C. Healey, Acting Headmaster, Public School for Chinese, from June 27

Mrs. L. Kershaw, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Chinese, is permitted to terminate her service on July 31.

**Engineer's Report for May.**

The shortage of labour necessary for the expeditious carrying out of Public Works is being felt somewhat more than usual this year. The procedure with the bulk of the Departmental Outdoor Works is, of necessity, delayed until the Budget has been duly passed and this means that their commencement in April synchronizes with an exodus to the country of a fair proportion of the labour. A number of works are now being delayed, the additional number of coolies that the Department could employ daily being about 700 over and above that available.

The method of haulage by means of motor lorries in place of the old-fashioned Chinese wheelbarrows, and which was adopted by the Department *in extenso* some two months ago has proved very successful. It is an improvement on the old method from the points of view of cost, rapidity, wear and tear on roads, and reliability. Under the old arrangement, the haulage by wheelbarrows was carried out under contract and it had been found that for some time past, the contract supply could not meet the demand. Two contracts were cancelled in the early part of the year on this account and it was then decided to adopt in general the new system, the experience gained as regards this justifying the change.

*Roads.*—Asphaltic concrete has been laid on the south side of Broadway East from Hwakee Road to Chaoufoong Road, adjoining the recently widened section of this road.

Asphaltic concrete is being laid in Jinkee Road from The Bund to Szechuen Road and the footpaths have been raised and relaid.

The making up of Lay Road from Yangtszepoo Road to the River Front has been completed.

The making up of Tongshan Road for its full width from Dent Road to Kungping Road has been completed.

The ballasting and metalling of a 12 feet wide strip of Yochow Road from the end of the existing metalling east of Chaoufoong Road to east of Kungping Road has been completed.

The following roads are being surface treated:—

With Asphaltum:—

Quinsan Road from North Szechuen Road to Woosung Road.

North Szechuen Road from North Soochow Road to Railway Crossing.

Avenue Edward VII from Rue Vouillemont to Rue Wagner.

Great Western Road from Chungking Road to Yates Road, and from Seymour Road to Hardoon Road.

Hardoon Road from Great Western Road to Bubbling Well Road.

Yangtszepoo Road from Lay Road to Liping Road.

Siccawei Road from Edinburgh Road to Avenue Joffre.

Gordon Road from Connaught Road to Ichang Road.

Edinburgh Road from Siccawei Road to Brenan Road.

Chaoufoong Road from Broadway East to East Yuhang Road.

East Yuhang Road from Chaoufoong Road to Singkeipang Road.

Tungchow Road from East Yuhang Road to East Yalu Road.

Urga Road from East Yalu Road to Sawgin Road.

Mohawk Road from Bubbling Well Road to Weihaiwei Road.

Kiaochow Road from Connaught Road to Robison Road.

Connaught Road from Hart Road to Gordon Road.

With desiccated tar:—

Pingliang Road from Lay Road to Liping Road.

*Bridges.*—Extensive repairs are being carried out on Szechuen Road, Fokien Road and Yalu Road Bridges.

*Bundings.*—A concrete bunding is being constructed by direct labour at Wenchow Road to replace the existing decayed timber one

A concrete bunding is being constructed under contract in Dixwell Road between Broadway East and East Seward Road.

*Jetties.*—Extensive repairs are being carried out on Chinwangtao Road, Fearon Road and Keecheong Road Jetties.

*Drainage.*—The culverting of the Bubbling Well Road Creek from Hart Road to Siccawei Road is approaching completion.

The reconstruction of the defective sewer in Peking Road has been completed from Fokien Road to Chekiang Road and work is now proceeding west of Chekiang Road.

*Central Offices.*—The steel casements have been fixed to all openings of the back elevation, and also to the ground floor windows on the main facades, and glazing of these casements is proceeding.

The stonework in connexion with the extensions on the third floor is well in hand.

*Gaol Cell Blocks.*—The cell door locks which arrived recently are being fixed.

*Isolation Hospital — Discharge Block.*—The finishing off generally is proceeding, and the electrical work is completed.

*East Block.*—The various alterations are completed, and cupboards, etc. are being fixed. Electric radiators have been installed in bath-rooms and duty rooms.

*Painting.*—Tenders for painting at the various schools have been accepted, and the work will commence immediately upon the commencement of the summer vacation.

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*Riverside Power Station.*—More than one-half of the total number of necessary piles for the foundations for the New Turbine House have been driven.

The east side of the temporary shed has been closed in with a brick wall with the necessary windows and doors, and the building partitioned with brick walls to accommodate the several purposes for which the building is to be used.

245 feet of 2-ft. 3-in. by 1-ft. 6-in. egg-shaped pipe, and 125-ft. of 9-in. diam. pipe have been laid to take the drainage from the foreign quarters.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—813 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected cartloads | 4,484 |
| Used for raising land | 848 |
| Water used for street watering | 7,995,600 gallons |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows :—

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|---|---|
| Coolies | 3,135 |
| Foremen | 239 |
| Artisans | 502 |
| Mafoos | 159 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

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|---|---|---|
| Hand made | 11,022 | pieces |
| Machine made | 2,690 | ,, |
| Total | 13,712 | ,, |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 17 admissions during the month.

*New Buildings.*

| *Description of Work.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 297 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 83 |
| Plans approved | 54 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,941 |
| Boundary walls erected | 946 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadway | 46 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 1,311 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 2 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 29 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 40 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction, the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

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|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by Public Works Department | |
| First intimation notices issued | 2 |
| Total | 2 |

*Survey Work.*

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|---|---|
| Official measurements of New Lots | |
| Boundary Stone Certificates Issued | |
| Consular Lots Surveyed | |
| Official plans prepared | |
| Re-survey of Settlement, Mow Surveyed | 1 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, Mow Plotted | |
| Surveys made in connexon with Road Widenings and/or Extensions | |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or Waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | |

M. C. R. Stones have been erect as follows :—

Central District
Eastern ,,
Western ,,

C. HARPUR,
*Acting Engineer & Surveyo*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENT

**CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.**

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council. 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

**工部局承攬信章程**

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2617.**
*(Translation.)*

IT has been brought to the Council's attention, that recently certain handbills and pamphlets have been printed and distributed by certain persons with a view to bringing unlawful pressure upon Chinese merchants and residents in the Settlement, to refrain from purchasing, selling or dealing in Japanese goods, thus tending to cause unrest and threatening the peace and good order of the Settlement.

The Public should take note that all acts of intimidation are unlawful, and that anyone attempting by force or threat or other form of compulsion to interfere with any resident or merchant in the pursuit of his lawful business, or by force or threat or other form of compulsion to induce anyone to refrain from the exercise of his right to make use of, purchase, sell or deal in any goods, will on detection be arrested and punished as a law breaker.

If anyone attempts to intimidate any resident or merchant, immediate information should be given by the concerned to the nearest Police Station, with a statement of the circumstances in detail, whereupon his assailant will forthwith be arrested and the case brought before the Mixed Court, or the Court of the party concerned for investigation and severe punishment without the least leniency. Warning is duly given. Let all obey.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 19, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2627.**
*(Translation.)*

FALSE and malicious rumours regarding the poisoning of water and food stuffs have been set afloat with the view of inciting national hatred. As a result several innocent persons including a number of Chinese have been assaulted and in one instance a Chinese citizen was murdered.

Warning is hereby issued that no credence must be given to these stories which have been investigated and which have been proved to be slanderous and without foundation.

Any person found spreading such rumours will be arrested and severely punished.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2602.**
**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**
**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2620.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Municipal Loans will be closed from June 16, to June 30, both days inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 29, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2623.**
*(Translation.)*

CHINESE holders of Debenture Certificates are hereby notified that in future payment of the half-yearly interest on Debentures will be made on presentation of Interest Warrants to the Offices of the Municipal Compradore, No. 7A The Bund

Production of Debenture Certificates is no longer required.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 5, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2626**
**HONGKEW RECREATION GROUND.**

OWING to the public demand for the use of the space available for the playing of games, it has been decided, in lieu of the "First come first served" practice, to call for applications by those desiring playing space, whereafter allocation will be made and notification will be issued as to what arrangements are feasible.

All persons desiring such playing space should form themselves into groups or associations of whom one person shall be considered to be the representative.

Each application should contain the following information:—

1.—Name of group, club or association.
2.—Name of Chairman or President.
3.—Name and address of Secretary.
4.—Number of members.
5.—Space applied for.
6.—Number of months and days per month and approximately the hours during which it is desired to make use of the space applied for.
7.—Whether willing to share with another club or group, to play alternately, in case applications are found to exceed the space available.

Applications in writing should be made to Mr. R. Ross, c/o Shanghai Public School, on or before Saturday, June 21, 1919, after which date playing spaces will be allotted for the current season.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2628.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Tuesday and Wednesday, July 1 and 2, 1919.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 19, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Tuesday, June 10, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. W. Burkill (*Chairman*)
W. L. Merriman
S. B. Neill
P. Peebles
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Watch Committee held on Monday, June 16, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. Ed. White (*Chairman*)
H. A. J. Macray
A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock p.m.

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AT the special meeting of the Finance Committee held on Tuesday, June 17, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
J. H. Dollar
T. Ibukiyama
W. L. Merriman
Ed. White
P. Peebles

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, June 18, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 6.55 p.m.

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### Local Unrest.

Letters to the Captain-Superintendent of Police and the Commandant of Volunteers conveying the Council's appreciation of the services rendered by the members of the Force and Corps respectively, during the period of unrest attending the recent strike of Chinese Students:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 18, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that the members of the Watch Committee and of the Council have recorded their appreciation and commendation of the effective manner in which the Police handled the unrest attending the recent strike of Chinese Students, which ultimately extended to the commercial and labouring classes of the Chinese Community.

The tact, restraint, courage and resource displayed by all ranks throughout this trying period have evoked the most favourable comment and, in the members' opinion, they reflect the greatest credit on the organisation and discipline of the Force as a whole. That the period of unrest passed off with so few casualties is due, in a large measure, to the exhibition of these admirable qualities whilst the protection of numerous residents and the maintenance inviolate of law and order in the Settlement were being enforced.

I am, accordingly, directed to request that you will accept and convey to all ranks and to all branches, including the "Specials" whose assistance was invaluable, an expression of the members' deep appreciation of the services rendered throughout the period in question.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

K. J. McEuen, Esq.,
Captain Superintendent of Police.

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 18, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that the services rendered by the Corps during the period of unrest which attended the recent strike of Chinese Students has been the subject of expressions of unreserved appreciation and commendation, by the members of the Watch Committee and Council. In members' opinion the prompt and effective manner in which all Units carried out the various duties assigned to them under the most trying circumstances, reflects the highest credit on them.

I am, accordingly, to request that you will accept and convey to all ranks under your command the members' sincere appreciation of the services rendered throughout the period in question.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Major T. E. TRUEMAN,
Commandant of Volunteers.

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### Police Force.

Correspondence with the United Services Association (Shanghai) on the subject of the formation of a Defence Company of returned British officers and men:—

Shanghai, June 11, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that at a meeting of the Committee of the United Services Association held this evening, the question of forming a Defence Company of returned British officers and men was discussed.

The feeling of the meeting was strongly in favour of the formation of a Company or similar organization to act under the orders of the Captain Superintendent of Police in time of emergency. It was understood that the Volunteer strength had in recent months been very considerably decreased, and I am requested to inquire whether the Council would be willing to equip a unit of the above character in order to assist in the protection of foreign interests in Shanghai

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. HILTON JOHNSON,
*Chairman,*
*The United Services Association.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, June 12, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of June 11, enquiring whether the Council would be willing to equip an emergency unit of returned British officers and men to act under the orders of the Captain Superintendent of Police in assisting in the protection of foreign interests in Shanghai, and in reply to inform you that the Council will gladly equip a unit of this character, and that it much appreciates the public spirit of your Association in thus offering its services to the Community.

I am to suggest that the details of organization and equipment should be the subject of discussion between your Committee and the Captain Superintendent of Police, so that the latter may report fully for the Council's consideration and final approval.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman*

Major A. HILTON JOHNSON,
Chairman,
The United Services Association.

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### Ricsha Shelters.

Correspondence with Mr. G. Matheson on the subject of the provision of shelters for ricsha coolies:—

Shanghai, May 28, 1919.

SIR,—I venture to approach you in reference to the railed ricsha stands in the Settlement, more especially those on the Bund between the Shanghai Club and the Palace Hotel and North Soochow Road. Said stands are undoubtedly advantageous in preventing indiscriminate wandering by the coolies, and besides the advantage to the public of knowing when ricshas are always to be found, but being when not running confined to his stand, the ricsha puller is unable to avail himself of any shelter from weather conditions, which otherwise he might obtain, so must often suffer severely from lack of shelter. Therefore, Sir, I venture to suggest that it would be a beneficial and kindly act on the part of the Council to roof the various ricsha stands in a similar manner to those of the Tramcars, adding if space permitted as I think it would, a narrow shelf bench along the rail on which the coolie might rest in preference to sitting on his ricsha shafts. Also with the permission of the Council, the Ricsha Mission would be pleased to set up tea kongs at each stand, during the hot weather.

Trusting this appeal may have your favourable consideration.

I am, Sir,
Yours faithfully,
GEORGE MATHESON,
*Founder & Hon-Director.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, June 10, 1919

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 28, and, in reply, to inform you that the Council has approved the suggested provision of shelters for ricsha coolies by the erection of roofs at the various stands in the Settlement, with the addition of narrow shelf benches along the rails to serve as rests for the coolies.

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I am also to state that these structures will be erected as soon as possible except in the case of the stands on The Bund and Bubbling Well Road, the erection of which will be deferred until certain road improvements to be effected in the near future have been completed.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

G. MATHESON, Esq.

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Shanghai, June 12, 1919.

SIR,—I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 10th instant, in reply to my application of May 28, to the Council requesting that the various ricsha stands in the Settlement be roofed, and supplied with seats in the shape of narrow shelf benches, for the benefit of the coolies.

I note with pleasure, and sincere thanks to the Council, that the Council has approved the suggested provision of shelters for ricsha coolies by the erection of roofs at the various stands in the Settlement, with the addition of narrow shelf benches along the rails to serve as rests for the coolies, and that said erections will be proceeded with as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully,
GEORGE MATHESON.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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## Road Extensions and Widenings.

*North Shanse Road, and Surplus Land.*—Arrangements have been concluded for the purchase from the Chinese owner of a piece of unregistered land on the line of the North Shanse Road south of Tsepoo Road, at the rate of Tls. 8,000 per mow for the surplus land, and Tls. 4,000 per mow for the roadland, or a sum of Tls. 3,324 for Mow 0.722 The piece of surplus land measures Mow 0.109.

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## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, June 15, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 18 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 3 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 134 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | June 23 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | „ 24 | 5.30 | „ Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | „ 25 | 5.30 | „ Public Garden |
| Thurs. | „ 26 | 5.30 | „ „ |
| Fri. | „ 27 | 5.30 | „ Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. | „ 28 | 5.30 | „ Public Recreation Ground |

*Band Tariff.*—The Council has sanctioned minor alterations in the tariff of charges for the Band, the chief modification being that in future one free rehearsal will be allowed only in cases of engagement of the full or half-Band, all other rehearsals being charged for at one-third the tariff rate, instead of one-half as heretofore; that discounts shall be allowed only on engagements of the full and half Band, and shall be 20 per cent. after three performances and 40 per cent. after eight performances during a season, and that the double rates charged for performances on Sundays, or for marching, be abolished.

Details of the revised Band tariff are as under:—

The charge for the services of the Band is Tls. 40, and of a Half-Band, consisting of not less than three European and twelve Manila musicians, Tls. 25 per hour or part of an hour.

The services of a smaller number of musicians may be engaged at the rate per hour or part thereof of Tls. 3 for European, and Tls. 1.50 for Manila musicians. In a group numbering less than a Half-Band, the following charge is made for the services of the piano player:—

| per hour or part thereof | |
|---|---|
| European | Manilaman |
| Tls. 1.50 | Tls. 1.00 |

Where not less than a Half-Band is engaged, one rehearsal is permitted without fee, all other rehearsals are charged for at one-third of the above rates.

For the services of a soloist an additional fee of Tls. 25 is charged, inclusive of such rehearsals as are necessary.

Discounts during a season shall be allowed on Full and Half-Bands as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| after 3 performances | 20% |
| „ 8 „ | 40% |

Discounts are not allowed on groups of less than a Half-Band or on rehearsals.

The cost of conveyance of musicians for distances beyond a radius of 1 mile from the Municipal Offices, Kiangse Road, must be defrayed by the persons engaging them.

The European musicians are allowed to give private music lessons, with the Conductor's permission obtained in each case.

Applications for engagements and cancellations should be addressed to the Assistant Secretary of Council, Municipal Offices, not less than 24 hours notice should be given in each case. Inquiries concerning details as to performances, music required, etc., may be made of the Conductor direct (Telephone North 175).

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JUNE 14.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Chief Inspector T. I. Vaughan from June 14.

*Educational Department.*—Miss R. H. Rees, Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, is permitted to terminate her service on August 31.

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 30 | Nanking | Probst, Hanbury & Co., Ld. | | | block offices |
| 1065 977-978 | Kungping Yochow | K. T. J. Pugh | | 1 | shed latrine |
| 4845-4848 | W. Soochow | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | 1 | |
| fronting 4892 | do. | Dong Kee & Co. | | | bunding |
| Unreg. W of 2023 | Weihaiwei | G. R. Grove & Co. | | | wall |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| Unreg. N of 6855 | Sungpan | Yun Kee | 8 | | |
| 977-978 | Yochow | K. T. J Pugh | 3 | | |
| Unreg. E of 1783 | Gt. Western | P. Tilley | 7 | | |

## Report of Captain-Superintendent of Police for May.

Strength of the Force on May 31.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 7 | |
| Foreigners | 139 | |
| Japanese | 27 | |
| Sikhs | 594 | |
| Chinese | 1,487 | |
| | | 2,254 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 79 | |
| Followers | 223 | |
| | | 302 |
| | Total | 2,556 |

*Armed Robberies.*—During the month three reports were made of armed robbery from houses in the Settlement. Two of these were reported in West Hongkew and one in the Sinza district. Four persons were arrested in connexion with these reports and brought before the Mixed Court. Three were handed over to the Court of the Military Governor and the case against one was dismissed.

One case of highway robbery from the person was reported in the Sinza district.

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One man was arrested on a charge of armed robbery committed prior to May 1, 1919, tried at the Mixed Court and sentenced to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol.

The man referred to as being under remand at the end of April 1919 in connexion with an armed robbery committed prior to April 1, 1919, was sentenced to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol.

Of the eleven men referred to in previous reports as being under remand on charges of armed robbery at the end of December 1918, six have been handed to the Court of the Military Governor, one was sentenced to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol, three were sent to Shantung by the Provincial Guild and the charge against one was not proceeded with.

*Bomb Explosion.*—On May 5 a bomb explosion took place at a house in the Bing Vong Ka. No persons were injured and the damage done was very slight.

*Threatening Letters.*—On May 9 three persons were arrested in connexion with the sending of threatening letters and the demanding of money by menaces from a Chinese chemist. One of the persons apprehended had just been released from Gaol on remission of sentence. Two were charged at the Mixed Court and sentenced to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol whilst the other was cautioned and released.

*Anti-Japanese Boycott.*—Eight arrests were made during the month for riotous behaviour in connexion with this movement. Four of these were Tramway employes (two motormen, one conductor and one coolie), two students, one school teacher and one shop assistant. Four were arrested in West Hongkew, two in Hongkew and two in the Sinza district. Four were fined and four were sentenced to imprisonment in the Municipal Gaol.

*Fingerprint Work.*—Fingerprint investigations were successfully made in a case of larceny in the Bubbling Well district on May 19. The occupants reported to the Police that their premises had been entered during the night by breaking a glass window and a bundle of bank notes to the value of $840 had been stolen from a drawer in the office. Certain fingerprints on the inside of the broken glass window suggested that the theft had been committed by one of the inmates, and on comparison the fingerprints of one of the servants were found to correspond with those upon the broken glass. The man eventually admitted his guilt and was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment on May 21.

*Reports of Property Stolen.*—During the month 282 reports of property stolen were made at the different stations. Enquiries were made with successful results in 116 of these cases.

*Executions.*—The execution of an armed robber, who was handed over by the Mixed Court, took place at Loongwha on May 26 in the presence of a representative of the Municipal Police.

Three persons, who were handed over to the Court of the Military Governor on a charge of armed robbery committed in the Settlement on January 29, 1919, were subsequently transferred to the Haimung Authorities and were executed at that place on May 14, 1919.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 406 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 124 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 212 records were received from the French Police out of which number 110 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For identification | 618 |
| Identified | 234 |
| Percentage | 38 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 8 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 28 |
| | 36 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 14.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 246 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 36 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 42 | *Second offenders.* |
| 17 | *Third offenders.* |
| 2 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 63 | *Habitual offenders* (serious) |
| 406 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for May.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed for the Public Works Department | Tls. | Nil |
| *Less.* | | Nil |
| Total | Tls. | Nil |
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the Public Works Department | Tls. | 2,916.19 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | | 1,351.34 |
| Total | Tls. | 1,564.85 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. | 1,564.85 |

**Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.**

K. J. McEuen,
*Captain-Superintendent of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:*— | |
| Assault | 1 |
| Causing grievous bodily harm | 4 |
| Murder, attempted | 1 |
| 2.—*Offences of a Public Nature:*— | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:*— | |
| Dogs | 5 |
| Motor Cycle | 1 |
| Nuisance | 1 |
| Conspiracy | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 2 |
| In possession of opium | 1 |
| Obstruction | 2 |
| Plucking flowers in the Public Gardens | 1 |
| Riding a bicycle after sunset without a light | 3 |
| 3.—*Miscellaneous Cases:*— | 1 |
| Total | 24 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 3,301 | 3,301 |
| Others | 41 | 933 | 974 |
| Total | 41 | 4,234 | 4,275 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cautioned | 1 |
| Fined | 12 |
| Imprisonment | 2 |
| Remanded | 9 |
| Total | 24 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on May 31.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 4 |
| Louza Station | 8 |
| Hongkew Station | 3 |
| Harbin Road Station | 3 |
| West Hongkew Station | 1 |
| Wayside Station | 3 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 1 |
| Sinza Station | 2 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 2 |
| Gordon Road Station | 3 |
| Gaol | 1,579 |
| Reformatory | 86 |
| Total | 1,695 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 765 | 291 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | 3 | 2 |
| Total | 768 | 293 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN April 26 and May 30.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 46,352.81 |
| Recovered | 17,909.70 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 30. 4. 19. | 42 | 332 |
| Captured | 290 | |
| Returned | 68 | 332 |
| Killed | 214 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 2 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 48 | |

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## Health Officer's Report for May.

May is usually characterised by a low incidence of disease and the month under review has been no exception to the rule. Now is the time to prepare for the troubles of the summer. The most obvious of these is the presence of mosquitoes. It would greatly assist the Health Office if residents within Settlement limits would report the presence of mosquitoes on their premises to the Health Officer. Not only is it often possible to remove this nuisance but such information is a valuable check on and assistance to the work of the Sanitary Staff.

The inevitable occurrence of Dysentery and the probability of choleraic troubles render it necessary at this season to call particular attention to the need for care with food on common-sense lines in accordance with the Public Health Notice obtainable from the Health Officer. The mere posting of this notice in the kitchen is of little use. Careful foreign supervision of the servants is absolutely necessary to see that these simple recommendations are properly carried out—but the trouble taken will be amply repaid by the resulting health and comfort. The child-like trust that so many women out East place in their Chinese servants results in neglect of very important domestic functions which submits the whole household to extreme danger, not only of preventable illness but of permanent invalidism and death.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### DEATHS.

| | Foreign. Resident | Foreign. Non-resident. | Chinese. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 2 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 0 | 21 |
| Tuberculosis | 4 | 1 | 92 |
| Beri-beri | 5 | 1 | 3 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Cerebrospinal fever | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| From all causes | 34 | 10 | 688 |

### INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Paratyphoid Fever | 4 |
| Diphtheria | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 |
| Dysentery | 11 |

### ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases Admitted—Small pox | 1 | 0 |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 5 |
| Beri-beri | 0 | 1 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 5 | 5 |
| Other Diseases | 4 | 21 |
| Discharged | 14 | 28 |
| Died | 2 | 2 |
| Remaining last day of month | 9 | 26 |

### MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 2,110 |
| Bacterial " " | 886 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 8 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 811 |
| Analyses | 18 |

### SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK

| | District: Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 240 | 623 | 197 | 295 | 1355 |
| Rats plague infected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation | 800 | 1000 | 750 | 200 | 2750 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1092 | 1491 | 867 | 355 | 3805 |
| Poisoned baits laid | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier | 0 | 216 | 0 | 0 | 216 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

### SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen | 1,441 | 3 | 1,441 | 1 | 0 |
| Sheep | 2,826 | 0 | 2,826 | 0 | 1 |
| Calves | 331 | 1 | 331 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs | 234 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

### VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted. | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 21 | 2 |
| Surgical | 29 | 0 |
| Maternity | 9 | 0 |
| Mental | 1 | 0 |
| Infectious | 1 | 0 |
| Total | 61 | 2 |

### REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.

Sample received May 26, 1919.
Report sent out June 10, 1919.
Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.

Physical Characters.—Yellowish green colour with considerable opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 16.50 |
| (a) Volatile | 6.00 |
| (b) Fixed | 10.50 |
| Appearance on Ignition.—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 11.40 |
| (a) Temporary | 6.40 |
| (b) Permanent | 5.00 |
| Chlorine | 2.90 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0630 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0019 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0118 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° C. | 0.0340. |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° C. and 37° C. showed an average of 114 and 70 micro-organisms per cubic centimetre respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in all quantities tested from 0.25 c.c. and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Bacterial content above the average.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District: Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Vaccination against small-pox | 524 | 272 | 325 | 249 | 1,370 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 1 | 8 | 1 | 9 | 19 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 28 | 92 | 76 | 31 | 227 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 101 | 105 | 105 | 212 | 523 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 1,099 | 1,340 | 1,133 | 2,834 | 6,406 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 17 | 320 | 418 | 71 | 826 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 3 | 54 | 0 | 57 |
| Defective drainage amended | 30 | 27 | 43 | 8 | 108 |
| Insanitary wells abolished | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 9 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 23 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 48 | 1 | 21 | 8 | 78 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 0 | 150 | 343 | 493 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 6 | 17 | 1 | 24 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Offensive trade processes amended | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 9 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 28 | 13 | 5 | 14 | 60 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 67 | 63 | 81 | 32 | 243 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 2 | 8 | 2 | 12 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Notices of intention to proceed served | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 0 | 8 | 11 | 17 | 36 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 40 | 810 | 800 | 455 | 2,105 |
| Outside hawkers licensed | 657 | 687 | 522 | 396 | 2,262 |
| Food prosecutions | 5 | 32 | 23 | 3 | 63 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 16 | 59 | 7 | 7 | 89 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 1 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 9 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,890 | 3,099 | 3,190 | 3,058 | 13,237 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 7,285 | 3,660 | 2,469 | 1,971 | 15,385 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 2,140 | 436 | 178 | 145 | 2,899 |

### MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Known As | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fok Kyi | Tsa Ah Hoo | Z. 815 Gordon Road | Abstraction of fat. |

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**Summary of Revenue for May.**

| Description | Estimate for 1919 | 1919 | | | 1918 | | | 1917 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 |
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,054,630 | — | 210,545.59 | 320,319.70 | — | 190,623.57 | 335,022.12 | — | 131,456.18 | 308,815.26 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 795 850 | — | 71,853.62 | 289,309.12 | — | 62,587.60 | 292,639.23 | — | 58,339.84 | 275,488.72 |
| Chinese | 1,182,460 | — | 76,762.42 | 465,503.34 | — | 81,529.43 | 455,586.58 | — | 71,820.09 | 437,921.14 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | 648.60 | 685.50 | — | 557.30 | 893.55 | — | 191.00 | 599.35 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 220,000 | — | — | 49,711.07 | — | — | 42,913.61 | — | — | 47,805.60 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | 9 | 659.00 | 7,545.00 | 4 | 251.00 | 8,368.00 | 5 | 306.00 | 9,110.00 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 24,000 | 6 | 362.50 | 12,162.50 | 1 | 75.00 | 11,650.00 | 3 | 187.50 | 11,587.50 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 400 | 5 | 27.00 | 283.00 | 1 | 2.00 | 200.00 | 1 | 2.00 | 258.00 |
| Eating House | 9,000 | 896 | 1,308.33 | 3,900.69 | 202 | 1,315.69 | 4,207.25 | 740 | 1,412.37 | 1,412.37 |
| Chinese Club | 4,500 | 4 | 100.00 | 2,441.70 | 1 | 25.00 | 1,938.35 | — | — | 2,225.00 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13,000 | 1 | 2.50 | 6,071.50 | 1 | 15.00 | 6,390.00 | — | — | 6,789.00 |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36 000 | 708 | 5,939.60 | 16,094.45 | 651 | 4,257.50 | 17,588.25 | 711 | 4,709.85 | 17,633.60 |
| Tea-shop | 16,000 | 645 | 1,393.00 | 6,989.00 | 673 | 1,334.50 | 6,679.50 | 675 | 1,417.00 | 7,278.25 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 6,500 | 119 | 848.99 | 3,281.91 | 184 | 673.65 | 2,851.51 | 220 | 1,585.30 | 3,233.88 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,000 | 14 | 516.00 | 2,455.00 | 17 | 339.00 | 1,709.00 | 20 | 559.00 | 2,597.00 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 18 | 709.00 | 3,505.00 | 13 | 545.00 | 3,285.00 | 19 | 742.00 | 3,919.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 2,500 | 19 | 323.00 | 1,235.00 | 14 | 245.00 | 9 '4.00 | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 29,000 | 61 | 1,759.49 | 9,849.66 | 1 | 11.12 | 7,856.99 | — | — | 7,957.74 |
| Exchange Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Opium-shop | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 45,390.00 |
| Tobacco Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,000 | 974 | 579.53 | 2,607 32 | 885 | 547.15 | 2,658.01 | 918 | 517.87 | 2,489.81 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,100 | 63 | 92.48 | 472.38 | 67 | 97.15 | 476.66 | 63 | 91.10 | 455.46 |
| Launch | 3,300 | 25 | 50.00 | 1,723.00 | 30 | 60.00 | 1,5 0.00 | 40 | 80.00 | 1,518.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,406 | 338.16 | 1,694.90 | 1,343 | 316.41 | 1,689.71 | 1,532 | 337.03 | 1,755.46 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 190 | 139.59 | 436.13 | 164 | 119.18 | 426.35 | 155 | 111.77 | 460.98 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 11,500 | P. 15 C. 7 | 38.27 | 5,281.89 | P. 32 C. 19 | 95.83 | 5,869.58 | P. 18 C. 11 | 53.55 | 6,256.20 |
| Livery Stable | 12,000 | P. 408 C. 259 | 1,062.82 | 5,217.95 | P. 408 C. 248 | 1,014.61 | 4,934.73 | P. 407 C. 259 | 1,038.28 | 5,146.82 |
| Motor Car & Motor Bicycle | 45,000 | 137 | 1,024.67 | 22,193.15 | 96 | 701.97 | 17,736.71 | 87 | 563.13 | 13,877.68 |
| Cart | 31,500 | 2,045 | 2,912.00 | 15,063.50 | 1,712 | 2,462.00 | 13,205 50 | 1,653 | 2,405.50 | 13,133.00 |
| Private Ricsha | 55,000 | 160 | 1,321.01 | 26,931.39 | 149 | 234,96 | 25 308.47 | 156 | 253.19 | 22,828.07 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,708.95 | 57,631.30 | 8,000 | 11,656.35 | 57,543.15 | 8,000 | 11,464.85 | 56,359.71 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 2 | 6.60 | 60.59 | 3 | 8.70 | 65.85 | 5 | 10.83 | 78.02 |
| Wheel-barrow | 50,000 | 8,704 | 4,354.64 | 21,481.40 | 8,471 | 4,241.64 | 20,571.72 | 8,457 | 4,236.03 | 21,304.42 |
| Firearms | 500 | — | — | 75.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 150.00 | 1 | 75 00 | 300.00 |
| Dog | 3,500 | 170 | 624.36 | 2,794.33 | 239 | 347.55 | 2,330.72 | 196 | 282.24 | 2,540.98 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 111,240 | 6,071 | 9,617.33 | 44,468.79 | 5,220 | 8,383.38 | 43,537.53 | 4,754 | 7,477.80 | 35,913.21 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | 140.00 | 410.00 | — | 130.00 | 130.00 | — | — | — |
| Firemen's Quarters | 3,100 | — | 224.00 | 765.50 | — | 214.00 | 821.00 | — | 187.00 | 691.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 5,820 | — | 72.58 | 1,975.06 | — | 480.00 | 2,325.60 | — | 445.00 | 2,225.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 330.16 | 1,031.92 | — | 319.12 | 657.84 | — | 15.00 | 95.33 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 33,700 | — | — | 16,741.10 | — | — | 21,870.30 | — | — | 20,504.19 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | — | 250.00 | — | — | 250.00 | — | — | 250.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co. Ld. | 7,330 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 50,000 | — | — | 12,739.30 | — | — | 11,365.00 | — | — | 10,780.93 |
| Electricity Department | 242,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 13,820.00 |
| Convict Labour | 12,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concreteware Manufactory | 10,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 5,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,296,530 | | 408,396.09 | 1,443,389.04 | | 375,892.36 | 1,436,206.77 | | 302,373.30 | 1,422,305.68 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Superintendent of Revenue.*

## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow or Berkefeld filter.

Aerated waters and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling

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point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow or Berkefeld filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

三 人擔保之承攬人各人應負責任

四 行使職權之人局有權取消此項承攬

五 本局有權取消此項承攬

六 所有承攬人之報價及合同須由公司承辦人簽字付與之憑證

七 本局有權不承認任何承攬人之報價

八 本局有權不承認任何承攬人之報價

九 本局有權不承認任何承攬人之報價

十 本局有權不承認任何承攬人之報價

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 130 | 15,000 yards Khaki Drill | — | July 31 |
| 131 | 200 „ „ Cord | — | do. |
| 132 | 5,000 „ Blue Camlet | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before December 31, 1919. | | |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 186 | 90 3-phase Induction Motors<br>Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 26 |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 498.
Supply of Cast Iron and Brass Castings.

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| *Tai Chang | as per Schedule |

Tender No. 499.
Supply of Stores at Tungchow Road Workshops.

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|---|---|
| W. Z. Zee & Sons | as per Schedule |
| *Ching Chong & Co. | do. |

Tender No. 500.
Painting at Victoria Nursing Home.

| | |
|---|---|
| Wong Chin Kee | Tls. 1,670 |
| Joe Ming Kee | Tls. 1,150 |
| Lien Yung Kee | 1,148 |
| *Zung Shing | 1,136 |

Tender No. 501.
Painting Park Railings.

| | |
|---|---|
| Joe Ming Kee | Tls. 795 |
| Woo Lee Kee | 785 |
| Zung Shing | 772 |
| Tuck Foong | 555 |
| *Ngan Zung Lee | 485 |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2617.**

*(Translation.)*

IT has been brought to the Council's attention, that recently certain handbills and pamphlets have been printed and distributed by certain persons with a view to bringing unlawful pressure upon Chinese merchants and residents in the Settlement, to refrain from purchasing, selling or dealing in Japanese goods, thus tending to cause unrest and threatening the peace and good order of the Settlement.

The Public should take note that all acts of intimidation are unlawful, and that anyone attempting by force or threat or other form of compulsion to interfere with any resident or merchant in the pursuit of his lawful business, or by force or threat or other form of compulsion to induce anyone to refrain from the exercise of his right to make use of, purchase, sell or deal in any goods, will on detection be arrested and punished as a law breaker.

If anyone attempts to intimidate any resident or merchant, immediate information should be given by the concerned to the nearest Police Station, with a statement of the circumstances in detail, whereupon his assailant will forthwith be arrested and the case brought before the Mixed Court, or the Court of the party concerned for investigation and severe punishment without the least leniency. Warning is duly given. Let all obey.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 19, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2627.**

*(Translation.)*

FALSE and malicious rumours regarding the poisoning of water and food stuffs have been set afloat with the view of inciting national hatred. As a result several innocent persons including a number of Chinese have been assaulted and in one instance a Chinese citizen was murdered.

Warning is hereby issued that no credence must be given to these stories which have been investigated and which have been proved to be slanderous and without foundation.

Any person found spreading such rumours will be arrested and severely punished.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2602.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2620.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Municipal Loans will be closed from June 16 to June 30, both days inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 29, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2623.**

*(Translation.)*

CHINESE holders of Debenture Certificates are hereby notified that in future payment of the half-yearly interest on Debentures will be made on presentation of Interest Warrants to the Offices of the Municipal Compradore, No. 7A The Bund.

Production of Debenture Certificates is no longer required.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 5, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2626**

**HONGKEW RECREATION GROUND.**

OWING to the public demand for the use of the space available for the playing of games, it has been decided, in lieu of the "First come first served" practice, to call for applications by those desiring playing space, whereafter allocation will be made and notification will be issued as to what arrangements are feasible.

All persons desiring such playing space should form themselves into groups or associations of whom one person shall be considered to be the representative.

Each application should contain the following information:—

1.—Name of group, club or association.
2.—Name of Chairman or President.
3.—Name and address of Secretary.
4.—Number of members.
5.—Space applied for.
6.—Number of months and days per month and approximately the hours during which it is desired to make use of the space applied for.
7.—Whether willing to share with another club or group, to play alternately, in case applications are found to exceed the space available.

Applications in writing should be made to Mr. R. Ross, c/o Shanghai Public School, on or before Saturday, June 21, 1919, after which date playing spaces will be allotted for the current season.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2628.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Tuesday and Wednesday, July 1 and 2, 1919.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 19, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, June 20, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Skinner Turner *(Chairman)*
L. E. Canning
Mrs. D. Henman
Messrs. T. Ibukiyama
S. C. Lin
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 6.35 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Foreign Educational Committee held on Monday, June 23, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present:*

Dr. R. S. Ivy *(Chairman)*
Messrs. C. M. Bain
P. W. Massey

*Absent:*

Mr. C. P. Dawson

The meeting adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, June 25, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 6.15 p.m.

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**Consular Body.**

A letter from Mr. J. W. Jamieson, C.M.G., H.M. Consul-General (officiating), informs the Council that he has taken over charge of the Consulate-General from Sir Everard Fraser, K.C.M.G., with effect from June 23.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*"B" Company British.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, a commission as 2nd-Lieut. is authorized for issue to Mr. L. M. ff Beytagh.

**Bye-Laws.**

Correspondence with the Senior Consul in continuation of that published in the Municipal Gazette of March 21, 1918, on the subject of the New Byelaws passed at the adjourned Special Meeting of Ratepayers held on March 21, 1917.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 12, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to refer to my letter of March 20, 1918, in reply to your letter of March 2, informing the Council of the Consular Body's non-approval of the Byelaws passed at the adjourned Special Meeting of Ratepayers held on March 21, 1917, and inviting the Council's consideration of the text of such Byelaws as revised by the Consular Body, and in reference thereto to enquire whether consideration has been given to the hope expressed by the Council that its observations on the Consular Body's text might commend themselves to that Body and that the amendments suggested might receive approval so that the Council might be able to submit the Consular Body's text thus amended at a Special Meeting of Ratepayers to be convened for that purpose with the recommendation that they be adopted.

In making this enquiry I have the honour to emphasise that the period which has elapsed since the Byelaws were passed by the Ratepayers in March 1917 has more than ever demonstrated how very necessary the improvement sought to be effected is required in the interests of the Community.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

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Shanghai, June 12, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated March 12 and in reply to enclose herewith the amended Byelaws which are now proposed by the Consular Body.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. SIFFERT,
*Senior Consul.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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XXXIII.

BUILDING OPERATIONS.

No person shall undertake any building operations whether temporary or permanent; or undertake any structural alterations or repairs to any building or structure or any work involving the placing of ladders in any Municipal road or alley; or erect any straw or matting shed, bamboo or other buildings of a like nature; or undertake any bunding on any creek; or remove mud from any creek or foreshore; or open up any Municipal road or alley; or erect any fences, hoardings, signboards or other structures, abutting on any Municipal road or alley; or erect any matsheds, sunshades, lamps or other structures in such a manner as to overhang any Municipal road or alley or undertake the landing of any building materials at any Municipal pontoon, jetty or road in each or any of the above cases within such limits without a permit first obtained therefor from the Municipal Council.

Any person offending against or infringing any provision of this Bye-law or any condition appearing in any such permit as aforesaid shall be liable for every offence to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars ($100) or in default of payment to imprisonment for a period not exceeding one month or to any such other penalty as shall be prescribed by the law to which such person is amenable.

XXXIV.

LICENSED OCCUPATIONS.

No person shall keep a fair, market, Chinese club, lodging house, music hall, theatre, circus, cinematograph, eating house or other place of refreshment or public entertainment, hotel, tavern, billiard, bowling or dancing saloon, brothel, pawnshop, Chinese money exchange or cash shop, Chinese gold-smith's or silver-smith's shop, dairy, laundry, bakery, slaughterhouse, livery stable, public garage, pen for cattle, pigs, sheep or goats; or sell or keep a shop, store, stall or place for the sale of clothing, wines, spirits, beer or other alcoholic beverages, or any noxious drugs and poisons, proprietary or patent medicines, butcher's meat, poultry, game, fish, fruit, ice, vegetables or other foodstuffs, tobacco, lottery tickets or chances in lotteries, or hawk any goods; or keep for private or public use, or let ply or use for hire any launch, sampan, ferry or other boat, any horse, pony, mule or donkey, any motor car, motor bicycle, or other motor vehicle, or any carriage, cart, handcart, ricsha, sedan-chair, wheelbarrow or other vehicle or drive any tramcar, motor vehicle or horse drawn vehicle; or pull any ricsha or keep or have in his possession any dog, within such limits without a licence first obtained from the Council and in the case of foreigners countersigned by the Consul of the nationality to which such person belongs. In respect of such licences the Council may impose such conditions and exact such security as the nature of the particular case may require and charge such fees in respect therefor as may be authorized at the Annual General Meeting of Ratepayers. And any person offending against or infringing any provision of this Bye-law shall be liable for every offence to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars and a further fine for every twenty-four hours' continuance of such offending or infringing not exceeding twenty-five dollars or to any such other penalty as shall be prescribed by the law to which such person is amenable.

XXXV.

DANGEROUS MATERIALS.

No person shall keep, store, sell or manufacture any firearms other than those used solely for sporting, volunteer or police purposes, or any dangerous or inflammable materials namely those which on account of fire or explosion may endanger life or property, such as gunpowder and similar nitrate mixtures, dynamite, blasting gelatine, celluloid, carbonite, nitro-cotton, smokeless powder, cordite, picric acid and similar nitro-compounds, chlorate mixtures, fulminates, fuses or ballistics of any description used in association with explosives, ammunition, fire-works, benzene, and other very volatile or inflammable coal tar products, petrol, gasolene and other very volatile or inflammable petroleum products, acetylene, calcium carbide, yellow phosphorus, saltpetre, sulphur, or any material containing any of these as an ingredient so as to form a dangerous material, or other dangerous or inflammable materials to a greater quantity than may from time to time be set out in a Munipal Notification; or carry on any dangerous or hazardous trade within such limits without a licence first obtained therefor from the Municipal Council and in the case of a foreigner countersigned by his consular authority.

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Any person offending against or infringing any provision of this Bye-law or any condition appearing in any such licence as aforesaid shall be liable to a fine not exceeding three hundred dollars ($300) or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding three months, or to both fine and imprisonment to the above extent or to any such other penalty as shall be prescribed by the law to which such person is amenable.

XXXVI.

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Any person who shall wilfully disobey any reasonable regulation which shall have been authorized by the Municipal Council for the governance control direction or facilitation of traffic within such limits or on any Municipal road or alleyway outside such limits, shall be liable to a penalty or fine not exceeding $25; and any person in charge of any vehicle or animal who shall drive or move such vehicle or drive or ride such animal recklessly or negligently or at a speed or in a manner dangerous to the public, and any person who shall causelessly create any noise or disturbance, or wilfully cause any obstruction to traffic, or commit any act which may legitimately come within the meaning of the term nuisance, shall be liable to a penalty or fine not exceeding $100 or in default of payment to imprisonment for a period not exceeding one month or to any such other penalty as shall be prescribed by the law to which such person is amenable.

XXXVII.

CARRYING ARMS.

No person, except naval or military officers of any Treaty Power, Diplomatic and Consular Officers, Officers of the Council duly authorized, and members of the Volunteer Corps when in uniform or on duty, shall under any pretext carry or convey within such limits any firearms other than those used solely for sporting purposes, other offensive or defensive weapons, ammunition or explosives, without a licence or permit first obtained from the Municipal Council.

Any person offending against or infringing any provision of this Bye-law shall be liable to a fine not exceeding three hundred dollars or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding three months, and in every case the firearms, offensive or defensive arms ammunition or explosives so carried or conveyed may be forfeited to the use of the Council or to any such other penalty as shall be prescribed by the law to which such person is amenable.

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Since the text now submitted by the Consular Body is drawn up on the lines of, and embodies the more important of the provisions contained in the text submitted by the Council to the Ratepayers at the Annual Meeting held on March 21, 1916, with the exception of the provision made in the latter for tramway regulations and for the licensing of the Press etc., it is proposed to submit the same for the Ratepayers' approval at a special meeting to be convened for an early date.

The omission to provide for the licensing of the Press and of printing establishments etc. must be considered serious. That the Council should be vested with every power necessary to the preservation of peace and good order within the Settlement was amply demonstrated in the recent student unrest, which ultimately extended to the merchant and labouring classes of the Chinese Community. In particular, it is essential that the Council should have full power of immediate action, without recourse to any other Authority, to prevent the publication of any printed matter of a character calculated to incite to a breach of the peace. Accordingly the Council will submit the Consular Body's text of Byelaws for the Ratepayers' approval, with the following words inserted in Byelaw XXXIV between the words "goats" and "or sell" viz.—"or carry on the business of a printer lithographer or engraver or print or publish any newspaper or periodical."

**Local Unrest.**

Letter to Rev. C. W. Rankin:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 21, 1919.

SIR,—In its report of the inauguration meeting of the Chinese Students National Federation held at the Great Eastern Hotel on June 16, the following statement is attributed to you by the "Shanghai Times":—

"I went to see the Secretary of the Shanghai Municipal Council the other day." Mr. Rankin continued, "I told him I represented nobody. I asked him what he thought about the students going round town securing signatures to a petition asking the President to convene a National Assembly. The Secretary replied that he thought it would be a good thing if it was done quietly and without disorder. Therefore, I suggest to you that a campaign should be started to get these signatures first in Shanghai and make it operate in the interior as well. Secure a million-two million-signatures to the petition asking the President to convene a National Assembly. If you do it quietly and without any disorder as the Secretary said, you will be only exercising a legal right, for the right of petition is recognized as a right of the people the world over. If an official is not doing his duty, as you think he ought to do it, the people have the right to petition him. And when you have secured the signatures, do not send it to Peking, but take it there yourself and hand it to the President."

If allowed to pass without challenge, this statement must inevitably lead to some misunderstanding of the Council's attitude *vis-à-vis* the recent Students Strike and agitation in the Settlement, and I, therefore, hasten to correct it.

At the interview to which the statement has reference, and in reply to your inquiry as to my views on the suggestion that the students' movement should be diverted to the preparation of a petition to the President in Peking, to convene a National Assembly, I stated in most definite and unmistakable terms that the Council could not and would not permit of the Settlement being used as a centre for political agitation or interference in Chinese politics, that the students must therefore abstain from any action in the Settlement that was contrary to this policy of political neutrality, and that what they did outside the Settlement was no direct concern of the Council, but that for what it was worth, it was my own personal opinion that if the students took action on the lines you suggested, such action would at least be far more constitutional than strike methods and methods of intimidation.

I am addressing a copy of this letter to the Press.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Rev. C. W. RANKIN.

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**Special Vice Committee.**

In accordance with Resolution X passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, the membership of this Committee has been completed by the appointments of Mrs. D. Henman and Messrs. S. C. Lin and W. D McCallum. Mr. P. Campbell has been appointed Secretary to the Committee.

**Public Lighting.**

*Yangtszepoo Road.*—The recommendation of the Acting Municipal Engineer has been adopted, to improve the lighting in Yangtszepoo Road from Lay Road to the tram terminus, by erection of 15 additional 60 c.p. lamps, at an additional cost of Tls. 438 per annum.

**Hongkew Recreation Ground.**

*Playing of Golf.*—In view of the much increased use by the public of the Hongkew Recreation Ground, it is already apparent that the playing of golf will have to be prohibited altogether in the near future. In the meantime it has become necessary to alter Rule 13 of the Ground Regulations to provide that the playing of this game shall not be permitted after 1 p.m. This restriction applies not only to organised games of golf, but to practice with golf club and ball.

The revised regulations are as follows:—

1.—The Ground is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.

2.—The Ground is open to the Public between the hours of 5 a.m. and midnight from May 1 to October 5, and 6 a.m. and 7 p.m. from October 6 to April 30.

3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.

4.—Horses, ponies, vehicles and bicycles are not admitted.

5.—Dogs are not admitted unless properly muzzled and led on leash.

6.—Perambulators must be confined to the paths.

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7.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers or otherwise damaging the shrubs, plants or grass is strictly prohibited; visitors and other persons in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.

8.—Cricket, golf, lawn tennis, bowls, baseball, football and hockey are permitted only upon those portions of the Ground specially set apart for these games. The season for football and hockey begins, approximately, on October 15 and ends on March 15; that for cricket, lawn tennis, bowls and baseball on May 1, and ends on October 15.

9.—Grounds may be reserved for matches upon written application being made to the Honorary Secretary.

10.—No play is permitted when, in the opinion of the Parkkeeper, the grounds are not in a fit condition. A notice to that effect will then be exhibited at the entrance.

11.—Cricket, football, hockey and baseball, are not permitted on Sundays until 1 p.m.

12.—The positions of lawn tennis courts are arranged by the Superintendent. Persons using the courts are required to wear indiarubber soled boots or shoes.

13.—The playing of golf is not permitted after 1 p.m. This restriction applies also to practice with golf club and ball.

14.—Shooting, boating, boat sailing, lighting fires and bathing are strictly prohibited.

The Police have instructions to enforce these Regulations.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Shanghai, June 26, 1919.

## Public Band.

*Evening Performances.*—Arrangements have been concluded with the stewards of the Race Club where under, during the coming summer season, two public performances per month will be given in the grounds of the Race Club, which at such time will be thrown open to the public. The actual date and time of each performance with details of programme will be notified later in the usual manner.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | June 30 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden | |
| Tues. | July 1 | 5.30 | ,, | ,, |
| ,, | ,, 1 | 9.00 | ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | ,, 2 | 5.30 | ,, | Public Garden |
| ,, | ,, 2 | 9.00 | ,, | ,, |
| Thurs. | ,, 3 | 9.00 | ,, | ,, |
| Fri. | ,, 4 | 5.30 | ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. | ,, 5 | 5.30 | ,, | Public Recreation Ground |
| ,, | ,, 5 | 9.00 | ,, | Public Garden |

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JUNE 21.

*Public Works Department.*—The appointment of Mr. W. Mitchell, Clerk-of-Works, is confirmed from March 10, under an agreement terminable at three months' notice.

*Electricity Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. F. J. Gayes, House Service Mains Assistant, from July 6.

*Educational Department.*—Mr. J. R. Trindle, temporary Assistant Master in the Public School for Boys, is permitted to terminate his service on June 30.

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, June 22, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 873,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 13 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 4 | 144 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 43 | Hankow | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | addns. |
| 16, 18, 23 | Alabaster | Brandt & Rodgers | | 5 | |
| Unreg. E of 72 | Kansuh | do. | | | gate-house |
| 25 | N. Soochow | Palmer & Turner | | | addns. |
| 2446 | Jansen | New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works, Ld. | | | addns. |
| 3780 | Whashing | Brandt & Rodgers | | 1 | addns. |
| Unreg. W of 4305 | Tonquin Ext. | Hong Yue Cotton Mill | | 1 | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 698 | Chekiang | Wong Yung Kee | | | addns. |
| 531 | Hoopeh | Ling Tung Chaou | 96 | | |
| Unreg. N of 5775 | Ward | Cheng Kee | 3 | | |
| 4737 | Ichang | Y. C. Ling | 17 | | |
| 1000 | Sinza and Tatung | Wong Cha Kee | 43 | | |

## Electricity Department.

REPORT ON THE QUARTER ENDING MARCH 31.

The removal of restrictions against additional lighting consumers has added the equivalent of 28,892—30 watt lamps to the mains and 619 house service connexions.

The motor horse-power has risen from 24,869 to 28,788 or 3,819 horse-power.

The units sold and accounted for have increased 14.7 per cent over the corresponding quarter of last year.

Units sold for lighting increased by 7.66 per cent.

Units sold for power (excluding traction) increased by 16.5 per cent.

The coal per unit generated and sold shows a slight increase. This is entirely due to the quality of the coal supplied—both in the last consignments of last year's contract which was being used in January, and in the month of March. The figures shown are arrived at after making allowance for the deduction claimed under the terms of the coal contract. These allowances, however, do not sufficiently protect the Department; they do not make up for the saving which would have resulted if the coal had been up to contract quality. This is the first occasion upon which the present coal contractors have failed to deliver coal up to standard quality, and the effect is seen in the increased coal consumption. During a series of contracts over a number of years with the coal contractors the contract quality of the coal has been uniformally maintained. The clauses in the contract amply provided for coal variations such as might be expected, but they do not adequately cover against such wide variations as are found under this year's contract. To afford more adequate protection future contracts will need to be more binding and drawn up in such a way as to take care of variations however wide they may be.

T. H. U. ALDRIDGE,
*Engineer-in-Chief and Manager*

COMPARATIVE TABLE FOR QUARTER ENDING MARCH, 1919.

| | 1918 | 1919 |
|---|---|---|
| Total lamps connected (equiv. 30 Watts) | 714,823 | 770,894 |
| Lamps connected during quarter—Lighting | 18 | 28,892 |
| Lamps connected during quarter—Heating | 7,583 | 1,392 |
| House Service connexions during quarter | 269 | 619 |
| Motors—horse power to date | 24,869 | 28,788 |
| Units generated | 25,648,910 | 29,881,973 |
| Units sold and accounted for | 22,581,655 | 25,906,871 |
| Ratios between units generated and sold | 88.04 | 86.70 |
| Private Lighting | 3,806,368 | 4,097,445 |
| Public Lighting | 305,201 | 309,419 |
| Heating | 525,617 | 505,929 |
| Power | 15,202,920 | 17,713,673 |
| Traction | 963,737 | 1,000,306 |
| Units accounted for | 1,777,812 | 2,280,099 |
| Coal ....tons | 30,098 | 35,258 |
| Coal per unit generated ....lb. | 2.63 | 2.64 |
| Coal per unit sold ....lb. | 2.99 | 3.05 |
| Oil ....gallons | 601 | 909 |
| Water ....gallons | 2,009,000 | 5,339,000 |

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## Mixed Court Report for May.

Yih Tsoo-tsang (葉楚傖), editor of the Ming Kuo Pao, was before the Court on various dates in April and May charged with publishing an article in the above paper inciting to murder and inciting certain persons to commit a breach of the peace. The decision of the Court given on May 17 was:—

"Cautioned. The publication of the article in question should be stopped and the accused should be more careful not to use any threatening or imprudent articles in his newspaper in the future."

Wang Mang-tseu (汪孟鄒), shopkeeper, Dzau Mai-koong (趙宮南), Manager and Dzung Yih-kaung alias Dzung Kwai-hai (鄭亦剛), unemployed, were before the Court in connection with the publication and sale of a book entitled "Liberty" containing certain matter detrimental to the Republic of China and tending to confuse the form of government and to endanger the peace and good order of the country. On May 31, fines of $150, $300, and six months' imprisonment and expulsion were inflicted respectively and an order made for the confiscation of the publication.

On May 28, Tsau Yoong-ling (周永聯), broker, was charged with causing certain labels and wrappers to be forged purporting to be the genuine labels and wrappers of Borden's Condensed Milk Company. A fine of $500 was inflicted.

Six out of 12 persons charged in December 1918 with being concerned in armed robberies at 518 Myburgh Road and 31 Tamsui Road were ordered to be sent to the Arsenal Authorities for further trial, another being sentenced to 5 years' imprisonment in the Municipal Gaol.

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with, Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

M. O. SPRINGFIELD,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
K. J. McEUEN,
Captain-Superintendent of Police.

### OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| 1.—Offences Against the Person:— | |
| Abduction | 7 |
| Allowing Children in Brothels | 1 |
| Assault | 39 |
| Attempted suicide | 3 |
| Wounding (Causing grievous bodily harm) | 2 |
| 2.—Offences Against Property:— | |
| Burglary | 12 |
| Cruelty to animals | 6 |
| Embezzlement | 1 |
| Extortion (Obtaining money by threats) | 3 |
| False pretences | 1 |
| Forgery | 4 |
| Fraud | 4 |
| House-breaking | 4 |
| Larceny | 181 |
| Malicious Damage | 3 |
| Receiving stolen property | 4 |
| Robbery | 17 |
| 3.—Offences of a Public Nature:— | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 15 |
| Carts | 55 |
| Club | 1 |
| Dogs | 32 |
| Foodshops | 15 |
| Hawkers | 56 |
| Laundries | 2 |
| Lodging houses | 4 |
| Motor cars | 27 |
| Opium | 23 |
| Pawnshops | 8 |
| Rickshas | 1,390 |
| Tea shops | 5 |
| Wheel-barrows | 98 |
| Wine shops | 6 |
| Breach of Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| Arms | 1 |
| Fireworks | 3 |
| House refuse | 36 |
| Indecent Advertisements | 4 |
| Lotteries | 2 |
| Nuisances | 1,582 |
| Prostitutes | 37 |
| Traffic | 110 |
| Coining | 1 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 8 |
| Disorderly conduct | 70 |
| Functioning as Police | 1 |
| Gambling | 105 |
| Loitering with intent | 9 |
| Returning after expulsion | 10 |
| Trademarks, infringement of | 1 |
| Vagrancy | 4 |
| 4.—Miscellaneous Cases | 24 |
| TOTAL | 4,037 |

### SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 3,118 |
| Cases withdrawn | 10 |
| Cautioned | 49 |
| Dismissed | 40 |
| Expulsion | 3 |
| Fined | 533 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 6 |
| Imprisonment | 169 |
| Imprisonment and expulsion | 77 |
| Reformatory | 3 |
| Released on Security | 1 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 2 |
| Sent to Military Governor of Shanghai | 9 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 13 |
| Sent to French Police | 1 |
| Various | 3 |
| TOTAL | 4,037 |

### WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On May 1 | 48 |
| Received | 27 |
| Released | 25 |
| On May 31 | 50 |

### SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 194 |
| " served | 186 |
| Warrants issued | 38 |
| " executed | 14 |

### FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 7 |
| " executed | 1 |
| Summonses issued | 15 |
| " served | 9 |
| " withdrawn | 4 |
| Persons apprehended on warrants | 1 |
| " summoned | 15 |
| Sealing orders issued | 71 |
| " " executed | 18 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 46 |
| " " withdrawn | 5 |
| " " pending | 2 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 8 |

### CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 84 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 40 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 89 |
| " heard | 141 |
| " in course of hearing | 8 |
| " concluded | 65 |
| " awaiting first hearing on May 31 | 73 |
| Summonses issued | 85 |
| " served | 82 |
| " withdrawn | 6 |
| Warrants issued | 49 |
| " executed | 10 |
| " withdrawn | 5 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 10 |
| " summoned | 92 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 61 |
| Sealing orders issued | 22 |
| " " executed | 10 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 10 |
| " " withdrawn | 1 |
| " " pending | 1 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 6 |

### SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 76 |
| Bonds accepted | 49 |
| " rejected | 25 |

### HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On May 1 | 47 |
| Received | 36 |
| Released | 30 |
| On May 31 | 53 |

### SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| S. Shibamuna | Japanese | Tang Tsz Ling | Tls. 40,230.34 Breach of Contract | Proceeding |
| R. H. Parker | American | A. Dabelstein | Transfer of title deeds | Judgment for Plaintiff as prayed |
| S. Kunitmo | Japanese | Tseu Siau Yuin (Pu Ying Shoe Shop) | Tls. 5,300 | Proceeding |
| Arkell & Douglas | American | Zang Yui Wei Dong Wo Shing Hong | G. $206.80 | For Plaintiffs for G. $206.80 |
| do. | do. | Anglo-Chinese Indenting Co | G. $705.46 | For Plaintiffs for G. $705.46 |
| Kawatsu & Co. | Japanese | Waung Kwe Ling Li Ping Wo | $437 | For Plaintiff for $228 |
| Union Eastern Trading Co. | Russian | Kwauh Yuin Tsoo Liang Voong San | Tls. 13,932.80 Breach of Contract | Proceeding |
| F. A. Robinson | British | Hamburg-Amerika Line | £106.4 5d. | For Plaintiff for £106.4.5d. |
| do. | do. | Melchers & Co. | £1,074.6.0d. | For Plaintiff for £1,074.6.0d. |

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### Mosquito Notice.

NO STAGNANT WATER—NO MOSQUITOES.

Mosquitoes carry MALARIA and other diseases.

Mosquitoes cannot multiply except in STAGNANT WATER. Where stagnant water cannot be ABOLISHED kerosine sprinkled on the surface to form a film will kill mosquito 'wrigglers,' as it prevents breathing when they come to the surface.

Old tins and bottles, broken crockery and unconsidered ARTICLES OF THIS KIND CAPABLE OF HOLDING RAIN WATER should be carefully COLLECTED from the garden and backyard and placed with the refuse for removal.

Tubs, kongs, water plants, flowerpot saucers or other VESSELS OF WATER, which cannot be dispensed with should be EMPTIED OR SPRINKLED WITH KEROSINE ONCE A WEEK.

GARDENERS' KONGS, DUG-OUTS, WELLS AND WATER BARRELS should be done away with, water for the garden, etc., being derived directly from the tap or, if that be impossible, the kongs, etc., should be oiled once a week or kept securely covered so that mosquitoes cannot get to the water to lay their eggs.

Have the water from kennels, chicken coops, etc., regularly emptied out.

Keep drains and rain-water roof channels clean and clear and in good repair. GULLY TRAPS that are not frequently flushed should be oiled weekly.

Shallow RAIN WATER POOLS AND SLUSHY PLACES can generally be obliterated by a SCRATCH DRAIN or LEVELLED with house ashes, PONDS AND DITCHES by FILLING-IN and drainage.

ORNAMENTAL PONDS may be kept free from mosquitoes by FISH but, if mosquito 'wrigglers' be found, the water should be OILED WEEKLY preparatory to FILLING-IN.

A WEEKLY INSPECTION of house and surroundings should be made. It may be remembered that a small unheeded pot of water will suffice to breed enough mosquitoes to irritate a whole neighbourhood.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 凡承攬人須用英文開列各項本局有權將一切承攬人之信件公開合人局知悉是極有利承攬人

二 所有承攬人之信件由本局公開後所有承攬人之信件必須用白紙黑字寫明本人之姓名及其住所

三 行定價之後本局有權將其該保證金退還本人

四 未定價之後本局有權將其該保證金沒收

五 所有承攬人之價目必須登入各人之單內

六 所有承攬人之價目必須用墨水書寫清楚

所有承攬事件由本局公開後所有承攬人之信件必須用白紙黑字寫明本人之姓名及其住所

清單送來之後本局有權將其該保證金沒收

最後之價目必須登入各人之單內

用墨水書寫清楚

此次信件概歸本局二等封面上不必加蓋郵票

交由上海郵政局代送

說明書可在本局工務處內領取

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 130 | 15,000 yards Khaki Drill | — | July 31 |
| 131 | 200 ,, ,, Cord | — | do. |
| 132 | 5,000 ,, Blue Camlet | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before December 31, 1919. | | |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 503 | Painting at Isolation Hospital for Chinese | — | July 4 |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 186 | 90 3-phase Induction Motors<br>Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 26 |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### POLICE FORCE

Tender No. 133.

Convicts' Food.

| For six months. | Rice (Unpolished) | Wheat | Flat Beans | Red Beans |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | per picul. | |
| Yee Dar & Co. | $5.80 | $3.60 | $3.80 | $4.40 |
| Yih Kee & Co. | 5.40 | 3.50 | 4.00 | 4.50 |
| *Dong Shing & Co. | 5.30 | 3.50 | 3.30 | 4.40 |
| Nee Chong & Co. | 5.30 | 3.40 | 3.30 | 4.20 |

*Accepted

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## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice that a special meeting of Ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall, on Thursday, July 10, 1919, at 12.15 p.m., when the following Resolution will be proposed.

RESOLUTION. — That the Byelaws published in the Municipal Gazette on June 26, 1919, be passed and approved in substitution for the existing Byelaws, Nos. XXXIII to XXXVII, inclusive, attached to the Land Regulations.

Proposed by E. C. PEARCE.
Seconded by Ed. WHITE.

Shanghai, June 28, 1919

A. E. Algar
H. E. Arnhold
F. Ayscough
C. R. Burkill
E. J. Cornfoot
Edward I. Ezra
H. H. Girardet
R. E. Gregson
H. C. Gulland
C. Holliday
Robert S. Ivy
W. S. Jackson
Joseph J. Keegan
Henry Lester
R. J. Marshall
Reginald F. Master
V. Meyer
L. Midwood
R. B. Moorhead
E. Nissim
J. H. Osborne
W. A. C. Platt
N. Sakurai
H. G. Simms
A. G. Stephen
A. I. D. Stewart
Edward Wheeley
Richard E. Wilson
G. H. Wright.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2617.**

*(Translation.)*

IT has been brought to the Council's attention, that recently certain handbills and pamphlets have been printed and distributed by certain persons with a view to bringing unlawful pressure upon Chinese merchants and residents in the Settlement, to refrain from purchasing, selling or dealing in Japanese goods, thus tending to cause unrest and threatening the peace and good order of the Settlement.

The Public should take note that all acts of intimidation are unlawful, and that anyone attempting by force or threat or other form of compulsion to interfere with any resident or merchant in the pursuit of his lawful business, or by force or threat or other form of compulsion to induce anyone to refrain from the exercise of his right to make use of, purchase, sell or deal in any goods, will on detection be arrested and punished as a law breaker.

If anyone attempts to intimidate any resident or merchant, immediate information should be given by the concerned to the nearest Police Station, with a statement of the circumstances in detail, whereupon his assailant will forthwith be arrested and the case brought before the Mixed Court, or the Court of the party concerned for investigation and severe punishment without the least leniency. Warning is duly given. Let all obey.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 19, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2627.**

*(Translation.)*

FALSE and malicious rumours regarding the poisoning of water and food stuffs have been set afloat with the view of inciting national hatred. As a result several innocent persons including a number of Chinese have been assaulted and in one instance a Chinese citizen was murdered.

Warning is hereby issued that no credence must be given to these stories which have been investigated and which have been proved to be slanderous and without foundation.

Any person found spreading such rumours will be arrested and severely punished.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2602.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2628.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Music Mistress in the Public School for Girls. The successful candidate will be required to teach music for twelve hours per week. Pay, not exceeding Tls. 60 per mensem, according to qualifications.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 3, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Thursday, June 26, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
J. H. Dollar
T. Ibukiyama

The meeting adjourned at 6.10 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, June 27, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. Skinner Turner *(Chairman)*
L. E. Canning
Mrs. D. Henman
Messrs. T. Ibukiyama
S. C. Lin
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mr. W. D. McCallum
Mrs. C. F. Remer

The meeting adjourned at 6.45 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, July 2, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

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**Chinese Educational Committee.**

The resignation of Rev. Dr. Hopkyn Rees of his seat on the Chinese Educational Committee has been accepted with regret.

**Bye-Laws and Licensing of the Press, etc.**

Correspondence with the Senior Consul and the Consul-General for France in continuation of that published in the Municipal Gazette of June 26:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 25, 1919.

SIR,—In connexion with the recent unrest attending the Students' Strike which ultimately affected the merchants and labouring classes of the Chinese Community, I have the honour to emphasize the very serious disadvantages under which peace and order were maintained, in consequence of the absence of any express authority vested in the Council to enter and search premises upon which it is suspected that handbills or other matter calculated to incite to disorder are being printed. The procedure usual in normal times whereunder application is made to the Court concerned, for a search warrant, involves delay that, under abnormal conditions such as those which the Settlement has recently experienced, is likely to result in very serious consequences. Under these circumstances and to enable the Council properly and efficiently to carry out the duty of preserving peace and good order, with which it is charged as the representatives of the Community as a whole, I have the honour to request that the Consular Body may accord approval to such entry and search by the Council in times of unrest without warrant.

In making this request, I have the honour to emphasize that unless approval is accorded, the Council will in effect be charged with a duty, which it cannot properly perform, and further that refusal of approval may, upon a future occasion, be followed by results which can only be contemplated with grave concern.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, June 26, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of June 12 forwarding the text of the amended Bye-laws which are now proposed by the Consular Body.

These Bye-laws appear to be modelled on the lines of and to embody the more important of the provisions contained in the Bye-laws submitted by the Council at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers held on March 21, 1916, with the exception of the specific provision made in the latter for tramway regulations and for the licensing of the Press, etc., and in the view that they will form a valuable addition to the existing code of Municipal Bye-laws, it is the Council's intention to submit the same to the Ratepayers at a special meeting to be convened for this purpose at an early date, with the recommendation that they be adopted.

The omission to make any provision for the licensing of the Press and of printing establishments, etc., must, in the opinion of my colleagues, be regarded as serious, for although the Council has no desire to muzzle the Press—and indeed it is inconceivable that the Ratepayers would sanction such action on its part—it is nevertheless essential that it should be vested with every power necessary to the preservation of peace and good order in the Settlement, as was clearly established in the recent unrest, which attended the Students' Strike and ultimately effected the merchant and labouring classes of the Community. Granted that this is so, I have the honour to submit that no power is more essential than the power of immediate action by the Council, without recourse to any other Authority, to prevent the publication of any printed matter of a character that is calculated to incite to a breach of the peace and to express the view of my colleagues that this power can best be secured by the licensing of the Press and of printing establishments, etc.

Accordingly I have the honour to inform you of the Council's intention, when submitting the Consular Body's text of Bye-laws for the Ratepayers approval, to recommend that they be approved with the following provision inserted in Bye-law XXXIII between the word "goats" and "or sell," viz., "or carry on the business of a printer lithographer or engraver or print or publish any newspaper or periodical." Finally I have the honour to express the hope that, upon a reconsideration of the needs of the Settlement in the light of recent events, the Consular Body will give its unanimous support to the suggested provision and thus strengthen the hands of the Council in the matter of preventing the printing and publication of seditious, scurrilous and inciting printed matter.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

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*Translation of letter from the French Consul-General to the Chairman of Council, dated June 18, 1919.*

SIR AND DEAR COLLEAGUE,—On June 15, you very kindly sent me several copies of the newspaper "Kiou-wang-ji-pao," in which was published certain articles of a character which is calculated to disturb public order (reports of alleged poisoning by the Japanese).

I hasten to inform you that the French Mixed Court pronounced sentence yesterday against the editor of this publication to the maximum provided by Chinese law. A penalty of $100 against the editor and the definite closing down of the paper.

At the moment I am drawing up a Consular Ordinance regulating the publication in our Concession, of Chinese newspapers, periodicals and printed matter, this Ordinance provides for prior authorization and for a security deposit at this Consulate General, I shall be obliged if you on your part will let me know of the measures that you think it is necessary to take in the matter.

A. WILDEN,
*Consul-General for France.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, June 28, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge and thank you for your letter of June 18, and to express the Council's satisfaction upon learning of the decision of the French Mixed Court in the action taken against the Editor of the "Kiou-wang-ji-pao."

In regard to the contemplated promulgation of a Consular Ordinance regulating certain publications in the French Settlement, and in reply to your enquiry for the Council's views, I have the honour to refer you to pages 84B of the Municipal Report for 1918 and to transmit the following enclosures which bear upon this question, viz.:—

Copy of letter of June 25 to the Senior Consul.

Minute extracted from the Municipal Gazette of June 26.

Copy letter of June 26 to the Senior Consul.

Reference to the Municipal Report for 1918 and perusal of the enclosures above enumerated, will, I feel sure, indicate very clearly that the Council considers it to be of the utmost importance that it should be vested with such powers as will enable immediate action on its part, in times of unrest, to secure the suppression of seditious, scurrilous and inciting printed matter.

You will observe—and I have the honour to emphasize this point—that the Council has no desire to muzzle the Press: indeed such action on its part would be contrary to the accepted principle of the freedom of the Press and could not be tolerated. The Council's only desire is to secure that measure of control which will enable effectual and immediate action when such is considered essential to the maintenance of peace and good order within the Settlement

In conclusion I have the honour to express the earnest hope that you may kindly lend your support to the Council's proposals to be made in this connexion at the forthcoming Special Meeting of the Ratepayers of this Settlement.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

A. WILDEN, Esq.,
Consul-General for France.

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*Translation of letter from the French Consul-General dated June 26, 1919.*

SIR,—I have the honour to transmit herein enclosed, a copy of an Ordinance which I have just issued in regard to newspapers in Chinese edited in the French Settlement.

The abuses committed by the Chinese Press revealed by the recent unrest have led me to take these measures, which are equally applicable to Chinese newspapers registered in the name of French subjects and published in the International Settlement: these newspapers have at my request recognized the jurisdiction of the French Mixed Court.

Should any misdemeanour be committed by newspapers in this last category, I shall be obliged if you will kindly advise the Captain Superintendent of Police in the International Settlement so that the delinquent be brought before the French Mixed Court.

I am, etc.,

A. WILDEN,

*Consul-General for France.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,

Chairman, Municipal Council.

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(*Enclosure.*)

*Translation of French Consular Ordinance No. 5.*

We, Auguste Wilden, Consul in Charge of the Consulate-General of France at Shanghai, Chevalier of the Legion of Honour, pursuant to Article 13 of the Regulations for the French Consulate, dated April 14, 1868, have ordered and order as follows:—

Article 1.—No establishment for the publication of magazines, pamphlets, tracts and Chinese newspapers shall open in the French Settlement without the authority of the Consul-General for France.

Article 2.—The request for the authorization provided for by the preceding Article, must clearly state the name of the responsible editor and the object in view. The deposit of the Articles of Association of the publishing company, if there is need, should also be made at the same time as the request.

Article 3.—If the request is approved, no printed matter tract, magazine or newspaper, shall be put into circulation without the previous lodgment of a copy with the French Police and the French Consul-General

Article 4.—If the Police discover that any publications edited are against public peace or against morality, the responsible editor and author as well as, if need be, the printers, will be prosecuted in the Mixed Court and punished according to law

Article 5.—Any establishment opened in contravention of the provisions of Article 1, will be closed at any time by the Police who will moreover prosecute the offenders in the Mixed Court.

Article 6.—This Ordinance will have effect from the date of its publication.

Article 7.—The Chief of Police is charged with the carrying out of this Ordinance.

Issued at the Consulate-General of France, June 20, 1919.

(Signed) A. WILDEN.

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*Translation of letter from the French Consul-General, dated, June 30, 1919.*

SIR,—With reference to my letter of June 26, I have the honour to transmit herein the text of an error in the Ordinance of June 20.

I am, etc.,

A. WILDEN,

*Consul-General for France.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,

Chairman, Municipal Council.

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***(Enclosure)***

*Erratum.*

In Article 3, of Consular Ordinance No. 5, on the subject of publications in the Chinese Language, instead of

"without previous lodgment of a copy" read,

"without lodgment of a copy immediately after printing."

Issued at the Consulate General for France, June 30, 1919.

(Signed) A. WILDEN.

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**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Bubbling Well and Great Western Roads.*—The claim of the China Mutual Life Insurance Co., Ld., has been accepted for the area required from B.C. Lot 6292 as follows:—

| | Mow. | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| For Bubbling Well Rd. | 0.341 | 712 |
| For Great Western Rd. | 0.086 | 180 |
| | Tls. | 892 |

**Isolation Hospital.**

*East Block.*—The first floor verandah of this block constructed of wood is in a bad state of repair, and in the course of general renovation of the block, it has been decided to replace the verandah in concrete at an estimated cost of Tls. 800

**Public Band.**

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | July | 7 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | ,, | 8 | 5.30 ,, | ,, |
| ,, | ,, | 8 | 9.00 ,, | Race Club Enclosure |
| Wed. | ,, | 9 | 5.30 ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | ,, | 10 | 9.00 ,, | ,, |
| Fri. | ,, | 11 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| ,, | ,, | 11 | 9 00 ,, | Public Garden |
| Sat. | ,, | 12 | 5.30 ,, | Public Recreation Ground |
| ,, | ,, | 12 | 9:00 ,, | Public Garden |

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JUNE 28.

*Police Force.*—1st Class Warder F Reuter is invalided from June 23.

2nd Class Constable A. Peters is invalided from June 20.

The following are discharged, invalided, from June 23:—

Sikh Constable No. 196, Labh Singh.

Sikh Constable No. 314, Banta Singh.

Warder No. 36 Santa Singh.

Sikh Cook No. 2, Wassawa Singh.

*Electricity Department.*—The appointments of Messrs. A. D Henne and W. Tinker, Shift Engineers, are confirmed under agreements terminable at three months' notice from November 26, 1918 and January 13, 1919, respectively.

Mr. H. Meigan is appointed House Service Mains Assistant on three months' probation from June 2.

*Public Band.*—Mr. F. C. West is appointed temporarily as Musician from June 17.

*Educational Department.*—Miss E J. Wolfe is appointed Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys on probation from August 1.

Long leave, under special circumstances, is granted to Miss I. W. Beckingsale, Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, from July 7.

Mrs. J. W. Wheeler, temporary Music Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is permitted to terminate her service on August 31.

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**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, June 29, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 15 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 150 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,

*Health Officer.*

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**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 34 | Szechuen | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| 809 | N. Soochow | ShanghaiLand Investment Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| Un-reg. E of 476 | E. Kashing | W. N. Chow | | | drying stage |
| 6044 | Y'poo | ChinaImport& ExportLumber Co., Ld. | | | drying kiln |
| 2645 | do. | J. E. Denham | | | addns. |
| Un-reg. W of 6120 | Connaught | P. M. Yu | | | cow-house, bottling room & servants' quarters |
| 4256 | do. | D. T. Zun | | | conservatory & stable |
| 4175 | Gordon | Nagai Wata Kaisha | | | statue pedestal |
| 4434 | do. | Tung Van Kee | 1 | | servants' quarters |
| 4726 | W. Soochow | Cheng Ching Chee | | | motor house |
| 4640 | Tonquin | do. | | | addns. |
| 2049 | Weihaiwei | Brandt & Rodgers | | | pavilion |
| 2563 | Gt. Western | J. E. Denham | | | sanitary block |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 324 | Burkill | Loh Chwang Tai | 5 | | |
| Un-reg. S of 4790 | Tonquin | Sung Sung Yung | 7 | | |

**Parks Report for April and May.**

From January 1 till the last week in March, the rainfall rendered ground operations impossible. During the first week in April the laying out of another section of Jessfield Park was commenced. As the ground had to be raised 2 feet whilst in addition, undulations averaging from 3 feet to 6 feet had to be raised, progress depended upon the contractor supplying the soil, and his rate of progress was somewhat slow. Early in the month the temperature rose to 85 Fahrenheit, resulting in the opening of the leaf buds; consequently, the work had to be accelerated, and this was accomplished by means of additional labour, planting on mounds in advance of their proper completion, working overtime, and conveying large trees culled from various points, after midnight. By the end of April, all planting was effected and the major portion of the grading, whilst a commencement had been made with the turfing.

The laying out of this new area of 60 mow was completed by the second week in May. On the East side of the section laid out last year, a lake was excavated corresponding with the one made last year. The soil excavated is so sterile that it has been thrown into high mounds and is being fertilized. It is proposed to plant in the autumn, on the summit of these mounds, such Pine and Fir trees as cannot be grown on the ordinary level. Between these mounds and the main entrance numbers of oaks of various kinds, including the so-called "English Oak," were planted. On the mound at the northeast corner many dwarf conifers and azaleas were planted.

A portion of the 60 mow section is laid out in the form of a curved vista, having on either side "bays" forming distinct gardens, as the maple, bamboo and semi-tropical gardens, each being characterized by the majority of the plants planted therein. To give immediate effect other kinds of trees are introduced temporarily. To view this section the best way is to follow a path, beginning at the garden containing stone figures. This path leads to the refreshment house, one branch passing in front and the other on the rear of this house,—a circular gateway has been made in the rear wall of this house, giving access from both sides—and it then turns in a northerly direction through what will soon be a woodland path, across the creek and terminating at the Rose Garden.

Planting in this section includes 50 distinct species of maples, 20 species of bamboos, 30 species of Japanese azaleas and 2,000 plants of mixed kinds of azaleas from Mokanshan, 3,000 Lily bulbs in 25 distinct species and varieties, 14 species of Magnolias. In all 130 species new to the Parks, exclusive of lilies.

The floral display in this park, especially of Roses, could compare favourably with the best in Public Parks anywhere.

*Experimental Section.*—Experiments in vegetable culture, to which this section is devoted, were on the whole satisfactory; towards the end of May the effects of the rising temperature was perceptible.

*Crossing Peas.*—Last year the Chinese purple flowered pea which has small pods and dark coloured seeds was crossed. (*a*) Foreign pea pollen and Chinese pea pod bearer gave this year Shanghai No. 1—a pea resembling the Chinese female parent with slightly paler flowers, and seeds nearly green when cooked. (*b*) Shanghai No. 2—the reverse cross gave plants almost akin to the female parent (foreign) flowers slightly tinted, yield earlier and plants equally as robust as the foreign pea. Nos. 1 and 2 were crossed again with the pick of the early foreign varieties. The object of these experiments is to produce green peas with large pods, good flavour together with the hardiness and earliness of the Chinese peas. From "Mendel's Law" applied to eugenics and worked out with peas, his experience shows that it will take six generations to fix a type.

*Yuyuen Road Children's Playground.*—A small area of land at the junction of Yuyuen and Tifeng Roads was turfed and planted with shade trees and shrubs. A matshed with seats and a sand pit in the centre was erected and a see-saw, giant strides and swings were placed in position. In two or three years this playground will be well shaded so that children can utilize it for the greater part of the day.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground—Children's Playground.*

This was found to be inadequate and further, many children accompanied by incompetent amahs were entering the recreation ground and scampering over the lawns in hourly danger of being hit by hard balls which players cannot always control. In the interest of the children, parents who send their children accompanied only by amahs are advised to instruct the amahs to take the children to the playground.

This playground is laid out in a series of bays, well shaded and is large enough for years to come. It is separated from the road by a double fence over which are planted climbing roses, rendering it almost impenetrable. It occupies the land, formerly employed for tennis, between the Public School for Boys and the Junior Golf Club Pavilions. In laying out this playground advantage was taken of the alterations to add to the adjoining public roadway—which may be termed the "Park Avenue"—a lawn 25 ft. wide interspersed by groups of shrubs and an additional line of trees now being included. The average width of this avenue is now about 110 ft.

*Wayside Park.*—Two public Lawn Bowls Greens were constructed and except for the surrounding banks are completed. In their construction subsoil drainage was carried out and a solid foundation was laid. Already they give every promise of being a success. Water was laid on in a section of the park and this should prove of benefit.

*Hungjao Road Nursery.*—Always low and wet, this land was becoming a quagmire—in which young plants did not thrive—by reason of the annual removal of plants with soil attached to their roots. To ameliorate this condition to a certain extent a ditch 15-ft. wide by 8-ft. deep was dug the entire length of the ground, this serving to drain the whole area. The soil dug out was employed for raising, but it will take some years before it can be raised to the required height. Whilst the ditch was being excavated a cart-way 15-ft. was made along the side of it, to facilitate the loading of carts with plants. At the same time lawns each 35-ft. wide, planted with an assortment of small trees and shrubs were laid down on either side of the Hungjao Road, the entire length of the Nursery, giving a total width to the avenue here of 105 feet. This avenue in a few years, especially when the Nurseries are better arranged will form an excellent example of what can be done to improve the appearance of this type of roadway.

*Roads.*—In addition to the planting of trees, their removal for road widenings and other reasons, the appearance of a section of Bubbling Well Road near Hart Road is improved by the turfing of spaces left around the trees to encourage their

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growth. A small triangular section on Yuyuen Road was turfed and the section of Yuyuen Road in front of the Children's Playground is ready for turfing.

APRIL 1919.

*Roadside Trees.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Trees planted | 469 |
| ,, staked | 735 |
| ,, fastened | 8,057 |
| ,, transplanted | 2 |
| ,, pruned | 1,089 |
| ,, topdressed | 22 |
| Birdsnests removed | 45 |

*New Roads.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Trees planted | 42 |
| ,, staked | 42 |
| ,, fastened | 42 |

*Nurseries.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Young trees transplanted | 6,730 |
| Shrubs transplanted | 14,964 |
| Seedlings transplanted | 3,984 |
| Cuttings inserted | 19,250 |

*Road Widenings.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Trees transplanted | 48 |
| Trees staked | 2 |

*Sports—Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Golf players | 1,509 |
| Non-players | 6,737 |
| Total visitors | 8,246 |

| *Planting of—* | Trees | Shrubs | Hedge Plants | Bamboos |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jessfield Park | 433 | 2395 | 260 | 3000 |
| Studley Park | — | 540 | — | — |
| Cathedral Compound | — | 4 | — | — |
| Hongkew Police Station | — | 13 | — | — |
| Carter Road Police Qrs. | — | 13 | — | — |
| | 433 | 2965 | 260 | 3000 |

*Trees and shrubs transplanted.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Jessfield Park | 14 trees |
| Carter Road Police Quarters | 171 shrubs |

*Plants bedded out.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Reserve Garden | 540 |
| Public Garden | 1,294 |
| Jessfield Park | 2,000 |
| Public School for Chinese | 100 |
| | 3,934 |

Lawns mowed at Public Garden, Hongkew and Public Recreation Grounds, Jessfield Park, Wayside Park, Bubbling Well and Wayside Carriage Turns, Isolation Hospital, Victoria Nursing Home, Hart Road Piece, Public Schools for Boys and Girls, Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Kungping Road Public School, Municipal Gaol, Sinza, Louza, Bubbling Well, Wayside and Gordon Road Police Stations

MAY 1919.

*Roadside Trees.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Planted | 137 |
| Staked | 296 |
| Fastened | 5,215 |
| Pruned | 4,941 |
| Topdressed | 32 |
| Tree borers destroyed | 222 |
| Birdsnests removed | 37 |

*Road Widenings.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Trees transplanted | 338 |
| ,, staked | 2 |
| ,, Fastened | 4 |

*New Roads.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Trees planted, staked and fastened | 50 |

*Nurseries.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Young trees pruned | 272 |
| Trees transplanted | 680 |
| Shrubs transplanted | 10,435 |
| Seedlings transplanted | 8,740 |
| Cuttings inserted | 29,750 |
| Young trees staked and fastened | 117 |

SPORTS.

Hongkew Recreation Ground.

| | No. of Players |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,267 |
| Lawn Bowls | 284 |
| Baseball | 414 |
| Tennis (772 courts) | 3,086 |
| Players | 5,051 |
| Non-players | 7,875 |
| Visitors | 12,926 |

Shrubs transplanted at Carter Road Police Quarters 171.

| *Planting of—* | Trees | Shrubs | Hedge Plants |
|---|---|---|---|
| Studley Park | — | 360 | — |
| Yuyuen Road Children's Playground | 19 | 71 | 250 |
| Gordon Road Police Station | — | 2 | 200 |
| Hongkew Police Station | — | — | 13 |
| Carter Road Police Quarters | — | — | 13 |
| | 19 | 433 | 476 |

*Plants bedded out at:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Reserve Garden | 1,584 |
| Public Garden | 1,171 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 656 |
| Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese | 365 |
| Public School for Chinese | 100 |
| No 88 Avenue Road Public School for Girls | 270 |
| Gordon Road Police Station | 85 |
| Sinza Police Station | 185 |
| Bubbling Well Police Station | 175 |
| Carter Road Police Quarters | 120 |
| | 4,611 |

*Turf laid at:—*

| | fong |
|---|---|
| Quinsan Square | 136 |
| Bund Foreshore | 71 |
| Jessfield Park | 1,000 |
| Studley Park | 70 |
| Bubbling Well Road | 26 |
| Yuyuen Road Children's Playground | 163 |
| Yuyuen Road Piece | 31 |
| Municipal Reformatory | 5 |
| Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese | 34 |
| Bubbling Well Cemetery | 2 |
| Victoria Nursing Home | 51 |
| Sinza Police Station | 15½ |
| Gordon Road Police Station | 10 |
| Yangtszepoo Police Station | 2 |
| Carter Road Police Quarters | 4½ |
| | 1,621 |

Lawns mowed at Reserve and Public Gardens, Hongkew and Public Recreation Grounds, Jessfield, Wayside and Studley Parks, The Point Garden, Bund and Soochow Road Foreshores, Quinsan Square, Cathedral Compound, Bubbling Well and Wayside Carriage Turns, Warren, Brenan, Hart and Yuyuen Roads Pieces, Victoria Nursing Home, Isolation Hospital, Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, Public Schools for Boys, for Girls and for Chinese, Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Kungping Road Public School, Municipal Gaol and Reformatory, Sinza, Louza, Wayside, Yangtszepoo, Bubbling Well, Hongkew, Gordon Road, Harbin Road and North Szechuen Road Police Stations, No. 209 Bubbling Well Road, No. 76 Yangtszepoo Road Police Quarters.

1,384 shrubs planted at Jessfield Park.

D. MACGREGOR,
*Superintendent.*

Countersigned.

C. HARPUR,
Acting Engineer & Surveyor.

**Public Health Notice.**

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow or Berkefeld filter.

Aerated waters and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

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Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow or Berkefeld filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 凡未行定價者必須承辦本局之工程

三 凡挪用人員之費用由本局自有之

四 所有承攬人之信用及其公司之名稱

五 目前本局所有之工程必須登入各人之名下

六 所有承攬人之名稱及其公司之名稱

本局有權將其所承攬之工程轉讓他人

本局有權將其所承攬之工程轉讓他人

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## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice that a special meeting of Ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall, on Thursday, July 10, 1919, at 12.15 p.m., when the following Resolution will be proposed.

RESOLUTION. — That the Byelaws published in the Municipal Gazette on June 26, 1919, be passed and approved in substitution for the existing Byelaws, Nos. XXXIII to XXXVII, inclusive, attached to the Land Regulations.

Proposed by E. C. PEARCE.
Seconded by Ed. WHITE.

Shanghai, June 28, 1919

A. E. Algar
H. E. Arnhold
F. Ayscough
C. R. Burkill
E. J. Cornfoot
Edward I. Ezra
H. H. Girardet
R. E. Gregson
H. C. Gulland
C. Holliday
Robert S. Ivy
W. S. Jackson
Joseph J. Keegan
Henry Lester
R. J. Marshall
Reginald F. Master
V. Meyer
L. Midwood
R. B. Moorhead
E. Nissim
J. H. Osborne
W. A. C. Platt
N. Sakurai
H. G. Simms
A. G. Stephen
A. I. D. Stewart
Edward Wheeley
Richard E. Wilson
G. H. Wright.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2630a.

THE attendance of all qualified Ratepayers is particularly requested at the special meeting to be held in the Town Hall on Thursday July 10, at 12.15 p.m.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 9, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2632.

NOTICE is hereby given that voting tickets have been forwarded to Ratepayers entitled to vote at the forthcoming Special Meeting. Any such Ratepayer not having received his ticket is requested to be good enough to communicate with the undersigned as soon as possible.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 7, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2633.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following will be proposed at the special Meeting of Ratepayers to be held in the Town Hall on Thursday July 10, 1919 at 12.15 p.m. as an amendment to the Resolution published in the notice convening such Meeting:—

*Amendment to Resolution.*

That all the words after "That the Byelaws" be deleted and the following substituted "contained in the enclosure to the letter of the Senior Consul to the Chairman of Council dated June 12, 1919, published in the Municipal Gazette on June 26, 1919 be passed and approved in substitution for the existing Byelaws Nos. XXXIII to XXXVII inclusive attached to the Land Regulations.

Proposed by E. C. Pearce.
Seconded by Ed. White.

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Notice is also hereby given that the following additional Resolutions will be proposed at the above-mentioned meeting.

*Resolution.*

That the following Byelaw to be known as Byelaw XXXIVA be passed and approved.

"No person shall carry on the business of a printer lithographer or engraver or print or publish any newspaper periodical paper or other printed matter containing public news intelligence or occurrences within such limits without a licence first obtained from the Council and in the case of foreigners countersigned by the Consul of the nationality to which such foreigner belongs. In respect of such licences the Council may charge such fees and impose such conditions as may be authorised at any annual or special meeting of Ratepayers provided that such conditions shall be approved by the Consular Body before the same are imposed.

Any person offending against or infringing the provisions of this Byelaw shall be liable for every offence to a penalty or fine not exceeding $300 or to any such other penalty as shall be prescribed by the law to which such person is amenable. Any person assisting to publish or circulate any lithograph engraving newspaper periodical paper or other printed matter which does not contain the name and address of the printer upon the first leaf and, if it shall consist of more than one leaf, upon the last leaf as well, shall be liable for every offence to a penalty or fine not exceeding twenty five dollars ($25) or to any such other penalty as shall be prescribed by the law to which such person is amenable."

Proposed by E. C. Pearce.
Seconded by Ed. White.

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*Resolution.*

That subject to their prior approval by the Consular Body the Council be, and it is hereby directed to impose the following conditions in respect of all licences to carry on the business of a printer, lithographer or engraver or to print or publish any newspaper, periodical, paper or other printed matter:—

1.—That the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous place upon the licensed premises.

2.—That free access be given to the Police on duty and to officers of the Revenue Office.

3.—That the title of any newspaper periodical or other paper printed on the licensed premises, be duly registered.

4.—That the name and address of the licencee be printed upon the first leaf and, if it consists of more than one leaf, upon the last leaf of all lithographs engravings newspapers periodicals and printed matter of whatever description before the same are published or put into circulation.

5.—That no matter of an indecent or obscene character be printed lithographed engraved or otherwise reproduced or published by the licencee or upon the licensed premises.

6.—That no matter of a seditious or scurrilous character or of a character that is calculated to incite to a breach of the peace or to the disturbance of good order be printed lithographed engraved or otherwise reproduced or published by the licencee or upon the licensed premises.

7.—That any matter printed lithographed or otherwise reproduced or published in breach of Conditions Nos 5 and 6 hereof be liable to seizure and confiscation by the Police and the licencee liable to prosecution. That, upon any breach of Condition No. 6 hereof the licence be subject in times of unrest to immediate suspension until the Court to which the licencee is amenable shall have pronounced its decision in action to be brought forthwith by the Council against the licencee, whereupon the suspension shall be removed, continued or made permanent as the Court may recommend and that under

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no other circumstances whatsoever shall the licence be suspended except upon the recommendation of the Court to which the licencee is amenable in action first taken by the Council against the licencee and then only for the period for which such suspension shall be recommended by the Court.

Proposed by E. C. Pearce.
Seconded by Ed. White.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 7, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2617.**

*(Translation.)*

IT has been brought to the Council's attention, that recently certain handbills and pamphlets have been printed and distributed by certain persons with a view to bringing unlawful pressure upon Chinese merchants and residents in the Settlement, to refrain from purchasing, selling or dealing in Japanese goods, thus tending to cause unrest and threatening the peace and good order of the Settlement.

The Public should take note that all acts of intimidation are unlawful, and that anyone attempting by force or threat or other form of compulsion to interfere with any resident or merchant in the pursuit of his lawful business, or by force or threat or other form of compulsion to induce anyone to refrain from the exercise of his right to make use of, purchase, sell or deal in any goods, will on detection be arrested and punished as a law breaker.

If anyone attempts to intimidate any resident or merchant, immediate information should be given by the concerned to the nearest Police Station, with a statement of the circumstances in detail, whereupon his assailant will forthwith be arrested and the case brought before the Mixed Court, or the Court of the party concerned for investigation and severe punishment without the least leniency. Warning is duly given. Let all obey.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 19, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2602.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2631.**

**Traffic—"One Way Roads"**

NOTICE is hereby given that with effect from Monday, July 7, the provisions of Notifications Nos. 2604 and 2611 will be withdrawn, except as regards wheelbarrow and handcart traffic.

The Szechuen Road between the Nanking and Hongkong Roads will remain closed to all vehicular traffic, except traffic proceeding North to South, until the completion of the road repairs which are now being carried out.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 5, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Municipal Employes War Service Pay Committee held on Thursday, July 3, 1919, at 12, noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
P. Fowler
Rev. Evan Morgan

The meeting adjourned at 1 o'clock p.m.

AT the special meeting of the Watch Committee held on Thursday, July 3, 1919, at 4 o'clock p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. Ed. White *(Chairman)*
H. A. J. Macray
A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 4.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Thursday, July 3, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. P. Peebles *(Acting Chairman)*
W. L. Merriman
S. B. Neill
Ed. White

*Absent:*
Mr. A. W. Burkill

The meeting adjourned at 5.55 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, July 4, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. Skinner Turner *(Chairman)*
L. E. Canning
T. Ibukiyama
S. C. Lin
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mr. W. D. McCallum
Mrs. D. Henman

The meeting adjourned at 6.55 p.m.

AT the special meeting of the Council held on Monday, July 7, 1919, at 4.15 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 5.15 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, July 7, 1919, at 5.15 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. W. L. Merriman *(Chairman)*
C. M. Bain
A. Howard

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, July 9, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Ed. White

The meeting adjourned at 6.50 p.m.

**Bye-Laws and Licensing of the Press, etc.**

Letter from the American Chamber of Commerce of China:—

Shanghai, July 8, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—At a joint meeting of the Executive Committees of the American Chamber of Commerce of China and the American Association of China, representing the major American interest and population in China, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:—

"Resolved that this meeting is in favor of some form of justifiable legal control over seditious publications, but cannot support the Amendment to the Municipal

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Bye-laws in its present form because it is against American principles and because it will not accomplish the object for which it is proposed."

It was further moved and unanimously adopted that the Municipal Council be requested to publish this letter in the Municipal Gazette and also that a copy of same be supplied to the Shanghai press.

Thanking you for your attention and with best wishes, we are

Very truly yours,

American Chamber of Commerce of China,

J. B. POWELL,

*Secretary.*

THE CHAIRMAN,

Municipal Council.

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**Fire Brigade.**

Correspondence with the Shanghai Fire Insurance Association on the subject of the presentation to the Council of the Volunteer Fire Brigade Challenge Shield:—

Shanghai, June 4, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—A Challenge Shield was, as you are aware, presented by the Shanghai Fire Insurance Agents and Representatives, to the Fire Brigade to be competed for annually between the various Volunteer Companies.

The Volunteer Section of the Brigade having resigned, the object for which the Shield was presented ceases to exist, and my Committee desire to ask the Council's acceptance of it to be kept as a memento of the Volunteer Section of the Brigade, and to be placed wherever the Council may think most desirable with such purpose in view.

The Shield will be handed to the Council on receipt of an intimation that they are willing to accept it.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

G. J. W. MORGAN,

*Acting Secretary.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,

Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, June 12, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of June 4, requesting the Council's acceptance of the Challenge Shield which was originally presented by your Association for competition annually by the various Volunteer Companies of the Fire Brigade.

In reply, I am directed to convey to you an expression of the Council's cordial appreciation of the gift which the members have great pleasure in accepting, and to state that the Shield will be placed in the Council Room in the new Central Offices.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

G. J. W. MORGAN, Esq.,

Acting Secretary,

Shanghai Fire Insurance Association.

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Shanghai, June 24, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 12th instant and now send you the Volunteer Fire Brigade Challenge Shield, noting with thanks the Council's proposal for its disposal.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

G. J. W. MORGAN,

*Acting Secretary.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,

Secretary, Municipal Council.

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**Municipal Properties.**

*Surplus Land.*—In view of the necessity of vacating the substation site on Lot 2466, Eastern District, at an early date, it has been decided to transfer to the Electricity Department the piece of surplus land on Whashing Road known as Lot 2988 for the sum of Tls. 1,463. The net area available for use is Mow 0.481.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Medhurst and Wuting Roads.*—The amended claim of Messrs. Moorhead & Halse has been accepted for the surrender from Lot 3462 of the area required for these roads, on the following terms:—

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|---|---|
| Medhurst Road— | |
| Mow 0.160 | Free |
| Wuting Road— | |
| Mow 0.707 at the assessed value, Tls. 4,500 per mow, plus 10 per cent. | Tls. 3,500 |

**Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.**

*Bursary.*—The offer of Mr. H. O. White has been accepted to donate a sum sufficient to yield about $100 per annum to be given as a special prize to the best pupil in the above school. The thanks of the Foreign Educational Committee and the Council are recorded in the subjoined letter:—

Council Room,

Shanghai, June 17, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to convey to you an expression of the thanks of the Foreign Educational Committee and of the Council for your generous offer, which is cordially accepted, to donate a sum sufficient to yield about $100 per annum, to be given as a special prize to the best pupil at the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys during each year. The Committee and the Council deeply appreciate the assistance which you are rendering by this very generous and practical gift in the education of the Foreign children of the Settlement.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

N. O. LIDDELL.

*Secretary*

H. O. WHITE, Esq.

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**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JULY 5.

*Police Force.*—E. Bouvier is appointed Probationary Warder from July 1.

*Health Department.*—Miss K. M. Taylor and Miss L. V. Vale are engaged as candidates for appointments as Probationer Nurses, on six months' trial from October 1.

Long leave is granted to Nurse D. M. Dalton from July 7.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. J. E. Morgan is appointed temporarily as Assistant Inspector from July 1.

Mr. W. C. Johnstone is re-engaged as Clerical Assistant on three months' probation from July 7.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. S. T. Russell, temporary Boiler Erector, was permitted to terminate his service on May 31.

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**Public Band.**

The public performance arranged to take place in the Race Club Enclosure during this week, will be given on Friday, July 11, at 9 p.m. instead of on Tuesday, July 8, as advertised.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | July 14 | 5.30 p.m. | | Public Garden |
| ,, | ,, 14 | 9.00 | ,, | French Public Garden |
| Tues. | ,, 15 | 5.30 | ,, | Public Garden |
| ,, | ,, 15 | 9.00 | ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | ,, 16 | 5.30 | ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | ,, 17 | 9.00 | ,, | ,, |
| Fri. | ,, 18 | 5.30 | ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| ,, | ,, 18 | 9 00 | ,, | Public Garden |
| Sat. | ,, 19 | 5.30 | ,, | Public Recreation Ground |
| ,, | ,, 19 | 9.00 | ,, | Public Garden |

**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, July 6, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 3 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 13 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 3 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 10 | 183 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,

*Health Officer.*

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**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 162 | Kiukiang | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| 161 | do. | S. J. Powell | | | block offices |
| 1015 | Astor | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | altns. |
| 801 | Tiendong | Moorhead & Halse | | | addns. |
| 1708 | Kinchow | National Committee Y.W.C.A. | | | school |
| 6015 | Kwanghsin | Palmer & Turner | | 1 | |
| 3169 | Gordon | B. P. Lalcaca | | | water-closet |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 698 | Chekiang | Wong Yung Kee | 33 | | |
| 260 | Foochow | Sung Kyung Kee | | 1 | |
| 1077 | Miller | Brandt & Rodgers | 37 | | |
| 3813 | Thorburn | Tsang Kee | 3 | | |
| Unreg. S of 4000 | Haiphong | Sah Yun Kee | 4 | | |

**Fire Brigade Report for May.**

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 32, as against 28 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 71,075 (Foreign, Tls. 65,025; Chinese, Tls. 6,050), as against Tls. 88,250 (Foreign, Tls. 75,750; Chinese, Tls. 12,500) during May 1918. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 593,000 (Foreign, Tls. 425,000; Chinese, Tls. 168,000), as against Tls. 725,000 (Foreign, Tls. 663,500; Chinese, Tls. 61,500) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 17, Watch Towers 7, Police 4, Street Alarms 3 and Staff 1.

The district call was given on 7 occasions, the remaining 25 being station calls.

These calls proved to be 23 small fires, 3 chimney fires, 3 false alarms (2 malicious) and 3 fires outside the Settlement.

The supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Lamp upset | 5 |
| Dropped match or cigarette end | 3 |
| Ashes or embers from stove | 3 |
| Sparks from chimney | 2 |
| Explosion of spirits of wine | 1 |
| Clothing fell on to stove | 1 |
| Tar boiling over | 1 |
| Burning joss paper | 1 |
| Joss candle in contact with paper | 1 |
| Fusing of electric wire | 1 |
| Unknown | 4 |

The premises affected were:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Foreign buildings | 3 |
| Chinese buildings | 36 |

Of these, 1 building was destroyed by fire and 22 others were more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The water used at fires during the month was 243,140 gallons.

The Brigade was occupied 365 hours at fires, or supposed fires.

Unfortunately two lives were lost and four persons were injured at fires attended by the Brigade during the month.

The fires of note during the month were:—

*F524 off Woochang Road, May 1, at 10.23 p.m.*—When the Hongkew Division arrived the outbreak was found to have been extinguished by the inmates, but owing to the careless handling of spirits of wine Mr. Chang Sen Kai, ex-Governor of Kiangsu Province, Miss Chang Ching Loo and two female servants were burnt, Miss Chang and a servant very severely, first aid was rendered by the Police and Fire Brigade and the two latter were removed to the St. Luke's Hospital, but unfortunately they both succumbed to their injuries a few hours later.

Mr. Chang was pouring spirits of wine from a tin into some bottles, some of which was spilled on the floor, whilst he was sealing the bottles, some lighted wax ignited the fumes a fire occurred, and the partially emptied tin exploded.

*LC58 off Se Zang Ling, May 25, at 9.34 p.m.*—This outbreak occurred in a very congested locality and owing to the stiff breeze blowing at the time, it would have been a very serious one, had not a prompt stop been effected. As it was only the house in which it originated was destroyed.

*A 1 Gas Street, May 26, at 12.13 a.m.*—This was a very difficult fire to deal with owing to the number of openings in the fire walls and also to the fact that the premises were bounded on the east by a wide creek. The fire was however held and confined to the back portion of the premises.

*China Import & Export Lumber Co., Yangtszepoo Road, May 26, at 6.33½ p.m.*—This was one of the most severe fires the Brigade has had to deal with for many years. The large drying shed situated at the riverside end of the block of sheds, which are in the centre of the yard, not a great distance from the mill, was well alight. At the time there was half a gale blowing from the river, and the nearest Municipal hydrants are on Tengyueh Road some considerable distance away. The Hongkew Division with a section of Central, afterwards supported by the Fire Float and Fire King had a very difficult task. It was seen from the beginning that it was impossible to save the drying sheds, and the only way to save the total destruction of the yard was to cut the fire off in a line with the so-called fire wall next to the office. The conditions were severe, and had it not been for the fact that the men who were at work with jets on the first floor, remained at their posts, when portions of this wall collapsed, the fire would undoubtedly have swept right through the whole yard and eventually the mill would have been involved. To make matters worse the burning sawdust from the lining of the drying sheds for some time formed continuous sheets of sparks and the whole area from the mill to the Yangtszepoo Road had to be carefully watched for incipient fires. A number of stacks were levelled and removed by the mill staff to form fire breaks and after approximately 3½ hours the fire was held in every direction. The drying sheds were destroyed and a quantity of timber stored in close proximity. The mill, a large quantity of new machinery stored in a shed nearby, the remaining sheds, and the main portion of the timber in the yard, were saved intact.

M. W. Pett,
*Chief Officer.*

**The Point Garden.**

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.
2.—The Park is opened daily to the Public from daylight to dusk.
3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.
4.—Horses, ponies, vehicles and bicycles are not admitted.
5.—Dogs are not admitted unless properly muzzled and led on leash.
6.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers or otherwise damaging the shrubs, plants or grass is strictly prohibited; visitors and other persons in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.
7.—Shooting, lighting fires and playing ball games are strictly prohibited.
8.—The Police have instructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 7, 1918.

**Studley Park.**

The following Regulations have been adopted:—

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.
2.—The Park is opened daily to the Public from daylight to dusk.
3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.
4.—Dogs are not admitted.
5.—The playing of organised games is prohibited; also the use of solid balls in children's games.
6.—Birdnesting, climbing trees, or otherwise damaging the trees, shrubs, or grass is strictly prohibited; visitors and others in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.
7.—The Police have instructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 16, 1917.

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RECORD OF FIRE CALLS.

| Date | Call: Time of | Call: How received | Alarm given | Locality | District: Municipal | District: Fire | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| April 1 | 10.23 p.m. | Telephone | Station | F 524 off Woochang Rd. | Northern | 2 | Chinese Dwelling | | 1 hour | 2 lives lost 2 persons injured |
| 2 | 3.38 p.m. | " | " | QQ 9 Kien Kie Lee | Central | 3 | Chinese Hong | | 2¼ " | |
| 3 | 6.38 p.m. | " | District | L 1487/8 Yangtzepoo Rd. | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Stable | | 3½ " | |
| 3 | 9.30 p.m. | " | Station | C 219/22 Woosung Rd. | Northern | 2 | Chinese Shop | | 1¼ " | |
| 4 | 3.15 a.m. | Hongkew Police | " | F 632 off Woochang Rd. | " | 2 | Chinese Dwelling | | 4 hrs. & 10 minutes | 2 persons injured |
| 5 | 11.50 a.m. | Telephone | " | D 150 Durpoe Rd. | " | 2 | " | | 1 hr. and 10 minutes | |
| 5 | 11.34 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | 1 hour | |
| 6 | 6.05 a.m. | Street Alarm | " | H 34/5 Hoopeh Rd. | Central | 5 | Chinese Shop | | — 10 minutes | |
| 7 | 9.11½ p.m. | Telephone | " | LL 30 off Thibet Rd. | " | 5 | Chinese Dwelling | 3 damaged | 16¾ hours | |
| 7 | 11.19 p.m. | Central Police | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | 15 minutes | |
| 7 | 11.21 p.m. | Staff | " | D 182 off Shantung Rd. | Central | 4 | Chinese Shop | | 20 " | |
| 9 | 10.20 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Dixwell & East Yuhang Rds. | Eastern | 1 | | | 10 " | False alarm |
| 9 | 11.39 p.m. | " | District | F 739 off Woochang Rd. | Northern | 2 | Chinese Dwelling | 3 damaged | 17¾ hours | |
| 11 | 12.48 p.m. | Sinza Tower | Station | Vv 761 off Amoy Rd. | Central | 6 | " | | 15 minutes | Chimney |
| 11 | 3.00 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | 35 " | |
| 13 | 12.45 a.m. | Central Police | " | LH 1462 off Baikal Rd. | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Godown | 1 damaged | 18 hrs. & 35 " | |
| 15 | 3.16 a.m. | Telephone | " | J 2650/1 East Seward Rd. | " | 1 | Chinese Shop | | 25 " | |
| 16 | 12.01 a.m. | Sinza Police | " | PP 8 Tatung Rd. | Western | 7 | Chinese Hong | 2 " | 21 hrs. & 55 " | |
| 16 | 6.22 p.m. | Telephone | " | Kiukiang Rd. | Central | 4 | | | 45 " | Open space |
| 16 | 10.46 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | District | Y 53/4 North Szechuen Rd. | Northern | 2 | Chinese Store | 2 " | 25 hours | |
| 17 | 11.11 p.m. | Telephone | Station | 4/6 Ningpo Road | Central | 3 | Foreign Cafe | | 10 minutes | Chimney |
| 22 | 2.47 a.m. | Street Alarm | " | Nanking and Honan Rds. | " | 4 | | | 35 " | Malicious false alarm |
| 24 | 3.19 p.m. | Telephone | " | F 1788 B'bling Well Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Garage | | 15 " | |
| 25 | 9.34 p.m. | " | District | LC 58 off Se. Zang Ling | Central | 4 | Chinese Dwelling | 4 " | 13 hours | |
| 26 | 12.13 a.m. | " | " | A1 Gas Street | Western | 7 | " | 6 damaged | 29 " | |
| 26 | 6.33 p.m. | " | " | 92A Yangtszepoo Road | Eastern | 1 | Foreign Lumber Yard | 1 destroyed | 195½ " | |
| 27 | 1.47 a.m. | Street Alarm | Station | Singkeipang-East Seward Rds. | " | 1 | | | 20 minutes | Malicious false alarm |
| 27 | 10.37 p.m. | Telephone | " | H 184 Hoopeh Rd. | Central | 5 | Chi. Lodging House | | 15 " | Chimney |
| 28 | 3.52 p.m. | Central Tower | District | X 1505 off N. Shanse Rd. | Northern | 8 | Chinese Dwelling | 1 damaged | 7 hrs. & 50 " | |
| 29 | 8.19½ p.m. | Telephone | Station | PD 3032 Haining Rd. | " | 2 | Chinese Shop | | 10 " | |
| 29 | 11.57 p.m. | " | " | 114 Bubbling Well Rd. | Western | 7 | Foreign Residence | | 25 " | |
| 30 | 10.49 p.m. | " | " | R 165/6 East Hanbury Rd. | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shop | | 15 " | |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

## Mosquito Notice.

NO STAGNANT WATER—NO MOSQUITOES.

Mosquitoes carry MALARIA and other diseases.

Mosquitoes cannot multiply except in STAGNANT WATER. Where stagnant water cannot be ABOLISHED kerosine sprinkled on the surface to form a film will kill mosquito 'wrigglers,' as it prevents breathing when they come to the surface.

Old tins and bottles, broken crockery and unconsidered ARTICLES OF THIS KIND CAPABLE OF HOLDING RAIN WATER should be carefully COLLECTED from the garden and backyard and placed with the refuse for removal.

Tubs, kongs, water plants, flowerpot saucers or other VESSELS OF WATER, which cannot be dispensed with should be EMPTIED OR SPRINKLED WITH KEROSINE ONCE A WEEK.

GARDENERS' KONGS, DUG-OUTS, WELLS AND WATER BARRELS should be done away with, water for the garden, etc., being derived directly from the tap or, if that be impossible, the kongs, etc., should be oiled once a week or kept securely covered so that mosquitoes cannot get to the water to lay their eggs.

Have the water from kennels, chicken coops, etc., regularly emptied out.

Keep drains and rain-water roof channels clean and clear and in good repair. GULLY TRAPS that are not frequently flushed should be oiled weekly.

Shallow RAIN WATER POOLS AND SLUSHY PLACES can generally be obliterated by a SCRATCH DRAIN or LEVELLED with house ashes, PONDS AND DITCHES by FILLING-IN and drainage.

ORNAMENTAL PONDS may be kept free from mosquitoes by FISH but, if mosquito 'wrigglers' be found, the water should be OILED WEEKLY preparatory to FILLING-IN.

A WEEKLY INSPECTION of house and surroundings should be made. It may be remembered that a small unheeded pot of water will suffice to breed enough mosquitoes to irritate a whole neighbourhood.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局有權不承攬信件由英文開列於下

二 所有標價必須承認之後方為有效

三 標價之後不得更改

四 所有各人之信及承攬之保證書不承認辦人自亦有權利

五 本局有取消所有標價之權

六 所有承攬人之公信稱承攬人同意辦理付知之後仍須繳納一律遵守封固加蓋火漆其面寫明承攬人姓名及所承攬之工程信內須繳清單在工部局二等秘書處送交工部局江西路二號二樓辦理之前以便用時拆開之後方為有效

清單來之後請送交工部局二號二樓辦理之前以便用時拆開之後方為有效

信內須繳清單在工部局二等秘書處送交工部局江西路二號二樓辦理之前以便用時拆開之後方為有效

此次信內須繳清單在工部局二等秘書處送交工部局江西路二號二樓辦理之前以便用時拆開之後方為有效

概不退還

免費

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 130 | 15,000 yards Khaki Drill | — | July 31 |
| 131 | 200 ,, ,, Cord | — | do. |
| 132 | 5,000 ,, Blue Camlet | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before December 31, 1919. | | |
| 134 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern Ankle Boots | — | October 1 |
| | 1,000 pairs to be delivered on or before January 31, 1920 | | |
| | 2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, March 31, 1920 | | |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 187 | 5 Miles Triple-braid Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | July 31 |
| 188 | 4½ ,, Vulcanised Cable | 5 | do. |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 503.

Painting at Isolation Hospital for Chinese

| | |
|---|---|
| Zee Shan Kee | Tls. 689 |
| Ngan Zung Lee | 545 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 525 |
| †Wong Chin Kee | 475 |
| Li-n Yung Kee | 450 |
| Sing Kee | 378 |
| Woo Lee Kee | 308 |
| *Zung Shing | 308 |

†Received late

*Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2632.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2631.**

**Traffic—"One Way Roads"**

NOTICE is hereby given that with effect from Monday, July 7, the provisions of Notifications Nos. 2604 and 2611 will be withdrawn, except as regards wheelbarrow and handcart traffic.

The Szechuen Road between the Nanking and Hongkong Roads will remain closed to all vehicular traffic, except traffic proceeding North to South, until the completion of the road repairs which are now being carried out.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 5, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2634.**

**FOREIGN BUILDINGS.**

ACTING under the provisions of Article XXX of the Land Regulations, the Council has made, and hereby gives notice of, the following amendment to Foreign Building Rule No. 14 (b):—

"No building shall be erected so that any point on the road frontage (other than reasonable architectural ornament) shall be at a greater height than one and one-half times the distance measured horizontally from such point to a perpendicular above the Municipal Council road line on the opposite side of the road.

"Where the road is scheduled for widening, such perpendicular shall be taken above the scheduled line on the opposite side of the road."

This addition has been duly submitted for the opinion of the Land Commissioners, and has received their approval.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 17, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2635.**

THE public is reminded that licence fees on private vehicles for the September Quarter are now due.

Residents owning Motor Cars, Carriages, Ricshas, Ponies, etc., are therefore requested to take out the necessary licences without delay, for which purpose application must be made at the Revenue Office, accompanied in every instance by the amount of the licence fee. The owners of any vehicles, etc., found to be unlicensed are liable to prosecution under Land Regulations XIII and XIV.

Mafoos or coolies in charge of vehicles, etc., are required to produce the licence card when called upon to do so by the Police.

Dog owners who have not yet taken out licences for the current year are requested to make application for the same at the Revenue Office.

All Dogs must be licensed and muzzled.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 17, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, July 11, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

***Present:***

Messrs. Skinner Turner *(Chairman)*
L. E. Canning
T. Ibukiyama
S. C. Lin
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer

***Absent:***

Mrs. D. Henman
Messrs. W. D. McCallum
A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 6.50 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, July 16, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

***Present:***

Messrs. Ed. White *(Acting Chairman)*
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

***Absent:***

J. H. Dollar
E. C. Pearce

The meeting adjourned at 6.15 p.m.

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### Court of Foreign Consuls.

The Senior Consul notifies the Council that, upon the departure from Shanghai of Sir Everard Fraser, K.C.M.G., Mr. J. W. Jamieson, C.M.G., H.M. Consul-General officiating, has been elected a Member of the Court.

### Volunteer Corps.

*"B" Company British.*—Leave is granted to Lieut. F. J. W. Melville from August 8, 1919 to March 30, 1920.

### Recess.

The annual recess has been arranged to have effect between August 6 and September 17.

### Municipal Properties.

*Wayside Market.*—The existing Wayside Market on Lot 1970 is part of the Gaol site and is now required for inclusion therein. Arrangements have accordingly been concluded with Mr. C. Luthy for the purchase of an approximately equivalent area, measuring 2 mow, of Lot 1974 on the opposite side of the Chusan Road. The purchase price is Tls. 8,000.

*Public Works Department Workshops.*—A report by the Municipal Engineer has been submitted on the subject of the departmental workshops which are urgently needed and for which a Budget appropriation of Tls. 20,000 was voted at the Rateyapers' meeting early this year. He points out that extension is essential for the efficient administration of the Public Works Department and that insufficient land is available for the sorely needed motor waggon sheds, iron and timber store, offices, etc., and suggests utilization of the site purchased in 1907 for a police depôt in the Eastern District. The Captain Superintendent of Police concurs in the desirability of transfer, it being noted that the depôt site is not at present required for Police purposes, although the area thus transferred will need to be made good hereafter, as and when development should occur. The transfer of this site to the Public Works Department has accordingly been approved.

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### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Yuyuen Road.*—The claim of Dr. R. J. Marshall has been accepted for the area required from B. C Lot 7195 to widen this road to 50-ft., a sum of Tls. 400 for Mow 0.211.

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### Rules With Respect to New Foreign Buildings.

Interchange of correspondence with the Land Commissioners:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 23, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to hand you, herein enclosed, an amendment of Rule No. 14, Clause B, with respect to new Foreign Buildings. From experience it has been found that the wording of the clause which relates to the height of buildings permitted under the new Rules is unsatisfactory. This amendment is designed in the public interest, and, in accordance with the provisions of Article XXX of the Land Regulations, the Council submits it to the Land Commissioners for their opinion.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

L. G. WESTCOTT, Esq.,
Secretary, Land Commission.

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(*Enclosure.*)

*Amendment to Foreign Building Rule No. 14 (b).*

"No building shall be erected so that any point on the road frontage (other than reasonable architectural ornament) shall be at a greater height than one and one-half times the distance measured horizontally from such point to a perpendicular above the Municipal Council road line on the opposite side of the road.

"Where the road is scheduled for widening, such perpendicular shall be taken above the scheduled line on the opposite side of the road."

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Council Room,
Shanghai, July 7, 1919.

SIR,—I beg to refer to my letter of April 23 to your predecessor, on the subject of an amendment of Rule No. 14, Clause B, with respect to new foreign buildings, and to request that you will be so good as to favour me with the reply of the Land Commissioners thereto.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

R. W. SKINNER, Esq.,
Secretary, Land Commission.

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Shanghai, July 10, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to advise you that the Land Commissioners have noted with approval the amendment of Rule No. 14, Clause B, with respect to new Foreign Buildings, as requested in your letter of July 7.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
R. W. SKINNER,
*Secretary.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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### Labour Supply.

In his monthly Report for May, published in the Gazette of June 12, the Engineer alludes to the difficulties brought about by shortage of labour in the summer months, when, after the passing of the Budget, the Council has the greatest volume of work on hand. It is recalled that some years ago the same difficulty was dealt with by giving authority to the Engineer, to proceed with certain public works in advance of the passing of the Budget, thus enabling utilization of the great surplus of labour available in the Settlement in the winter months, but which with the arrival of spring becomes engaged in agricultural occupation. It is decided to continue this practice and the Engineer will accordingly make special recommendation, in each case, of works which he proposes to carry out in the winter months in advance of formal budget provision therefor.

### Defence Creek.

Arrangements have been concluded, whereunder the remainder of the Defence Creek between the Peking Road Bridge and the Soochow Creek will be culverted at an estimated cost of Tls. 23,400 in return for contributions by the adjacent land owners of Tls. 8,432.

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### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, July 13, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 3 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 21 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 4 | 3 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 180 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 629 | Kinwoka, Chekiang & Kiukiang | Palmer & Turner | | 1 | |
| 83 | Nanking | Whiteaway Laidlaw & Co., Ld. | | | altns. & 2 lift towers |
| 156 | Nanking | Sun Jin Kee | | | altns. |
| 191 | Peking & Shantung | Chung Wai Kee | | 1 | |
| Unreg. E of 2231 | Baikal | T. E. Tong | 1 | | |
| 871 | Dent Ext. | Ye Min Ching | | 1 | latrine |
| 6015 | Kwanghsin | Palmer & Turner | | | addns. |
| Unreg. E of 1926 | Paoting | Eastern Construction Co. | | 1 | bridge |
| 2982 | Whashing | S'hai Electric Construction Co., Ld. | | | watchman's lodge |
| 806 | E. Yalu | Sung Kyung Kee | | 1 | watchman's lodge & latrine |
| 2435 | Y'poo | Laou Kung Mow Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. | | 1 | |
| 2426 | do. | New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works, Ld. | | 1 | |
| 2649 | do. | Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. | | 1 | |
| 1799 | Gt. Western | do. | | | addns. |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 258 | Hankow & Honan | H. M. Cumine | | | altns. & addns. |
| 191 | Peking & Shantung | Chung Wai Kee | 4 | 1 | |
| Unreg. N of 2351 | Baikal | Van Sung Kee | 2 | | |
| 871 | Dent | Ye Min Ching | 19 | | |
| 1086 | Avenue | Brandt & Rodgers | 18 | | |
| Unreg. S of 1338 | Thibet | Chow Yung Dau | 4 | | |

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JULY 12.

*Health Department.*—The temporary service of Nurse M. M. McNeil will terminate on July 7.

The appointments of the following Probationer Nurses are confirmed under agreements from the dates specified:—

Miss M. Tuller from December 14, 1918.

Miss M. Macdonald from January 2, 1919.

Miss N. H. Parker from January 2, 1919.

*Public Band.*—Mr. V. Drucker, temporary Musician, is permitted to terminate his service on July 10.

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### Public Band.

*Conductor.*—It has been decided, upon the recommendation of the Band Committee, to appoint Mr. Mario Paci, Conductor, upon his return to Shanghai in September next.

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The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | July 21 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden | |
| Tues. | „ 22 | 5.30 | „ | „ „ |
| „ | „ 22 | 9.00 | „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | „ 23 | 5.30 | „ | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | „ 24 | 9.00 | „ | „ |
| Fri. | „ 25 | 5.30 | „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| „ | „ 25 | 9.00 | „ | Race Club Enclosure |
| Sat. | „ 26 | 5.30 | „ | Public Recreation Ground |
| „ | „ 26 | 9.00 | „ | Public Garden |

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### Health Officer's Report for June.

As a direct result of the disorganization of the food supply from June 5 to 10, when markets and food shops were arbitrarily closed by the organizers of the 'boycott', food being sold higgledy-piggledy off the streets and pavements in alleyway corners and out of the back doors, instead of in the clean markets, a number of cases of diarrhoea due to soiled food arose, a few of which were fatal. These cases of diarrhoea with vomiting and loss of appetite were common among foreigners as well as Chinese. It is probable that the rumours of poisoned food were originally derived from this source. Those foods were most suspected which are naturally prone to become soiled with disease germs, namely, vegetables and fruits, particularly those sold by street hawkers; these dealers suffering considerably from loss of trade owing to the alarm of the public.

These rumours of poisoned food were widely spread not only in Shanghai but in other places, and lasted for some days after the shops reopened.

Several samples of suspected food were tested in the Municipal Laboratory but no poison was found in any of them, nor was there any evidence obtained of attempts at poisoning, although many cases were investigated on the spot by the Health Inspectors. In the Branch Health Offices and tea-houses the imaginary character of these rumours was explained to the people and handbills were distributed dealing with the matter. Thereafter the rumours subsided as rapidly as they began.

But by the end of the month it seemed as if there was the probability of an epidemic of choleraic diarrhoea having been nursed into existence by the unusual circumstances.

It is, therefore, imperative that everyone should take the greatest care as to what they eat and drink.

The Public Health Notice is the best guide in this matter. But for the happy-go-lucky majority the best advice I can give is to eat and drink nothing which has not been recently boiled, or cooked or otherwise sterilised.

The Health Officer and the Health Inspectors will be only too glad to give advice, if asked for it, on these very important preventive health precautions.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Out door Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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DEATHS.

| | Foreign. Resident | Foreign. Non-resident. | Chinese. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 11 |
| Tuberculosis | 4 | 0 | 71 |
| Beri-beri | 4 | 1 | 12 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Cerebrospinal fever | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| From all causes | 29 | 5 | 614 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 |
| Diphtheria | 1 |
| Dysentery | 4 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Diphtheria | 2 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 1 | 3 |
| Other Diseases | 0 | 20 |
| Discharged | 11 | 20 |
| Died | 1 | 1 |
| Remaining last day of month | 0 | 29 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 1,360 |
| Bacterial „ „ | 214 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 12 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 968 |
| Analyses | 25 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 229 | 574 | 150 | 269 | 1222 |
| Rats plague infected ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation .... | 800 | 1000 | 750 | 200 | 2750 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1001 | 1406 | 782 | 336 | 3525 |
| Poisoned baits laid ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier ..... | 0 | 56 | 144 | 0 | 200 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 2 | 7 | 0 | 4 | 13 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease ... ... ... ... | 19 | 88 | 70 | 18 | 195 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease ... ... | 63 | 82 | 77 | 204 | 426 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 714 | 885 | 775 | 2,352 | 4,726 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed ... ... ... ... | 9 | 54 | 566 | 67 | 690 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 29 | 0 | 29 |
| Defective drainage amended ... ... ... ... ... | 30 | 28 | 54 | 7 | 119 |
| Insanitary wells abolished... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected ... ... ... ... | 4 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy ... | 39 | 4 | 27 | 7 | 77 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished ... ... ... ... | 0 | 1 | 212 | 683 | 896 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried ... ... | 0 | 6 | 17 | 1 | 24 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 4 |
| Offensive trade processes amended ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Beggar-boats removed... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 5 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 22 | 14 | 12 | 15 | 63 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 61 | 49 | 85 | 17 | 212 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 1 | 9 | 12 | 22 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Notices of intention to proceed served ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Samples taken for analysis... ... ... ... ... ... | 11 | 21 | 13 | 17 | 62 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed ... ... ... ... | 60 | 292 | 435 | 70 | 857 |
| Outside hawkers licensed ... ... ... ... ... ... | 570 | 648 | 490 | 327 | 2,035 |
| Food prosecutions... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 13 | 9 | 6 | 28 |
| House refuse prosecutions ... ... ... ... ... ... | 13 | 41 | 4 | 0 | 58 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions ... ... ... ... | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Tons of ordure removed ... ... ... ... ... ... | 3,765 | 3,170 | 3,250 | 3,044 | 13,229 |
| Tons of house refuse removed ... ... ... ... ... | 6,907 | 3,673 | 2,473 | 1,912 | 14,956 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed ... ... ... | 2,112 | 391 | 172 | 149 | 2,824 |

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRY EXAMINED IN THE LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Known as | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hong Yuen Dairy | Soong Yuin Kyung | 102 Jessfield Rd. | 8.3 per cent added water. |

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SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen | 1,375 | 0 | 1,375 | 1 | 1 |
| Sheep | 2,344 | 0 | 2,344 | 0 | 2 |
| Calves | 331 | 0 | 331 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs | 191 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted. | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 24 | 3 |
| Surgical | 16 | 2 |
| Maternity | 10 | 6 |
| Mental | 4 | 0 |
| Total | 54 | 11 |

REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.

Sample received June 23, 1919.
Report sent out July 7, 1919.
Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.

Physical Characters.—Yellowish green colour with considerable opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 16.40 |
| (a) Volatile | 6.00 |
| (b) Fixed | 10.40 |

Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring

| | |
|---|---|
| Total Hardness | 11.50 |
| (a) Temporary | 6.40 |
| (b) Permanent | 5.10 |
| Chlorine | 3.00 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0640 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0018 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0119 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° C. | 0.0340. |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° C. and 37° C. showed an average of 100 and 50 micro-organisms per cubic centimetre respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in all quantities tested from 1 c.c. and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Shows satisfactory filtration.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Engineer's Report for June.

Outside work has been seriously interfered with during the month, on account of the large amount of rain that has fallen. Work has been totally or partially suspended on no less than 15 days on this account.

The first half of this year has been somewhat unusual in this respect, rain having fallen on 60 days, this being about 30 per cent. more than the average for the past few years.

The strike that commenced towards the end of the first week in the month did not affect the Departmental labour to any appreciable extent, all of the ordinary coolie labour continuing to work as usual. Some of the artisan classes went on strike from the 9th to the 12th of the month, but, with this exception, all labour remained normal.

*Roads.*—Asphaltic concrete has been laid in Jinkee Road from The Bund to Szechuen Road and in Yuenmingyuen Road from Jinkee Road to Peking Road.

Similar work is in progress in Szechuen Road from Nanking Road to Soochow Road.

The making up of Tongshan Road has now been completed from Dent Road to Kwenming Road.

Wayside Road is being raised west of Lay Road.

The widening of Bubbling Well Road is being carried out on the north side east of Hardoon Road and east of Love Lane.

The following roads are being surface treated:—

With Asphaltum:—

Park Road from Bubbling Well Road to Burkill Road.
Bubbling Well Road from Hart Road to Hardoon Road.
Chungking Road from Avenue Edward VII to Weihaiwei Road.
Yuyuen Road from Hart Road to Jessfield Road.
Range Road from Woosung Road to North Szechuen Road.
East Yuhang Road from Singkeipang Road to Tungchow Road.
Urga Road from Sawgin Road to Dixwell Road.
Hungjao Road from Siccawei Road to the Tung Wen College.

*Bridges.*—A commencement has been made on the reconstruction of the bridge in Brenan Road across the Fahwah Creek. The steelwork from some of the Yangkingpang bridges will be used in the new structure, this being designed for a width of 30-ft., with plain concrete abutments.

*Bundings.*—The construction of the coffer-dam for the new concrete bunding at Wenchow Road is in hand.

*Drainage.*—The culverting of the Bubbling Well Road Creek from Hart Road to Siccawei Road is completed.

Work has been commenced on the culverting of Defence Creek, with 4-ft. 6-in. diameter tubes, from Peking Road to the Soochow Creek.

The culverting of the existing side ditch in Gordon Road from Sinza Road to Connaught Road with 3-ft. diameter tubes has been commenced.

A 1-ft. 6-in. by 1-ft. egg-shaped sewer is being laid in Pingliang Road from Thorburn Road to Dalny Road and west of Whashing Road.

The same sized sewer is also being laid in Whashing Road north of Pingliang Road.

The construction of the 4-ft. 6-in. diameter culvert in Funing Road west of Lay Road has been completed.

*Central Offices.*—The fixing of casements and glazing of the back elevation, and ground and first floors of the main facades has been completed. The extension of the third floor has progressed steadily, though somewhat impeded by the rainy weather.

*Gaol.*—The vermin proofing of the Deport Block is proceeding.

*Isolation Hospital—Discharge Block.*—The Custodian's quarters on the first floor are practically completed, and the fitting up of the discharge rooms is proceeding.

*East Block.*—The replacement of the present first floor wooden verandah by one constructed in reinforced concrete has been commenced.

Painting is proceeding at the Victoria Nursing Home and Isolation Hospital, and also at most of the schools.

*Riverside Power Station.*—All of the piles for the foundations of the New Turbine House have been driven and one-half of the raft has been completed.

*Sawgin Road Depôt.*—The construction of the new office and store-shed is completed.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—1,051.50 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected cartloads | 4,464 |
| Used for raising land | 430 |
| Water used for street watering | 6,005,200 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,857 |
| Artisans | 427 |
| Foremen | 241 |
| Mafoos | 159 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

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|---|---|
| Hand made | 9,674 pieces |
| Machine made | 1,430 ,, |
| Total | 11,104 ,, |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 54 admissions during the month and 120 bundles of wood chopped.

*New Buildings.*

| *Description of Work.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 288 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 75 |
| Plans approved | 46 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,957 |
| Boundary walls erected | 783 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadway | 13 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 221 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 3 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 25 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 40 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by Public Works Department | 2 |
| First intimation notices issued | 2 |
| Second ,, ,, ,, | 1 |
| Total | 3 |

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### *Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of New Lots | 46 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates Issued | 18 |
| Consular Lots Surveyed | 13 |
| New Lots put under Taxation | 16 |
| The Assessed Value of the land placed under Taxation is Tls. 22,429. | |
| Official plans prepared | 27 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, Mow Surveyed | 98 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, Mow Plotted | 366 |
| Surveys made in connexion with Road Widenings and/or Extensions | 40 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or Waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 46 |

M. C. R. Stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Eastern District | 56 |
| Western " | 18 |

C. HARPER,
*Acting Engineer & Surveyor.*

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### Mixed Court Report for June.

Mr. G. Ros having returned from furlough resumed his duties as Assessor sitting in Police Cases on Saturday, June 28.

The following foreigners who are not recognized by any Consulate in Shanghai were before the Court during the month on Criminal Charges:—

E. Gammeter, Swiss, Assault, Case withdrawn.

C. T. L. de Savine, Russian, Impersonation, The Court orders:—

"The accused to give an undertaking in writing not to wear the uniform of a Russian Officer or any part of it without the permission of the authorities concerned, to apologise for the letter written on 21-6-19 and to leave Shanghai as soon as the other charges, if any, against him have been dealt with. Shanghai, 26-6-19."

Seventy-three persons were before the Court during the month on Criminal Charges connected with the Boycott and Strike.

Despatch summonses and warrants connected with foreign civil cases filed in the Mixed Court against defendants outside Settlement limits are still being held up by the City authorities.

The Civil Courts' Summer vacation will extend from July 16 to September 15.

The Foreign Civil Hearing List was almost bare of outstanding cases at the end of the month.

On June 20, judgment was reserved in the Chinese Civil Case "The Tuchun and Civil Governor of the Kiangsu Province *v.* Waung Kwung-yui (汪坤瑜), Dzung Tsang-ming (陳章敏等) and others in which the plaintiffs seek to recover $300,000 damages for breach of contract in respect to $1,000,000 worth of scrap metal. This case has occupied the attention of the Court on 15 dates extending over a period of four months.

The number of cases on the Chinese Civil Case Hearing List has been considerably reduced. At no time since 1912 has the Hearing List been of such small dimensions.

During the illness of Mr. Nieh Yoong-ching (聶榕卿), Mr. Li Ngauh-sien (李鄂仙), Assistant Magistrate, has been performing the duties of Magistrate at the French Mixed Court.

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with, Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

M. O. SPRINGFIELD,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
K. J. MCEUEN,
Captain-Superintendent of Police.

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RETURN SHOWING NUMBER OF PERSONS CHARGED DURING THE MONTH OF JUNE WITH CRIMINAL OFFENCES ARISING OUT OF THE STRIKE AND BOYCOTT.

| | No of Persons Charged. |
|---|---|
| Assaults on Japanese arising out of the circulation of poison rumours | 16 |
| Assault on Chinese arising out of the circulation of poison rumours | 9 |
| Displaying flags with seditionary writing | 4 |
| Displaying flags of an inciting nature | 2 |
| Distributing books of an inciting nature | 1 |
| Distributing circulars *re* the closing of shops | 2 |
| Circulating rumours *re* poisoned food | 4 |
| Disorderly conduct | 2 |
| Intimidation | 8 |
| Malicious damage | 4 |
| Exhibiting posters of an inciting nature | 16 |
| Assaulting the Police | 1 |
| Publishing articles detrimental to the peace and good order | 4 |
| Total | 73 |

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OFFENCES.

1.—Offences Against the Person:—

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| Abduction | 3 |
| Allowing Children in Brothels | 2 |
| Assault | 48 |
| Attempted suicide | 3 |
| Intimidation | 8 |
| Kidnapping | 1 |
| Murder | 3 |
| Wounding (Causing grievous bodily harm) | 10 |

2.—Offences Against Property:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Burglary | 10 |
| Cruelty to animals | 7 |
| Embezzlement | 2 |
| Extortion (Obtaining money by threats) | 12 |
| False pretences | 4 |
| Forgery | 1 |
| Fraud | 6 |
| House-breaking | 9 |
| Larceny | 153 |
| Malicious Damage | 6 |
| Receiving stolen property | 4 |
| Robbery | 8 |

3.—Offences of a Public Nature:—

Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Carriages | 19 |
| Carts | 27 |
| Dogs | 11 |
| Foodshops | 8 |
| Hawkers | 21 |
| Motor cars | 18 |
| Opium | 12 |
| Pawnshops | 2 |
| Ricshas | 659 |
| Tea shops | 2 |
| Wheel-barrows | 79 |
| Wine shops | 5 |

Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Fireworks | 6 |
| House refuse | 40 |
| Indecent Advertisements | 1 |
| Nuisances | 589 |
| Prostitutes | 5 |
| Traffic | 49 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 2 |
| Disorderly conduct | 87 |
| Gambling | 5 |
| Loitering with intent | 7 |
| Obstructing the Police | 1 |
| Returning after expulsion | 8 |
| Trafficking in Women or Children | 3 |
| Vagrancy | 6 |

4.—Miscellaneous Cases:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Husband and Wife | 1 |
| Insanity | 2 |
| Seeking protection of Door of Hope | 6 |
| Stray Children | 1 |
| Witness in Criminal Case | 1 |
| Various | 8 |
| Political (circulating rumours posting circulars, etc.) | 40 |
| TOTAL | 2,031 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 1,461 |
| Cases withdrawn | 7 |
| Cautioned | 28 |
| Compensation | 1 |
| Dismissed | 37 |
| Expulsion | 1 |
| Fined | 235 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 3 |
| Imprisonment | 170 |
| Imprisonment and expulsion | 53 |
| Reformatory | 3 |
| Released on Security | 15 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 5 |
| Sent to Military Governor of Shanghai | 1 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 10 |
| Various | 1 |
| TOTAL | 2,031 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On June 1 | 49 |
| Received | 17 |
| Released | 27 |
| On June 30 | 39 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 142 |
| " served | 123 |
| Warrants issued | 29 |
| " executed | 18 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 9 |
| " executed | 2 |
| " withdrawn | 2 |
| Summonses issued | 26 |
| " served | 12 |
| " withdrawn | 8 |
| Persons apprehended on warrants | 2 |
| " summoned | 12 |
| Sealing orders issued | 36 |
| " " executed | 10 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 19 |
| " " withdrawn | 3 |
| " " pending | 4 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 20 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 77 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 30 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Cases added to hearing list | 57 |
| " heard | 130 |
| " in course of hearing | 3 |
| " concluded | 70 |
| " awaiting first hearing on June 30 | 65 |
| Summonses issued | 64 |
| " served | 55 |
| " withdrawn | 5 |
| Warrants issued | 35 |
| " executed | 11 |
| " withdrawn | 7 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 11 |
| " summoned | 62 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 44 |
| Sealing orders issued | 16 |
| " " executed | 6 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 3 |
| " " withdrawn | 1 |
| " " pending | 6 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 7 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 87 |
| Bonds accepted | 66 |
| " rejected | 15 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On June 1 | 53 |
| Received | 15 |
| Released | 21 |
| On June 30 | 47 |

SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| W. Brandt | British | Wong Tshien Dau | $500 damages | For defendant on claim and for plaintiff on counter-claim |
| Y. Linova | Russian | P. Cole | $200 | For Plaintiff for $200 |
| C. A. Fromm | Norwegian | Receiver of Messrs. Breidung & Sons | $7,227 | For Plaintiff for $6,500 |
| Zih Yue Kwaung *alias* Zih Tuh Kwe | Portuguese | Zih Lih Koong | Tls. 75,000 | Proceeding |
| S. Kunitamo | Japanese | Tseu Siau Yuin, Pu Ping Shoe Shop | Tls. 5,300 | Dismissed |
| S. Shibanuma | do. | Tsang Tsz Ling | Tls. 40,230.34 Breach of Contract | Proceeding |
| Arkell & Douglas | American | Ung Oo Ziang Hong | G. $389.21 | do. |
| A. R. Burkill & Sons | British | Zung Tah Tshang, Yah Kyi Hong | Infringement of trade mark | do. |
| F. Monsarrat | do. | C. de T. L. Savine | $22 | For Plaintiff for $22 and costs—$6.25 |
| Shanghai Land Investment Co. | do. | William Frederick | For an ejectment order | Defendant to vacate premises within 7 days |

## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow or Berkefeld filter.

Aerated waters and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow or Berkefeld filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## The Point Garden.

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.

2.—The Park is opened daily to the Public from daylight to dusk.

3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.

4.—Horses, ponies, vehicles and bicycles are not admitted.

5.—Dogs are not admitted unless properly muzzled and led on leash.

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6.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers or otherwise damaging the shrubs, plants or grass is strictly prohibited; visitors and other persons in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.

7.—Shooting, lighting fires and playing ball games are strictly prohibited.

8.—The Police have instructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 7, 1918.

**Studley Park.**

The following Regulations have been adopted:—

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.

2.—The Park is opened daily to the Public from daylight to dusk.

3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.

4.—Dogs are not admitted.

5.—The playing of organised games is prohibited; also the use of solid balls in children's games

6.—Birdnesting, climbing trees, or otherwise damaging the trees, shrubs, or grass is strictly prohibited; visitors and others in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.

7.—The Police have intructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 16, 1917.

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 凡承攬本局各項工程者須先向本局領取承攬信章方准投標

三 行定章程後之保證金亦須繳納本局認可之保證人

四 所有承攬人之信章及承攬人之保證人不准轉讓

五 本局公開承攬人之信章及承攬人之保證人不准轉讓

六 本局有權將所有承攬人之信章及承攬人之保證人不准轉讓

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road** | | |
| 130 | 15,000 yards Khaki Drill | — | July 31 |
| 131 | 200 ,, ,, Cord | — | do. |
| 132 | 5,000 ,, Blue Camlet | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before December 31, 1919. | | |
| 134 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern Ankle Boots | — | October 1 |
| | {1,000 pairs to be delivered on or before January 31, 1920} | | |
| | {2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, March 31, 1920} | | |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund** | | |
| 504 | Supply of labour and mudfilling for Bund Reclamation Scheme | — | July 28 |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road** | | |
| 187 | 5 Miles Triple-braid Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | July 31 |
| 188 | 4½ ,, Vulcanised Cable | 5 | do. |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2602.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2631.**

**Traffic—"One Way Roads"**

NOTICE is hereby given that with effect from Monday, July 7, the provisions of Notifications Nos. 2604 and 2611 will be withdrawn, except as regards wheelbarrow and handcart traffic.

The Szechuen Road between the Nanking and Hongkong Roads will remain closed to all vehicular traffic, except traffic proceeding North to South, until the completion of the road repairs which are now being carried out.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 5, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2634.**

**FOREIGN BUILDINGS.**

ACTING under the provisions of Article XXX of the Land Regulations, the Council has made, and hereby gives notice of, the following amendment to Foreign Building Rule No. 14 (b):—

"No building shall be erected so that any point on the road frontage (other than reasonable architectural ornament) shall be at a greater height than one and one-half times the distance measured horizontally from such point to a perpendicular above the Municipal Council road line on the opposite side of the road.

"Where the road is scheduled for widening, such perpendicular shall be taken above the scheduled line on the opposite side of the road."

This addition has been duly submitted for the opinion of the Land Commissioners, and has received their approval.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 17, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2635.**

THE public is reminded that licence fees on private vehicles for the September Quarter are now due.

Residents owning Motor Cars, Carriages, Ricshas, Ponies, etc., are therefore requested to take out the necessary licences without delay, for which purpose application must be made at the Revenue Office, accompanied in every instance by the amount of the licence fee. The owners of any vehicles, etc., found to be unlicensed are liable to prosecution under Land Regulations XIII and XIV.

Mafoos or coolies in charge of vehicles, etc., are required to produce the licence card when called upon to do so by the Police.

Dog owners who have not yet taken out licences for the current year are requested to make application for the same at the Revenue Office.

All Dogs must be licensed and muzzled.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 17, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, July 18, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Skinner Turner *(Chairman)*
L. E. Canning
T. Ibukiyama
S. C. Lin
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mrs. D. Henman
Mr. W. D. McCallum

The meeting adjourned at 7.05 p.m.

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AT the special meeting of the Watch Committee held on Monday, July 21, 1919, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Ed. White *(Chairman)*
H. A. J. Macray
A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 12.50 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, July 23, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Ed. White (*Acting Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Messrs. J. H. Dollar
E. C. Pearce

The meeting adjourned at 5.40 p.m.

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**Recess.**

The annual recess has been arranged to have effect between August 6 and September 17.

**Municipal Properties.**

*Public School for Girls—Children's Playground and Fire Station.*—The offer of the Chinese owner has been accepted to sell a piece of unregistered land required to complete this site, measuring approximately Mow 1.113 at the rate of Tls. 1,500 per mow which with the addition of Tipao fees makes a total of approximately Tls. 1,804.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Gordon Road.*—The claim of Mr. W. Brandt has been accepted for the scheduled area of Lot 4333 at the assessed value Tls. 1,400 per mow plus 10 per cent. or a sum of Tls. 95.48 for Mow 0.062.

*Sinza and Chengtu Roads.*—The claim of Messrs. Platt, Macleod and Wilson has been accepted for the surrender of the scheduled area of Lot 581 required for improvement of the corner of these roads at the assessed value, Tls. 8,500 per mow, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, or Tls. 102.80 for Mow 0.011

**Hongkew Creek Dredging.**

Correspondence with the Pork Dealers' Guild, with departmental comment relative to the need for dredging the Hongkew Creek.

There is no special appropriation in the Budget for this work, but in the view that it has become a matter of urgent public necessity, the Council has authorized dredging operations forthwith at a cost of Tls. 3,500.

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*Rough translation of note from the Pork Dealers' Guild to the Secretary, Municipal Council, dated June 2, 1919.*

The writers state that the pork-dealers formerly brought their hogs from outports, and that they were usually brought in by boats to the Kashing Road Bridge from which they were landed and taken to their abbatoir. On about 6 days in the month the tides are very low which makes it impossible to bring the boats up to the Kashing Road Bridge and they have had to unload them at the Hanbury Road Bridge and then bring the hogs through the Dixwell Road: In so doing they have met with interference from the Police. So they submit a petition jointly chopped, requesting the Council to instruct the Police to let them pass according to the arrangements recorded in the correspondence of July 3, 1915. Should you kindly favour them with a reply please post it to the Lao Ching Fung Porkshop, near the corner of Woosung and Morrison Roads. The petition reads as follows:—

The Ching Fung and five others, porkshops situated in the Tiendong and Woosung Roads, used to import hogs which are generally brought in by boats into the Hongkew Creek and landed at the Kashing Road Bridge and then driven to their abbatoir viâ the Kashing Road Bridge and Dixwell Road. This practice has gone on without interruption in the past and in the Council's reply of July 3, 1915, to Mr. Holborow, their representative, the Council agreed to this arrangement and the Police directed not to interfere with them: this is on record. It is therefore evident that hogs may be driven along both Dixwell and Mukden Roads. Latterly the Hongkew Creek has gradually become blocked up and so about three days during the early and latter parts of every month the tide is so low and the water so shallow that boats cannot come further than the Hanbury Road Bridge and under these circumstances they have to land their hogs at the side of the Hanbury Road Bridge from where the animals are driven along the bank to the slaughter house. But on these six days of the month (when the tides are low) they have to take a circuitous route; at other times they make arrangements to follow the usual route or to unload their boats at the Kashing Road Bridge. But the Police have interferred, not allowing them to land hogs at the Hanbury Road Bridge during the time of low tides. It is evident that they do not know the conditions of the tide and creek during the six days of a month (low tide) when it is impossible for them to bring their boats up to the Kashing Road. Such Police interference affects their trade. The Police have perhaps forgotten your instructions of July 3, 1915, granting passage along the roads. The petitioners therefore ask the Council to direct the Hongkew Police to allow them to land hogs at the Hanbury Road Bridge and to drive them as far as, or through the Dixwell Road, without interference, during the six days when the tides are low. At other times, when the tides are high, they will arrange to use the usual route.

WITH 7 CHOPS.

*Rough translation of petition from pork shops, Ching Fung and others, in the Tiendong and Woosung Roads, to the Municipal Council, dated June 28, 1919.*

The writers state that their hogs are brought in from Nantao by boats through the Hongkew Creek up to the Kashing Road Bridge, thence to their abbatoirs. As the creek has not been dredged for a long time, it is blocked up, so that at low tide they cannot bring their boats up to the Kashing Road Bridge, also there has been interference by the Police. They have, therefore, written asking the Council to consider the matter and to direct the Police to allow them to pass. Accordingly the Inspectors of the Hongkew and Kashing Road Police Stations have kindly made an inspection, in company with the pork dealers and it is agreed that the boats had best be unloaded inside the Kashing Road Bridge, which seems to be the nearest route to the slaughter house and a place little used by the public. But they have to point out that the Hongkew Creek is practically choked and needs dredging very badly. That portion of the creek adjoining native territory is being cleared but the part in the Settlement leading to the Whangpoo River which is under the control of the Council needs dredging very much, as it is an important waterway, much used by native boat people. If the Council will be so kind as to have it thoroughly dredged all concerned will be very greatly obliged. The writers are willing to contribute a few hundred dollars towards the cost of dredging. An official of the Health Office made inquiries of the writers a few days ago, and is aware that the trouble is due to the bad condition of the creek which obstructs boat traffic at low tides, which retards the development of the place. The labourers at the abbatoir experience difficulty in getting hogs to the pens during the time of low tides If you will kindly dredge the creek their boats can then be brought in at any time. They, therefore, have to ask the Council kindly to take steps to dredge the waterway as the permission to pass through the public streets is only a temporary expedient. Your compliance with their request will be greatly appreciated.

WITH 7 CHOPS.

With a covering note in similar terms by Chang Pao-quin and Van Teh-yu, Committee of the Porkshops' Guild.

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*Extract from Comment by the Health Officer.*

Of the pigs referred to 50-80 daily are killed at 7 Kashing Road: 100-120 daily at junction of Dixwell and Urga Roads. The former slaughterhouse is inside the Settlement and well arranged; the latter is outside limits, badly constructed and dirty.

The pigs are brought by boat from the pig hongs at Nantao arriving about 4 p.m. each day at Kashing Road bridge on the West side. The pigs are thrown into the water and driven up the sloping bank, being urged along *more sinico*, by bamboos and boat hooks.

When the water is low the boat can get no higher than the mouth of the Singkeipang near Hanbury Road Bridge. Then they have to be driven along the Dixwell Road to the slaughterhouses.

The remedy is dredging the Hongkew Creek, which is badly wanted. From the Settlement Boundary the Chinese have recently dredged the creek as far as Kiangwan. Pigs for foreign consumption only are killed at the S.M.C. Slaughterhouse. Pigs are also killed in large numbers at the Sinza Road Slaughterhouses on the Soochow Creek and to a much smaller extent at the French Municipal Slaughterhouse.

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*Extract from Comment by the Captain - Superintendent of Police.*

I have to endorse the suggestion of the Health Officer that the solution of the difficulty of the Hongkew Creek is to have it dredged, and to recommend that this be carried out as soon as possible

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*Extract from Report by the Municipal Engineer.*

The Hongkew Creek is at present in need of dredging, more particularly from the Yuhang Road Bridge to the Kashing Road Bridge, an average depth of about 2 feet of mud requiring to be dredged in this section. The estimated cost of the work is Tls. 3,500, and I recommend that this be undertaken.

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 11, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letters of June 2 and 28, on the subject of transport difficulties on the Hongkew Creek, and, in reply, to inform you that after careful consideration of all the circumstances the Council has decided to dredge the creek, particularly that section of it from the Yuhang Road bridge to the Kashing Road bridge, with a view to rendering it navigable at all states of the tide. In this manner the Council is confident that the difficulties complained of will be quickly eliminated, and, in the meantime, directions will be given to the Police to permit the landing of pigs at the Hanbury Road Bridge and their passage along the Dixwell Road.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

THE PORK DEALERS' GUILD.

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**Public Lighting.**

*Nanking Road.*—The project for the relighting of the Nanking Road which was tentatively approved in 1916, but which was not carried out

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owing to constructional difficulties, has now been replaced by an alternative scheme which has received the Council's approval, under which the lighting will consist of 600 c.p electric lamps borne on 6 ft. arms attached to the tramway standards. The additional cost will amount to Tls. 1,168 per annum.

*Ward Road.*—The Engineer has reported that this thoroughfare is at present unlighted between the Ningkuo Road and the village of Yinghsiangkong, and his recommendation is approved to erect six 60 c. p. metallic filament lamps at a cost of Tls. 198 per annum.

### Mokanshan Sanatorium.

Accommodation has been provided by the lease from Dr. Main of the house known as "Drumtochty" for Tls. 400 for the season.

### Traffic.

Peking Road will be closed, during its reconstruction in asphaltic concrete, in sections from Fokien Road to Thibet Road for a period of about 6 weeks commencing on Saturday, July 26. The first section to be closed will be that between Fokien Road and Chekiang Road.

The Thorne Road Bridge will be closed to traffic, during repairs from Saturday, July 26, to Sunday, August 10, inclusive.

### Landing Accommodation.

Correspondence with Mr J. Ambrose on the subject of the provision of a public jetty and shelter at the end of the Tongting Road.

Shanghai, June 11, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—Referring to the construction of the public road and jetty on the East of and adjoining the Power Station on the Yangtsezepoo Road the name of which I do not know, I this a.m. received a call from an old native friend of mine who is a resident of and largely interested in Pootung, who requested me to be good enough to approach you on the matter of the provision of a shed at the river end of the above road.

From what he says there is a largely used public jetty at the end of what was or is the Samarang Road and at or near the river end of that road was a shed to afford protection from the weather to the public using that ferry.

I am not quite sure, but I think I understood him to say the shed had been removed, but in any case, a new concrete landing stage and road is in course of construction on the west of and adjoining the Vacuum Oil Company's premises at Pootung in place of one which existed east of and adjoining the Standard Oil Company's premises there; and there being a large and increasing traffic across the river, and as the road adjoining the Power Station will be nearest to the new landing stage at Pootung, my native friend in the interests of the general public respectfully requests that a shed be erected at or over the river end of the aforesaid Municipal road adjoining the Power Station, so that those using the ferry may have some protection from the weather whilst waiting for the boat; similar protection having been arranged for on the Pootung side of the river.

As this seems to me to be a most reasonable and inexpensive request I trust you will see your way to providing the accommodation asked for, and so confer a favour on the public and

Yours faithfully,
J. AMBROSE.

C. HARPUR, Esq.,
Acting Engineer and Surveyor.

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 28, 1919.

SIR,—In reply to your letter of June 11 to the Municipal Engineer, I am directed to inform you that in accordance with your request the Council will proceed with the erection of a jetty and shelter at Tongting Road, as desired, during next year, and that provision for the cost will be made in the budget for that year.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

J. AMBROSE, Esq.

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JULY 19.

*Police Force.*—The following are promoted to be 1st Class Sergeants:—

S. H. Rawlings from July 1
T. Robertson ,, ,, 15

*Health Department.*—Nurse S. Seki is permitted to terminate her service on July 31.

Miss M. H. M. Christie is appointed Housekeeper, Victoria Nursing Home, under agreement from June 29.

Miss C. Dalton and Miss A. C. M. Kavanagh are appointed Nurses under agreement from June 29.

Miss G. M. Smith, temporary Housekeeper, Victoria Nursing Home, is transferred to be temporary Housekeeper, Isolation Hospital, from June 29.

*Public Works Department.*—The service of Miss G. Davey is extended from April 13, as Stenographer and Typist.

Mr. A. J. Pratt is appointed temporarily as Assistant Inspector from July 10.

Mr. A. C. B. Craddock, 2nd Assistant Engineer, returned from war service, resumed duty on July 11.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. J. F. G. Harris is appointed Assistant Mains Foreman on three months' probation from July 1.

*Public Band.*—Three and a half months' leave is granted, under special circumstances, to Musician G. Alberto from July 24.

*Secretariat.*—Mr. A. G. Nugent, Assistant, returned from war service, resumed duty on July 4.

### Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | July 28 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden | |
| Tues. | ,, 29 | 5.30 | ,, | ,, |
| ,, | ,, 29 | 9.00 | ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | ,, 30 | 5.30 | ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | ,, 31 | 9.00 | ,, | ,, |
| Fri. | Aug. 1 | 5.30 p.m. | Hongkew | Recreation Ground |
| ,, | ,, 1 | 9.00 | ,, | Public Garden |
| Sat. | ,, 2 | 5.30 | ,, | Public Recreation Ground |
| ,, | ,, 2 | 9.00 | ,, | Public Garden |

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, July 20, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 19 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 1 |
| *Acute Diarrhoea | 0 | 33 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 224 |

*Of cholera type but not caused by Cholera vibrio.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 43 | Hankow | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | altns. |
| 1016 | Whangpoo | Lafuente & Wootten | | | altns. |
| 50 | Winchester | Chun Wei Ping | | | addns. |
| 1017 | Woosung | ShanghaiLand Investment Co., Ld. | | 1 | |
| 139 | Avenue | G. R. Grove & Co. | | | wall |
| 2431 | B'bling Well | Eastern Construction Co. | | | addns. |
| 2563 | Hart | S'hai Electric Construction Co., Ld. | | | water closet |
| 2309 | Sinza | R. A. Curry | 1 | 1 | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 531 532 | Hoopeh | Y. C. Ling | 96 | | |
| 410 | Tsepoo | Brandt & Rodgers | 1 | | |
| Unreg. S of 3115 | Yangchow | Tsang Kee | 5 | | |
| Unreg. E of 6221 | Y'poo | Chang Yuen Kee | 8 | | |
| 581 | Sinza and Chengtu | Yao Cheng Kee | | | alts. |

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**Report of Captain-Superintendent of Police for June.**

Strength of the Force on June 30.

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| Officers | 7 | |
| Foreigners | 136 | |
| Japanese | 27 | |
| Sikhs | 585 | |
| Chinese | 1,472 | |
| | | 2,227 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 79 | |
| Followers | 223 | |
| | | 302 |
| | Total | 2,529 |

*Reports of Property Stolen.*—During the month the Police received 189 reports of stolen property. Included in the above were 12 cases of burglary, 3 cases of house-breaking and 5 cases of office breaking. In 67 cases investigation was made with successful results. This return is the lowest in any month during the past six years. It shows a decrease of 93 on the figures for the previous month and of 104 on the figures for the corresponding month of last year.

*Armed Robberies.*—During the month there was one case of armed robbery and one of highway robbery. Two persons were arrested in connexion with these cases.

*Executions.*—During the month ten persons guilty of murder and armed robbery in the Settlement were executed at Loongwha in the presence of a representative of the Municipal Police. The total number so executed during the half-year ending June 30 was twenty-six.

*Murders.*—Two murders occurred in the Settlement, both as a direct result of the food and water poisoning rumours which were so assiduously circulated with the help of the local Chinese press. In one case a Chinese ex-official was attacked by a mob in the country off Kiaochow Road on June 10. He was found in a dying condition by the Police and sent to hospital where he succumbed to his injuries Of seven men arrested in connexion with this crime, three were found guilty of inflicting grievous bodily harm and were sentenced to five, three and two years' imprisonment respectively.

The second case occurred on June 14 when a Chinese was assaulted by a mob on the East Yuhang Road and died from his injuries two days later in hospital.

*Anti-Japanese Boycott and Local Unrest.*—Although rumours of impending trouble were current for a couple of days beforehand, the anti-Japanese agitation may be said to have begun in Shanghai on May 7. On that date a mass meeting attended by about 7,000 people, of whom the majority were students, was held in the Public Recreation Ground near the West Gate of the City. Speakers demanded the return of Tsingtao and the release of students who had been imprisoned in Peking. After the speeches the assembly decided to go in a body to see the Northern and Southern Peace Delegates who were sitting at the German Club. Their plans were upset however by the French Police who would not allow them to enter the French Settlement; and so they sent a deputation to interview the Southern Peace Delegates who promised to request the Central Government to release the imprisoned students.

On the following day thirty delegates representing as many educational institutions met at the Fuh Tan College and formed a Students' Union. This organization has since directed the boycott campaign. It was also the main force behind the strike which followed, and of which it tried unsuccessfully to assume complete control. Up to June 9 the Union had its Headquarters in the World's Chinese Students' Federation, No. 51 Bubbling Well Road: after that date it was located in the French Settlement.

Having formed a Union and started the boycott, the students set about strengthening the determination of the people by means of personal appeals, the distribution of handbills and so on. Their campaign soon began to have its effect. Merchants held meetings and expressed their loyal adherence to the boycott. Orders given in Japan for goods were cancelled and cargo was no longer sent by Japanese ships. Persons selling Japanese articles were denounced as "tortoises" but no violence was used until about May 18 when students and loafers began to snatch and mutilate "Japanese made" straw hats from the heads of otherwise unoffending citizens. As a matter of fact many of the hats so destroyed were not of Japanese manufacture at all.

A few prosecutions had a steadying effect on the enthusiasts and offences of this nature ceased about ten days later.

At the end of May it was apparent that the boycott had taken a firm hold on the people, but there was every hope that it would be conducted in an orderly manner despite the efforts of a few extremists among the students who advocated the formation of a volunteer corps and a general strike. But on June 4 the local Students' Union received news from their Tientsin Branch that 400 students had been arrested for demonstrating in Peking. On receipt of this report 300 students held a meeting in front of the theatre at Chu Meu Dien in the Shanghai City. Later they formed themselves into parties and made direct appeals to the shopkeepers in the City to strike This pressure proved effective. The City shops did not open on the morning of June 5 and those in the Settlement put up their shutters during the forenoon of the same day. With the exception of some of the larger establishments the shuttered shops continued, nevertheless, to do business.

Apart from the holiday aspect presented by the shuttered shops things remained normal during the day. But late in the afternoon it became evident that this state of affairs would not continue. Japanese were attacked in various parts of the Settlement and about 9 p.m. large crowds containing disorderly elements began to assemble in Nanking Road. During the evening several policemen were struck with stones and bricks, and towards midnight it became necessary to disperse these crowds by force.

On June 6 the City Tramways did not run, their employes having joined the strike. Efforts were made the same day to intimidate the employes of the French town Tramways, but with only partial success. Some of the markets shut down and the supplies of food offered for sale in others were restricted. The slaughterers and the employes of a large foreign store also joined the strike. The shops remained closed, their fronts plastered with handbills and nearly all of them displaying boycott flags. These flags and handbills seemed to have the effect of intensifying the anti-Japanese feeling, which was being further increased by reports of Japanese poisoning water and food, and a warning to shopkeepers and others was accordingly issued by the Municipal Council.

Owing to the very heavy duties which by this time were falling on the Police the Volunteers were called out in the afternoon. With their help many of the offensive handbills and flags were removed from the shop fronts in the Louza and Central Districts. Later in the afternoon a motor truck manned by a party of police proceeded along the principal streets for the purpose of removing flags whose owners refused to comply with the Council's instructions on the matter. This work went on without incident until the truck reached the corner of Hupeh and Foochow Roads. There it was surrounded and its driver severely handled by the mob despite the efforts of the police in charge.

Soon after this incident a District Inspector of the Public Works Department was attacked while examining a water main in the vicinity and was with difficulty rescued from the mob. Several members of the Light Horse, S.V.C. were also attacked by mobs in Foochow Road and had narrow escapes. Crowds which collected in consequence of these incidents were dispersed by police and volunteers.

A handbill headed "Attention," assuring foreigners of the strikers' good-will was posted outside several shops on this day. These handbills became quite general during succeeding days and copies were sent to many foreigners by post.

On June 7 a rumour was current that the action against the strikers on the previous day had been taken as a result of a bribe of $150,000 paid by the Japanese to the Municipal Council, and handbills were distributed containing statements to that effect. This allegation seems to have disturbed the printers employed by Kelly and Walsh who struck work ostensibly as a protest against the action of their employers in printing proclamations for the Municipal Council. The printers of the Commercial Press and Chun Wha Book Co. joined the strike on the same day without any special reason save a desire to show their sympathy with the movement.

Representatives of various trades, schools and associations held a

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meeting which was attended by General Lu and others in the Nantao Chamber of Commerce at 10 a.m. on June 7. After considerable discussion General Lu said that he would telegraph to the Central Government stating that it was the desire of the people in Shanghai to have any student demonstrators in custody at Peking released, and the three politicians known as the "national traitors" punished. This was promised on condition that the shops were opened and the boycott agitation abandoned. Those present approved of the course suggested by General Lu and said that a meeting would be held in the Chinese Chamber of Commerce on North Honan Road in the afternoon so that uniform action could be taken in the Settlement and Chinese territory.

The meeting in the Chamber of Commerce took place at 4.30 p.m. It was attended by about 300 merchants and students (including 25 girls), Mr. Shen Pao-chang, the City Magistrate, and Colonel Ma Hung-lih, Chief Staff Officer of General Lu. The chair was taken by Tong Tsih-tsi, a prominent member of the Commercial Federation, No. 364 Honan Road. Some members of the Chamber of Commerce explained what had occurred at Nantao and recommended those present to agree to General Lu's suggestion.

A long and heated discussion then followed. The older members of the Chamber of Commerce favoured the proposal of General Lu, but they were strenuously opposed by the students and the members of the Commercial Federation present. The meeting broke up at 6.15 p.m. without having come to any definite decision.

The conciliatory spirit shown by the merchants at the two meetings held on June 7 appeared to have the effect of spurring the students on to greater efforts. Several new handbills were put into circulation during the evening urging the people to persevere in the strike until the Central Government agreed to the following demands:—

1.—The punishment of the "national traitors."

2.—The cancellation of secret agreements.

3.—The release of the students.

4.—The return of Tsingtao.

On the evening of June 8 the increasingly serious nature of the strike was apparent. Thousands of industrial workers were then walking the streets idle. Chauffeurs in garages had given notice that they would not work the following day and preparations were under way to bring out the employes of public service undertakings. Handbills were also in circulation trying to undermine the loyalty of the Chinese members of the S. M. Police, and attempts were made to distribute leaflets having a similar purpose among the soldiers and police in Chinese territory.

Before daylight on June 9 Municipal proclamations were posted all over the Settlement warning persons wearing any kind of uniform, distinctive dress, sash, badge, etc., except those of the constituted authorities, to keep off the streets. A letter was sent by the Secretary of the Municipal Council on the same morning to the Chinese Students' Union saying that the premises at 51 Bubbling Well Road would be sealed up the following day at 10 a.m. unless its activities in connexion with the strike agitation ceased in the meantime. On receipt of this notice the students left the premises in Bubbling Well Road of their own accord and took up new quarters in the French Settlement.

The same day the local Military and Civil Authorities realized the seriousness of the situation and martial law was proclaimed in Chinese territory at 9 p.m.

The Chinese Chamber of Commerce also appeared to realize that the time had come for them to take action and accordingly had handbills distributed requesting the people to open their shops. A counter circular, purporting to emanate from the Public Citizens' Association and the Commercial Confederate Association, exhorting the people to keep the shops closed was circulated soon afterwards. This counter proclamation seems to have neutralized the effect of the notice issued by the Chamber of Commerce. The shops remained closed on the 10th instant, and the general strike assumed more serious proportions than on any day previously.

Apart from the students, merchants, shopkeepers and shop assistants who had been idle for several days, some 24,000 industrial and other workers had by this time joined the strike. These men included chauffeurs, carpenters, fitters, machinists, shipwrights, stone masons, telephone operators, mill hands, printers, mafoos, washermen, brass-smiths and engineers. There were also large numbers of workers on strike outside the Settlement, among them being the employes of a tobacco factory in Pootung, a large printing works in Chapei, the firemen and sailors of ships in port, the drivers and conductors of the City Tramway Co. and the employes of an engineering works at Nantao.

The proportions which the strike reached on June 10 were due to the momentum it had gained before the counter measures of the previous afternoon. It was noticeable, however, that these measures had already begun to tell, and threatened strikes among the workers of various public utilities did not occur.

The strike continued on June 11 and showed but slight signs of abating until the afternoon of that day when news reached Shanghai that the three so-called "national traitors" had been dismissed by the President. Telegrams received during the evening confirmed this news.

Next day, June 12, the shops in the Settlement opened up during the morning and strikers of all classes began to resume work. By June 16 things had become normal.

When the above news was received from Peking, certain of the shopkeepers, students and labourers who had taken part in the movement celebrated what they termed the victory of the people. These celebrations, which were held in Chinese territory despite the orders of the Authorities, took the form of meetings and processions. One of the processions entered French Concession where it was broken up by the French Police. Part of it, however, succeeded in entering the Settlement about 9 p.m. on June 12 and was stopped by the Police on Shantung Road. A fracas ensued during which the processionists and their sympathizers attacked the Police. The latter had to resort to the use of firearms and several shots were fired which resulted in the death of one Chinese and the wounding of several others. There were few if any students in this procession which was composed chiefly of members of the Commercial, Citizens' and other similar federations and was accompanied by large numbers of bad characters from the City.

No incidents connected with the strike reflect more discreditably on those concerned than the assaults on people suspected of poisoning water and food. These attacks occurred daily during the strike and continued for some time afterwards. They were directed chiefly against Japanese and Koreans, but many Chinese suffered also. In two of the latter cases the victims died from their wounds. The first was in the country off Kiaochow Road on June 10 and the second in East Hanbury Road on June 14. Many of these poisoning rumours were investigated most carefully by the Police, but in no single instance could any evidence of their truth be discovered. Forty-nine arrests were made during the month on charges of riotous conduct and intimidation of Chinese and Japanese residents of the Settlement. Twenty-four persons were sentenced to imprisonment, nine were fined, fourteen were released with a caution or on security and the cases against the other two were dismissed.

Another most discreditable phase of the unrest was the attitude of certain organs of the Chinese press. Oblivious of their duty towards the public, these papers continued daily to publish reports of imaginary poisoning cases which led Chinese residents to believe that they were true. It was only after prosecutions had been instituted that the Chinese editors awoke to the seriousness of their action and withdrew the false reports. These retractions in the press and the Municipal proclamations denouncing the reports as unfounded gradually caused the public to discredit the rumours, and no assaults which could be traced to them occurred after June 18. During the strike period the number of Chinese newspapers dealt with daily by the translation office at Police headquarters increased from 24 to 40.

In connexion with the press also, a further point may be mentioned. It is fully realized that the police handling of any situation in which force is used is liable to be taken exception to by certain sections of

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the community. This must necessarily be so in Shanghai, where national temperaments and national viewpoints are so many and so diverse. It becomes important, therefore, for foreign newspapers to discuss and criticize such matters from the community's standpoint rather than from that of any particular party concerned. It need hardly be said that honest criticism is welcomed by the Police and in times past the benefits derived from such criticism have been freely acknowledged. But criticism to be honest must be based on facts: and it is, therefore, to be regretted that so much that was written by one organ of the foreign press was clearly founded on fiction. This paper claims to represent and presumably, therefore, to guide the formation of a large section of public opinion. If this really be the case, then the erroneous nature of the matter referred to is all the more unfortunate. Whether a thing is done rightly or wrongly in any given circumstances is largely a matter of opinion. Now such opinions should at least be based upon facts, for unless they are so based they are valueless and misleading. And because they are misleading they are liable to do considerable harm for the reason that many people have implicit belief in what they read in the editorial columns of newspapers It would, therefore, appear to be an elementary precaution, when setting out to instruct public opinion to verify the published "facts" on which presumably that opinion is to be based.

The strike period was remarkable for the profusion of literature issued in connexion with the movement. Handbills and cartoons of all descriptions were circulated and no less than 500 different kinds came into the hands of the police. Some of these were issued by schools while others were the work of individual patriots. Many also were anonymous. Several newspapers, notably the Salvation Daily News and the Students' Union Daily made their appearance to support the boycott and strike; and flags with all sorts of inscriptions calculated to rouse enthusiasm were displayed by shops.

One of the immediate results of the strike has been a movement among traders and employes to form themselves into unions. The most important organization of this nature which has been started so far is "The Commoners' Chamber of Commerce," an affiliation of the Unions formed by the residents of the various streets.

In regard to the less obvious causes underlying the recent unrest in the Settlement, it would be premature at present to make any definite pronouncement. The records of the Police Intelligence Office during the past twelve months record many similar instances among the labouring and artisan classes which had their outward manifestation in strikes. While this unrest could partly be accounted for by the increased cost of living it was plain to anyone closely following its development that some sort of political propaganda among the workers was a contributing factor. Reports reaching the Police from time to time seemed to show that Kuomintang malcontents were responsible, but in May of this year a case occurred which disclosed the existence of a scheme to spread Bolshevist ideas in China. There was nothing to show that any organized campaign had been carried on among the working classes, but it was discovered that Bolshevist propaganda was being spread among the student classes and that agents for the sale of Bolshevist literature had been appointed in various schools.

These facts came to light with the seizure by the Municipal Police on May 16 of certain books and other documents at the Ta Tung Book Store, No. 119B Foochow Road, and the Oriental Book Co., No. 84 Canton Road. Some of these merely advocated socialism, but others were of pronounced anarchical tendencies and favoured the subversion of all Government and law The proprietors of the shops were subsequently fined and a Cantonese who acted as the wholesale agent in Shanghai was sent to prison for six months.

Advertisements in the books seized showed that agents had been appointed for their sale at schools as far apart as Peking University —this is where the recent agitation started—and Lo Ying College near Swatow. There was no conclusive evidence that any of the prominent political parties were behind the propaganda, but in a signed statement made by the Shanghai wholesale agent, he declared that his principal was employed by a prominent official of the Southern Party.

One of the most inflammatory of the books seized was called "The People's Bell," and the fact that the Students' Union of Peking and Tientsin gave this name to a paper which they started on June 8 is not without significance.

More recently Bolshevist literature emanating from this port has been seized in the cities of Tientsin and Peking and at places in the provinces of Hupeh, Anhui and Kwangtung. From intercepted correspondence it has been ascertained that literature of the above description had been despatched at different times during the last six months to Chinese in England, France and America. These communications have been acknowledged by the recipients who in most cases made a request for the despatch of further consignments. A number of letters from Nanking and from towns and cities in Kiangsi, Honan and Szechuan containing demands for pamphlets and papers of which the writers had apparently heard for the first time, have also been intercepted by the Authorities.

It must be stated, however, that while the foregoing facts may possibly have a bearing on the general political situation in China, there is nothing definite to connect Bolshevism with the recent unrest in Shanghai. Under other names Bolshevism has been known for many years in this country, in common with most others, and it would be premature as yet to connect it definitely with any known form of domestic political agitation. The connexion between certain notorious professional politicians and the students' movement is, of course, well known to the Authorities by whom the matter is kept under close and careful observation.

So far as the students personally were concerned on this occasion few of them gave any trouble on the streets. For the first day or two there was no attempt made to interfere with their make-belief assistance in keeping the crowds in order, but it was soon found that their presence merely caused larger crowds to collect. They were accordingly warned not to appear and they obeyed these instructions implicitly for some days. Later they formed processions carrying banners in motor cars and many had to be turned back. No students were arrested by the Police though a number who were found distributing handbills on the streets were taken to the police stations and warned to desist. On the whole they were amenably inclined and with few exceptions seemed anxious that order should be kept. No cases of intimidation or of incitement by them to disorder came directly under police notice within Settlement limits.

When they started their boycott campaign they did not intend the movement to reach the lengths it eventually did. Nor did they anticipate losing control as they did. But by June 8, the conduct of affairs had admittedly passed out of their hands and the attitude of their leaders on that day at their headquarters at 51 Bubbling Well Road was one almost of plaintive apology to the Police that things had gone so far. They then stated that they were no longer responsible for what might happen, giving as one reason that there had been schism in their ranks and that they had no authority over students who did not belong to their Union. Whether they then knew that their patriotism was being exploited and their organization used as a pawn in a clever political game is doubtful; that they were fully aware of this later on can hardly be questioned. In fact, in view of subsequent developments, it is surely impossible that they should still remain ignorant of their true position in the matter.

If this is correct it is surprising that they still consent to occupy that position. One cannot doubt the earnest patriotism of most of them, but one must question their common sense and their self-respect. Among them are many young men of intelligence and education and through these qualities they have immense influence with the masses of their countrymen in large centres of population. They are even now a power with which the Government must reckon. Used in the right way this power may regenerate their country: used wrongly it may easily bring it to ruin. As the pawns and tools of political filibusters the students must see that they put themselves on a level

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with the toughs and adventurers whose presence is common to all political revolutions.

That, it seems, is the condition to which their present associates and their present methods must bring them. To accomplish their professed aim of 'saving' their country both their associates and their methods must be changed

*Identification Office.*—During the month 342 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 109 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 136 records were received from the French Police out of which number 82 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| For identification | 478 | |
| Identified | 191 | |
| Percentage | 40 | |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | | 8 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | | 27 |
| | | 35 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 17.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 171 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 62 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 37 | *Second offenders.* |
| 19 | *Third offenders.* |
| 3 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 50 | *Habitual offenders* (serious) |
| 342 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for June.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed for the Public Works Department | Tls. Nil |
| *Less.* | Nil |
| Total | Tls. Nil |
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the Public Works Department | Tls. 1,225.08 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 531.08 |
| Total | Tls. 694.00 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. 694.00 |

Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.

A. HILTON-JOHNSON,
*for Captain-Superintendent of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:*— | |
| Assault | 3 |
| Causing grievous bodily harm | 5 |
| 2.—*Offences of a Public Nature:*— | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:*— | |
| Dogs | 5 |
| Liquor | 1 |
| Motor Cycle | 2 |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:*— | |
| Arms, selling | 1 |
| House Refuse | 6 |
| Conspiracy to defraud | 1 |
| Disorderly conduct | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 5 |
| Impersonation | 1 |
| In possession of dangerous weapons | 1 |
| Riding a bicycle after sunset without a light | 1 |
| Total | 33 |

| *Not Charged:* | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,986 | 1,986 |
| Others | 33 | 604 | 637 |
| Total | 33 | 2,590 | 2,623 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Case Withdrawn | 1 |
| Cautioned | 4 |
| Cautioned and ordered to leave Shanghai | 1 |
| Committed for trial | 1 |
| Fined | 17 |
| Imprisonment | 4 |
| Imprisonment and Expulsion | 4 |
| do. Fined | 1 |
| Total | 33 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on June 30.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 2 |
| Louza Station | 5 |
| Hongkew Station | 8 |
| Harbin Road Station | 2 |
| West Hongkew Station | 4 |
| Wayside Station | 3 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 2 |
| Sinza Station | 5 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 2 |
| Gordon Road Station | 5 |
| Gaol | 1,577 |
| Reformatory | 83 |
| Total | 1,698 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 547 | 225 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 547 | 225 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN May 31 and June 27.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 23,942.35 |
| Recovered | 5,486 40 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 31. 5. 19. | 48 | 300 |
| Captured | 252 | |
| Returned | 42 | 300 |
| Killed | 198 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 12 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 48 | |

## Mosquito Notice.

NO STAGNANT WATER—NO MOSQUITOES.

Mosquitoes carry MALARIA and other diseases.

Mosquitoes cannot multiply except in STAGNANT WATER. Where stagnant water cannot be ABOLISHED kerosine sprinkled on the surface to form a film will kill mosquito 'wrigglers,' as it prevents breathing when they come to the surface.

Old tins and bottles, broken crockery and unconsidered ARTICLES OF THIS KIND CAPABLE OF HOLDING RAIN WATER should be carefully COLLECTED from the garden and backyard and placed with the refuse for removal.

Tubs, kongs, water plants, flower-pot saucers or other VESSELS OF WATER, which cannot be dispensed with should be EMPTIED OR SPRINKLED WITH KEROSINE ONCE A WEEK.

GARDENERS' KONGS, DUG-OUTS, WELLS AND WATER BARRELS should be done away with, water for the garden, etc., being derived directly from the tap or, if that be impossible, the kongs, etc., should be oiled once a week or kept securely covered so that mosquitoes cannot get to the water to lay their eggs.

Have the water from kennels, chicken coops, etc., regularly emptied out.

Keep drains and rain-water roof channels clean and clear and in good repair. GULLY TRAPS that are not frequently flushed should be oiled weekly.

Shallow RAIN WATER POOLS AND SLUSHY PLACES can generally be obliterated by a SCRATCH DRAIN or LEVELLED with house ashes, PONDS AND DITCHES by FILLING-IN and drainage.

ORNAMENTAL PONDS may be kept free from mosquitoes by FISH but, if mosquito 'wrigglers' be found, the water should be OILED WEEKLY preparatory to FILLING-IN.

A WEEKLY INSPECTION of house and surroundings should be made. It may be remembered that a small unheeded pot of water will suffice to breed enough mosquitoes to irritate a whole neighbourhood.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局自有權利承攬全份或

二 所有承攬價目是極低本局亦有權認定本局不承認付人自辦

三 擇定之後該承攬人到局保其遵照合同辦理的實保

四 所有承攬及各人之信公報俾承攬人須知悉價

五 所有目以登入本局清若須付錢則

六 所有承攬信件必須面寫其承攬何項工程料實封固加蓋火漆

本局必將取閱明在此單內登信

明收之錢款一律退還

部局將其款得有的實擔信

二時之前以送信定期二十四小時內掛號

總辦處在路十號工

明繳至江西路號

清單送來最善

此次徵求交換說明

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 130 | 15,000 yards Khaki Drill | — | July 31 |
| 131 | 200 ,, ,, Cord | — | do. |
| 132 | 5,000 ,, Blue Camlet | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before December 31, 1919. | | |
| 134 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern Ankle Boots | — | October 1 |
| | {1,000 pairs to be delivered on or before January 31, 1920 | | |
| | {2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, March 31, 1920} | | |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 504 | Supply of labour and mudfilling for Bund Reclamation Scheme | — | July 28 |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 187 | 5 Miles Triple-braid Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | July 31 |
| 188 | 4½ ,, Vulcanised Cable | 5 | do. |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2632.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24s Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2634.**

**FOREIGN BUILDINGS.**

ACTING under the provisions of Article XXX of the Land Regulations, the Council has made, and hereby gives notice of, the following amendment to Foreign Building Rule No. 14 (b):—

"No building shall be erected so that any point on the road frontage (other than reasonable architectural ornament) shall be at a greater height than one and one-half times the distance measured horizontally from such point to a perpendicular above the Municipal Council road line on the opposite side of the road.

"Where the road is scheduled for widening, such perpendicular shall be taken above the scheduled line on the opposite side of the road."

This addition has been duly submitted for the opinion of the Land Commissioners, and has received their approval.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, July 17, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2635.**

THE public is reminded that licence fees on private vehicles for the September Quarter are now due.

Residents owning Motor Cars, Carriages, Ricshas, Ponies, etc., are therefore requested to take out the necessary licences without delay, for which purpose application must be made at the Revenue Office, accompanied in every instance by the amount of the licence fee. The owners of any vehicles, etc., found to be unlicensed are liable to prosecution under Land Regulations XIII and XIV.

Mafoos or coolies in charge of vehicles, etc., are required to produce the licence card when called upon to do so by the Police.

Dog owners who have not yet taken out licences for the current year are requested to make application for the same at the Revenue Office.

All Dogs must be licensed and muzzled.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai July 17, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2636.**

**Passenger Pontoons.**

WITH a view to minimizing the danger which results from overcrowding on the public passenger pontoons opposite the Custom House, upon the arrival or departure of tenders conveying passengers from or to large mail steamers, and pending decision in regard to the permanent improvement of the present passenger landing facilities at this point, the following provisional arrangements will have effect from date, viz.:—

Half an hour before the arrival or departure of a tender conveying passengers from or to large mail steamers, the passenger pontoons opposite the Custom House will be cleared by the Police and thereafter and until such time as the tender has left, admission to the pontoons will only be permitted to passengers arriving or departing by the tender and to such other persons as may hold passes issued by the Steamship Company concerned.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, July 25, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2637.**

**Debenture Certificates.**

NOTICE is hereby given that Debentures in the 7 per cent. Municipal Loan of 1919 are issued subject to the following conditions which appear endorsed upon the Debenture Certificates:—

1.—A Register of the Debentures will be kept at the Finance Department of the Council at Shanghai wherein there will be entered the names, addresses and descriptions of the registered holders and particulars of the debentures held by them respectively.

2.—The registered holder will be regarded as exclusively entitled to the benefit of this debenture, and all persons may act accordingly, and the Council shall not be bound to enter in the Register notice of any trust or to recognize any right in any other person save as herein provided.

3.—Every transfer of this debenture must be in writing under the hand of the registered holder or his legal personal representative. The transfer must be delivered at the Finance Department of the Council with such evidence of identity or title as the Council may reasonably require, and thereupon the transfer will be registered.

4. In the case of joint registered holders the principal moneys and interest hereby secured shall be deemed to be owing to them upon a joint account.

5.—No transfer will be registered during a period not exceeding twenty days immediately preceding each of the days by this debenture fixed for payment of interest.

6.—The principal moneys and interest hereby secured will be paid without regard to any equities between the Council and the original or any intermediate holder hereof and the receipt of the registered holder for such principal moneys and interest shall be a good discharge to the Council.

7.—The principal moneys and interest hereby secured will be paid at the Shanghai Office of the Council's Bankers or at the Finance Department of the Council.

8.—A notice may be served by the Council upon the holder of this debenture by sending it through the post in a prepaid letter addressed to such person at his registered address: any change in such address must be notified in writing to the Finance Department of the Council.

9.—Any notice served by post shall be deemed to have been served at the expiration of twenty-four hours after it is posted and in

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proving such service it shall be sufficient to prove that the letter containing the notice was properly addressed and put into the Post Office.

Notice is hereby also given that on and after August 1 transfers of debentures in any Municipal Loan issue must be effected by means of the transfer forms which may be obtained on application to the Municipal Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road. Transfers will be registered free of cost.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai. July 29, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2638.

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Monday, August 4, 1919.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 31, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2639.

IN view of the prevalence of CHOLERAIC DIARRHOEA the public is requested to observe carefully the provisions of the PUBLIC HEALTH NOTICE, a copy of which, in English and Chinese, may be obtained from the Health Office.

Particular attention is directed to the rules regarding food, the shortest summary of which is:—"*Eat and drink nothing that has not been recently cooked or otherwise sterilised.*"

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 30, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Municipal Employes War Service Pay Committee held on Thursday, July 24, 1919, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Ed. White *(Chairman)*
P. Fowler
Rev. Evan Morgan

The meeting adjourned at 12.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Health Committee held on Friday, July 25, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Ed. White *(Chairman)*
S. J. Halse
Dr. J. W. Jackson
Mr. H. A. J. Macray
Dr. R. J. Marshall

The meeting adjourned at 4.50 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, July 25, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Skinner Turner *(Chairman)*
L. E. Canning
T. Ibukiyama
S. C. Lin
W. D. McCallum
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mrs. D. Henman
Mrs. C. F. Remer

The meeting adjourned at 6.20 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, July 30, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Ed. White (*Acting Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Messrs. J. H. Dollar
E. C. Pearce

The meeting adjourned at 5.35 p.m.

### Band Committee.

Mr. O. M. Green has been invited to resume his seat on this Committee and has consented to serve.

### Recess.

The annual recess has been arranged to have effect between August 6 and September 17.

### Municipal Properties.

*Surplus Land—Dalny Road.*—The offer of the Oriental Engine Works has been accepted to pay the sum of Tls. 7,000 for Lot 2698 (U.S. Lot 1312), measuring Mow 1.994.

*Wayside Market.*—In amplification of the brief reference contained in the Gazette of July 17, the following correspondence is included herein for general information. The whole of the lot is assessed at Tls. 3,200 per mow, and the portion purchased by the Council is the corner site at the junction of the Ward and Chusan Roads.

Shanghai, February 10, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—Cadastral Lot 1974 E. D. is about to be sold and I am writing to inquire if the Council is interested in the whole or part of this lot.

The selling price is Tls. 4,000 per mow for the whole lot.

Yours faithfully,
C. LUTHY.

C. HARPUR, Esq.,
Acting Engineer & Surveyor.

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 7, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 10 to the Municipal Engineer and to inform you that the Council is willing to purchase an area of approximately two Mow of Lot 1974 with frontage to Ward and Chusan Roads at the price you mention, Tls. 4,000 per mow.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

C. LUTHY, Esq.

Shanghai, April 17, 1919.

SIR,—I thank you for your letter of March 7 re Cadastral Lot 1974. Owing to the owner's absence from Shanghai I regret not having been able to reply earlier. The enclosed plan shows in red the area, measuring approximately 3 Mow, which the owner is prepared to sell to the Council at the rate of Tls. 4,000 per mow. The remaining part is being sold to another concern.

Yours faithfully,
C. LUTHY.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 21, 1919.

SIR,—In reply to your letter of April 17, forwarding me a plan showing an area measuring approximately 3 Mow which it is proposed to sell to the Council, I note that the size and shape of the lot are different to that originally proposed.

The Council, after having given due consideration to your letter, has decided that no more than 2 Mow is required, as originally suggested, and I am directed, therefore, to request that you will be so good as to arrange accordingly.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

C. LUTHY, Esq.

Shanghai, July 3, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We have just been instructed by the beneficial owner of B.C. Lot 3427 to transfer an area of Mow 2.000 to the Municipal Council, and write to inform you that we are prepared to do so upon your making the necessary Consular appointment and inform us of the date and time.

Please note that Mr. A. P. Nazer will attend the transfer and sign as Attorney for Mr. A. E. Algar, in whose name the lot is registered.

Yours faithfully,
ALGAR & CO., LD.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

*Public School for Girls—Fire Station, etc. (Western District).*—A piece of land measuring Mow 1.871 has been acquired from the Chinese owner for this site for the sum of Tls. 4,000 being at the rate of Tls. 2,138 per mow.

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### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Yuyuen Road.* — Arrangements have been concluded with Dr. H. S. Houghton of the Rockefeller Foundation for the surrender ex U. S. Lot 2063 of the area required to widen Yuyuen Road to 50-ft. at the rate of Tls. 1,753 per mow less one-half for betterment, or a total sum of Tls. 359 for Mow 0.409.

### Dogs.

*Observation Kennels.*—Owing to the increased number of dogs suspected of rabies, the construction of four additional kennels at 34 Fearon Road at a cost of Tls. 160 has been authorized.

### Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | Aug. | 4 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | „ | 5 | 5.30 „ | „ „ |
| „ | „ | 5 | 9.00 „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | „ | 6 | 5.30 „ | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | „ | 7 | 9.00 „ | „ |
| Fri. | „ | 8 | 5.30 „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| „ | „ | 8 | 9.00 „ | Public Garden |
| Sat. | „ | 9 | 5.30 „ | Public Recreation Ground |
| „ | „ | 9 | 9.00 „ | Public Garden |

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, July 27, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 873,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 24 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 7 |
| *Acute Diarrhoea | 6 | 95 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 345 |

*Of choleraic type but not caused by Cholera vibrio.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JULY 26

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to 3rd Class Inspector T. Kerrigan from August 21.

Sikh Constable No. 105, Mehr Singh, and Warder No. 61, Jiwan Singh, are discharged, invalided, from July 21.

3rd Class Sergeant W. T. Bartlett is permitted to terminate his service on October 22.

*Fire Brigade.*—Mr. R. F. Block is appointed Motor Mechanic on three months' probation from June 4.

Mr. G. C. Barlett is appointed Fireman on three months' probation from June 6.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Chief Inspector F. J. W. Melville from August 10.

Mr. J. E. Fensham is appointed Inspector on probation from June 28.

Mr. J. R. Gregory, Inspector on probation, is permitted to terminate his service on July 26.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr K. H. Gardner, temporary Assistant Engineer, who proceeded on war service, was permitted to terminate his service on July 15.

*Secretariat.*—Mr. E. T. Nash, Junior Clerk, is appointed Assistant under agreement from October 6.

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling House | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 71 | Hongkong | P. Tilley | | 1 | |
| 164A | Kiangse | Moorhead & Halse | | | addns. |
| 155 | Nanking | Palmer & Turner | | | altns. |
| 23 | Peking | R. E. Stewardson | | | altns. |
| 27 | Yuenmingyuen | ShanghaiLand Investment Co., Ld. | | | covered way |
| 889 | Boone | Yu Sung Hung Kee | | | addns. |
| 1012 | Whangpoo | Kaiyosha | | 1 | |
| 2251 | Baikal | T. C. Lee | | | shed |
| 3725 | Kirin | Moorhead & Halse | 1 | | |
| 5555 | Lay | China Realty Co., Ld. | 1 | | servants' quarters |
| 2435 | Y'poo | Moorhead & Halse | | 1 | |
| 6015 | do. | Y. Ohara | | | shed |
| 1252 | Chengtu | Oriental Land Co. | | | block servants' quarters wall |
| 2431 | Ferry Ext. | Eastern Construction Co. | | | |
| 4175 | Gordon | Nagai Wata Kaisha | | 1 | |
| 4315 | Markham | Hong Yue Cotton Mill Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| 4841 | W. Soochow | Dong Kee & Co. | | | addns. |
| 1 | Thibet | R. Bell | | | circus pavilling |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 531A | Hoopeh | Sung Kyung Kee | | | altns. |
| Unreg. E of 315 | N. Shanse | Yang Shun Kee | 31 | | |
| 3462 | Medhurst & Wuting | Moorhead & Halse | | 23 | |

### Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow or Berkefeld filter.

Aerated waters and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow or Berkefeld filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of

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the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Fire Brigade Report for June.

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 27, as against 18 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls 31,825 (Foreign, Tls. 25,000; Chinese, Tls. 6,825), as against Tls. 6,800 (Foreign, Tls 300; Chinese, Tls. 6,500) during June 1918. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 719,000 (Foreign, Tls. 640,000; Chinese, Tls. 79,000), as against Tls. 597,000 (Foreign, Tls 480,000; Chinese, Tls. 117,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephone 11, Watch Towers 8, Police 4, Street Alarms 3 and Staff 1.

The district call was given on 3 occasions, the remaining 24 being station calls.

These calls proved to be 13 small fires, 4 chimney fires, 7 false alarms, 1 fire outside the Settlement and 2 not traced.

The supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Dropped match or cigarette end | 3 |
| Fire crackers | 3 |
| Lamp upset | 1 |
| Charcoal stove overturned | 1 |
| Ashes or embers from stove | 1 |
| Unknown | 4 |

The premises affected were:—

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|---|---|
| Foreign buildings | 5 |
| Chinese buildings | 15 |

Of these five houses were more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The water used at fires during the month was 95,170 gallons.

The Brigade was occupied 165 hours and 10 minutes at fires, or supposed fires.

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call | | Alarm given | Locality | District | | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Time of | How received | | | Municipal | Fire | | | Hours | Minutes | |
| June 1 | 12.09½ a.m. | Telephone | Station | Tientsin and Shantung Rds. | Central | 3 | | | | 10 | Not traced |
| 1 | 2.03 p.m. | Central Tower | " | V 241 Amoy Rd. | " | 6 | Chinese Dwelling | | 1 | 10 | Chimney |
| 2 | 8 28 p.m. | Police | " | N6-7 Hankow Rd. | " | 4 | Chinese Shop | | | 35 | " |
| 4 | 6.41 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | BB 194 Market St. | Eastern | 1 | | | | 10 | False alarm |
| 4 | 9.36½ p.m. | Telephone | " | PH 200A Boundary Rd. | Northern | 8 | Chinese Dwelling | | 1 | 40 | |
| 5 | 8.30 a.m. | " | District | B1591-2 Sinza Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | 3 damaged | 35 | 40 | |
| 6 | 10.35 a.m. | Street Alarm | Station | Nanking and Honan Rds. | Central | 4 | | | | 5 | False alarm |
| 10 | 8.43 p.m. | Telephone | " | 25A Kiangse Road | " | 4 | Foreign Hetel | | 1 | 10 | Chimney |
| 10 | 11.29 p.m. | Street Alarm | " | N. Szechuen/Haining Rds. | Northern | 2 | | | | 5 | False alarm |
| 12 | 3.05 a.m. | Telephone | " | 173 Bubbling Well Rd. | Western | 7 | Foreign Hotel | | | 20 | " |
| 12 | 8.18 a.m. | Central Tower | " | R353 Yunnan Rd. | Central | 5 | Chinese Dwelling | | 12 | 15 | |
| 12 | 2.08 p.m. | Telephone | " | J 246 1/2 East Seward Rd. | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shop | | 1 | 10 | |
| 12 | 3.15 p.m. | Central Police | " | Compound of Holy Trinity Cathedral | Central | 4 | Foreign Summer House | 1 damaged | | 15 | |
| 12 | 3.44 p.m. | Staff | " | N 415 off Hankow Rd. | " | 4 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 40 | |
| 12 | 4.29 p.m. | Central Tower | " | Canton/Shantung Rds. | " | 4 | | | | 10 | Not traced |
| 12 | 9.48 p.m. | Louza Police | " | French Concession | Outside | | | | | 5 | |
| 13 | 1.27½ a.m. | Street Alarm | " | Peking/Chekiang Rds. | Central | 6 | | | | 10 | False alarm |
| 13 | 8.04 p.m. | Sinza Police | " | N 18 Ta Bing Ka | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 10 | |
| 13 | 10.54 p.m. | Telephone | " | 1 The Bund | Central | 4 | Foreign Offices | | | 15 | |
| 14 | 10.34 p.m. | " | " | E 115 Burkill Rd. | Western | 7 | Chinese Hut | | | 10 | |
| 17 | 3.21 a.m. | " | " | Peking and Honan Rds. | Central | 3 | | | | 10 | False alarm |
| 20 | 12.19½ p.m. | " | " | PA 729 Tsepoo Rd. | Northern | 8 | Chinese Shop | | 4 | 15 | |
| 20 | 10.02 p.m. | Central Tower | District | C 531 Honan Rd. | Central | 4 | " | 1 damaged | 36 | 25 | |
| 22 | 9.32 a.m. | " | Station | S 109-110 Ningpo Rd. | " | 4 | " | | | 10 | Chimney |
| 22 | 9.34 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Range and Haskell Rds. | Northern | 2 | | | | 10 | False alarm |
| 26 | 6.16 a.m. | Telephone | District | 46 Yangtszepoo Rd. | Eastern | 1 | Foreign Godown | | 66 | 15 | |
| 27 | 4.05 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | Station | F 776 off Woochang Rd. | Northern | 2 | Chinese Dwelling | | 1 | 20 | |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

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It is interesting to note that for the half-year ending June 30, 1919, the number of calls to fires, or supposed fires was 136, as against 182 for the corresponding period last year. The estimated damage to property and contents was Tls. 200,825 (Foreign, Tls. 150,350; Chinese, Tls. 50,475), as against Tls. 197,050 (Foreign, Tls. 123,900; Chinese, Tls. 73,150) at fires on assessed property within the Settlement limits during the same period last year, whilst the estimated risk was Tls. 3,099,700 (Foreign, Tls. 2,531,000; Chinese, Tls. 568,700, as against Tls. 4,709,400 (Foreign, Tls. 3,934,400; Chinese, Tls. 775,000) up to June 30, 1918.

The fires of note during the month were:—

*B 1591-2 Sinza Road, June 5, at 8.30 a.m.*—A late telephone message was received to a fire in Sinza Road. Sinza Division responded and found Nos. B 1591-2 Sinza Road well alight on the first floor, and the flames had already worked down the stairs to the corner shop. The firemen were for some time prevented from getting close to the building owing to several severe explosions, caused by a large quantity of fireworks in the building. In about fifteen minutes the fire was held in every direction but it took some little time to finally extinguish it. The corner shop was very badly damaged and a firewood shop next door was damaged on the first floor.

*C 531 Honan Road, June 20, at 10.02 p.m.*—A call was received at 10.02 p.m. to a fire at Honan and Canton Roads. The Central Division responded and found a large sleeping loft above the first floor of No. C 531 Honan Road, a large General Provision Store, well alight. As there was a large quantity of inflammable materials stored in the adjoining lofts the flames were rapidly spreading over the whole upper part of the premises. Jets were promptly got to work from the main entrance and from the alleyway to cut the fire off at the back, and worked right up to the underside of the roof by means of ladders from the entrance. In the early stages of the fire the men were impeded for a short time by a loft containing a large quantity of paper. The fire was practically extinguished in 20 minutes. Naturally water worked down to the floor below, in which there was a large quantity of provisions. Simultaneously with the work of extinguishing, these goods were sheeted over by the Brigade in time to practically save nearly all the goods in the shop from water damage. The actual fire was confined to the lofts, the majority of goods on the first floor were damaged by water, although some at the front and back were untouched and a very good save was effected.

*46 Yangtszepoo Road, June 25, 6.16 a.m.*—At 6.16 a.m. a telephone message was received from the Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co. Hongkew Division and one machine from Central responded. On arrival dense smoke was found issuing from the first floor—No. 2 Compartment, H. Godown. A motor pump was taken in the yard to the nearest mill hydrant, but unfortunately it was found the couplings were of a different size and it was necessary to lay on a line of hose from a Municipal hydrant some distance along Jansen Road. The smoke was so dense that the fire could not be localized Jets were taken in as far as possible and after a difficult task the seat of the fire was reached in about 10 minutes, where it was found that the end of the large centre stack, which was practically up to the ceiling in places, was well alight. This end of the stack was composed of bales of press-packed Indian cotton. The fire had obtained a good hold and was just working round the whole of the compartment, it was checked as far as possible and a quantity of cotton shifted outside. After about two hours steady work no burning cotton remained in the compartment and the fire was practically confined to the end of the centre stack.

Unfortunately the godown was not provided with scuppers at the floor level and naturally with a fire of this description a good deal of water is bound to collect on the floor and it was not until the ventilators at the bottom were knocked out by the firemen and a number of men set to work with brooms that the floor could be relieved of this extra strain. Attention was paid to the top floor, which in places was exceedingly hot, and a line of hose was taken up in readiness should the fire by any chance get through.

On the afternoon of June 12, no less than 4 calls were received. In each case a section of the Brigade, which was specially standing by turned out in less than 10 seconds.

M. W. PETT,
*Chief Officer.*

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## Public and Reserve Gardens.

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Gardens are reserved for the Foreign Community.
2.—The Gardens are opened daily to the Public from 6 a.m. and will be closed half an hour after midnight.
3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.
4.—Dogs and bicyles are not admitted.
5.—Perambulators must be confined to the paths.
6.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers, climbing trees, or damaging the trees, shrubs, or grass is prohibited; visitors and others in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.
7.—No person is allowed within the Band Stand enclosure
8.—Amahs in charge of children are not permitted to occupy the seats and chairs during Band performances.
9.—Children unaccompanied by Foreigners are not allowed in the Reserve Garden.
10.—The Police have instructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 13, 1917.

## Concreteware Manufactory.

The following is the price list of drain pipes and other articles manufactured. The prices quoted are ex Depôt in Fearon Road near Range Road. Applications for delivery orders should be made at the Public Works Office, 7A The Bund.

| Size | Length | Description | Price in Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12″ | 2′0″ | Pipes (machine made) | 0.80 |
| 9″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.60 |
| 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.40 |
| 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.28 |
| 12″ x 9″ | 2′0″ | Junctions | 1.60 |
| 12″ x 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.45 |
| 12″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.35 |
| 9″ x 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.15 |
| 9″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.05 |
| 6″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 0.80 |
| 6″ | | Knuckle Bends 90° | 0.50 |
| 4″ | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| 6″ | | Bends (long) 45° | 0.50 |
| 4″ | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. A. (without cover) | 0.40 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Yard Gullies Fig. B. (without cover) | 1.25 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.25 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.60 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. C. (without cover) | 0.45 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Revolving Top Gullies incl. C.I. cover | 0.75 |
| 3′ 0″x2′0″ | 3′0″ | Egg-shaped Tubes | 4.50 |
| 2′ 3″x1′6″ | 3′0″ | ,, ,, | 3.10 |
| 1′ 6″x1′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, ,, | 1.70 |
| 3′ 0″ | 3′0″ | Circular Tubes } Price on application | |
| 4′ 6″ | 4′0″ | ,, ,, } | |
| | 3′0″ | Inverts for 12″ pipes | 0.80 |
| 3′ 0″x2′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 2.20 |
| 2′ 3″x1′6″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 1.75 |
| 1′ 6″x1′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 0.85 |
| 3′ 0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Circular Tubes | 4.10 |
| 2′ 0″x2′0″ | 1′0″ | Manhole shafts (large) | 3.00 |
| 2′ 0″x2′0″ | 6″ | ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| 1′ 5″x1′5″ | 6″ | ,, Top Frames | 2.55 |
| 3′10″x1′4″ | 5¾″ | ,, Slabs (large) | 2.90 |
| 3′ 0″x1′5″ | 2¾″ | ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| | | ,, Bricks No. 34a | 0.03½ |
| | | ,, ,, 34b | 0.03½ |
| | | Blind manhole cover (large) | 2.50 |
| | | Blind manhole cover (small) | 1.00 |
| 1′ 6″x1′4″ | 12″ | Street Pot Gullies (bottom) } | 6.50 |
| | | Street Pot Gullies (top) } | |
| 5″ x 2″ | 4′0″ | Kerbs | 0.90 |
| 5″ x 4″ | 4′0″ | Channels | 0.90 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 3′3″ | Pavement Tubes | 1.20 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 2′3″ | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4″ | 9″ | ,, Sockets | 0.38 |
| 3″ | 9″ | ,, ,, | 0.38 |
| 4′0″ x 2′0″ | | Kitchen Sinks | 5.50 |
| 2′6″ x 2′0″ | | ,, ,, | 4.00 |
| 12″ x 4″ | 3′0″ | Boundary Stones | 2.65 |
| | 2′ | M. C. R. Stones | 0.85 |
| | 4′ | ,, ,, | 1.00 |
| 4′0″ x 1′6″ | | Grave Slabs per set of 6 | 9.00 |
| 4′0″ x 1′0″ | | ,, ,, 2 | 2.10 |
| | 18′ | Bearing Pile } Prices on application | |
| | 14′ | ,, ,, } | |
| | 10′ | Sheet Pile } | |
| | 7′6″ | ,, ,, } | |
| | | Fence Post } | |
| | | Ridge Tile | 0.27 |
| | | Square Tile | 0.05½ |
| | 2′5¾″ | Sidewalk Slab } Prices on application | |
| | 1′11¾″ | ,, ,, } | |
| | 0′11¾″ | ,, ,, } | |

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承辦全份或獨辦或自有利

二 所有承攬章程要目並標價本局有不承認之權

三 凡到局之後該承攬人須覓妥保人簽定保證之保證書方准開工

四 所有承攬各人之信及承攬之價目以登入本局公報俾人知添

五 所有取閱明清單須付銅圓方准索取

六 所有承攬信函須用信封密封寄交工務處轉送江西路二十號工務處收信

二 信封上須注明所承攬之項目並注明日期

三 信內須寫明送至何處

四 都市工程處

五 本局所發之章程仍有效准其繼續使用

六 後所發之章程一律退還

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單送來以後須在定期內交出

最後之信函須注明所承攬之項目並注明日期

此外信函概不拆開

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 130 | 15,000 yards Khaki Drill | — | October 31 |
| 131 | 200 ,, ,, Cord | — | do. |
| 132 | 5,000 ,, Blue Camlet | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before December 31, 1919. | | do. |
| 134 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern Ankle Boots | — | do. |
| | 1,000 pairs to be delivered on or before January 31, 1920 | | do. |
| | 2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, March 31, 1920 | | do. |
| 135 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | do. |
| 136 | 100 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 137 | 2,400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 ,, | — | do. |
| 138 | 2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 4 ,, | — | do. |
| 139 | 7,000 ,, ,, Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 140 | 900 ,, Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 Thin | — | do. |
| 141 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 Medium | — | do. |
| 142 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 Heavy | — | do. |
| 143 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 144 | 400 Brown ,, 68 × 90 5-lb. each | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before June 30, 1920. | | |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 187 | 5 Miles Triple-braid Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | July 31 |
| 188 | 4½ ,, Vulcanised Cable | 5 | do. |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 186.

90 Induction Motors.

| Tendering Firm. | Make Offered. | Price per Motor. £ | s. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | 2 H.P. | | |
| *Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | Shibaura | 14 | 12 |
| Furukawa & Co. | Shofu | 14 | 16 |
| Takata & Co. | | 15 | 4 |
| Okura & Co. | | 15 | 13 |
| Tokiwa & Co. | | 15 | 18 |
| Furukawa & Co. | Miji | 16 | 18 |
| General Electric Co. of China | General Electric | 17 | 4 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | General Electric (U.S.A.) | 17 | 7 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Fairbanks Morse | 18 | 12 |
| do. | Electrical Machinery Co. | 18 | 12 |
| T. E. M. A. | Brown Boveri | 19 | 10 |
| Arnhold Bros. & Co. | Westinghouse (U.S.A.) | 19 | 12 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Phœnix | 20 | 0 |
| do. | Brush | 20 | 0 |
| China Electric Co. | Allis Chalmers | 20 | 2 |
| Mitsubishi Co. | Kobe | 22 | 11 |
| do. | Nagasaki | 23 | 10 |
| J. Richards & Co. | Brittain | 26 | 9 |
| A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | British Thomson-Houston Co. | 27 | 10 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | British Thomson-Houston Co | 28 | 17 |

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TENDERS RECEIVED—(*Continued*)

| Tendering Firm. | Make offered. | Price per Motc. £ | s. |
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| | 2 H.P | | |
| Emens & Co. | Macfarlane | 30 | 12 |
| Furukawa & Co. | Lincoln | 33 | 16 |
| A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | Lancashire | 32 | 15 |
| | 3 H.P. | | |
| *Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | Shibaura | 17 | 6 |
| Furukawa & Co. | Shofu | 19 | 10 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | General Electric (U.S.A.) | 19 | 17 |
| Takata & Co. | | 20 | 1 |
| Furukawa & Co. | Miji | 20 | 10 |
| Okura & Co. | | 20 | 19 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Electrical Machinery Co | 21 | 11 |
| do. | Fairbanks Morse | 21 | 12 |
| Tokiwa & Co. | | 23 | 2 |
| China Electric Co. | Allis Chalmers | 23 | 3 |
| T. E. M. A | Brown Boveri | 23 | 10 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Phœnix | 24 | 3 |
| do. | Brush | 24 | 3 |
| Arnhold Bros. & Co. | Westinghouse (U.S.A.) | 25 | 17 |
| Mitsubishi Co. | Kobe | 27 | 8 |
| A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | British Thomson-Houston Co. | 27 | 10 |
| General Electric Co. of China | General Electric | 28 | 6 |
| J. Richards & Co. | Brittain | 28 | 11 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | British Thomson-Houston Co | 28 | 17 |
| Mitsubishi Co. | Nagasaki | 30 | 17 |
| Emens & Co. | Macfarlane | 33 | 0 |
| Furukawa & Co. | Lincoln | 38 | 8 |
| A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | Lancashire | 46 | 16 |
| | 20 H.P. | | |
| *Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Electrical Machinery Co. | 76 | 11 |
| Tokiwa & Co. | | 78 | 3 |
| Furukawa & Co. | Shofu | 81 | 13 |
| do. | Miji | 84 | 1 |
| Takata & Co. | | 84 | 6 |
| Okura & Co. | | 86 | 12 |
| Mitsubishi Co. | Kobe | 87 | 7 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Brush | 98 | 7 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | General Electric (U.S.A.) | 101 | 14 |
| Jardine, Matheson & Co. | Brush | 102 | 10 |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | Shibaura | 105 | 3 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Phœnix | 105 | 11 |
| General Electric Co. of China | General Electric | 106 | 9 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Fairbanks Morse | 110 | 11 |
| Emens & Co. | Macfarlane | 115 | 4 |
| Mitsubishi Co. | Nagasaki | 118 | 9 |
| Furukawa & Co. | Lincoln | 118 | 11 |
| A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | British Thomson-Houston Co. | 118 | 14 |
| China Electric Co. | Allis Chalmers | 119 | 16 |
| T. E. M. A. | Brown Boveri | 124 | 0 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | British Thomson-Houston Co. | 125 | 5 |
| Arnhold Bros. & Co. | Westinghouse (U.S.A.) | 129 | 9 |
| A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | Lancashire | 149 | 10 |
| J. Richards & Co. | Brittain | 149 | 17 |
| A. E. S. Thomson & Co. | Bruce Peebles | 159 | 18 |
| | 30 H.P. | | |
| Tokiwa & Co. | Brush | 111 | 8 |
| *Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Electrical Machinery Co | 130 | 0 |
| do. | General Electric (U.S.A.) | 131 | 4 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | Brush | 133 | 8 |
| Jardine, Matheson & Co. | Shofu | 133 | 17 |
| Furukawa & Co. | British Thomson-Houston Co. | 136 | 2 |
| A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | | 136 | 6 |
| Takata & Co. | British Thomson-Houston Co. | 139 | 13 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | | 143 | 8 |
| Okura & Co. | Kobe | 143 | 12 |
| Mitsubishi Co. | Miji | 145 | 12 |
| Furukawa & Co. | Lincoln | 146 | 9 |
| do. | Phœnix | 149 | 14 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Fairbanks Morse | 150 | 0 |
| do. | Macfarlane | 151 | 5 |
| Emens & Co. | Nagasaki | 158 | 7 |
| Mitsubishi Co. | Shibaura | 163 | 11 |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | Allis Chalmers | 163 | 17 |
| China Electric Co. | General Electric | 164 | 3 |
| General Electric Co. of China | Westinghouse (U.S.A.) | 168 | 13 |
| Arnhold Bros. & Co. | Brown Boveri | 169 | 3 |
| T. E. M. A. | Brittain | 191 | 0 |
| J. Richards & Co. | Bruce Peebles | 197 | 1 |
| A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | Lancashire | 200 | 4 |
| do. | | 226 | 4 |

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TENDERS RECEIVED – (*Continued*)

| Tendering Firm. | Make offered | Price per Motor. £ | s. |
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| | 40 H.P. | | |
| Tokiwa & Co. | | 138 | 6 |
| *Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Brush | 146 | 13 |
| do. | Electrical Machinery Co | 151 | 19 |
| Jardine, Matheson & Co. | Brush | 153 | 5 |
| A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | British Thomson-Houston Co. | 153 | 11 |
| Furukawa & Co. | Shofu | 153 | 17 |
| Takata & Co. | | 155 | 14 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | General Electric (U.S.A.) | 159 | 3 |
| Okura & Co. | | 160 | 6 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | British Thomson-Houston Co. | 162 | 10 |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | Shibaura | 164 | 6 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Fairbanks Morse | 164 | 12 |
| Mitsubishi Co. | Kobe | 172 | 2 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Phœnix | 172 | 10 |
| Furukawa & Co | Miji | 173 | 1 |
| do. | Lincoln | 180 | 2 |
| General Electric Co. of China | General Electric | 182 | 8 |
| Emens & Co. | Macfarlane | 184 | 15 |
| Arnhold Bros. & Co. | Westinghouse (U.S.A.) | 187 | 5 |
| China Electric Co. | Allis Chalmers | 189 | 14 |
| Mitsubishi Co. | Nagasaki | 192 | 6 |
| T. E. M. A. | Brown Boveri | 213 | 0 |
| A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | Bruce Peebles | 217 | 2 |
| J. Richards & Co. | Brittain | 225 | 0 |
| A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | Lancashire | 239 | 4 |
| | 60 H.P. | | |
| Furukawa & Co. | Shofu | 168 | 2 |
| Takata & Co. | | 172 | 2 |
| Okura & Co. | | 176 | 16 |
| Tokiwa & Co. | | 179 | 0 |
| *Shewan, Tomes & Co | Fairbanks Morse | 180 | 0 |
| do. | Electric Machinery Co. | 190 | 0 |
| do. | Brush | 192 | 4 |
| Furukawa & Co. | Miji | 195 | 1 |
| A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | British Thomson-Houston Co. | 202 | 0 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co | General Electric (U.S.A.) | 210 | 0 |
| do. | British Thomson-Houston Co. | 214 | 14 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Phœnix | 216 | 8 |
| General Electric Co. of China | General Electric | 219 | 2 |
| Mitsubishi Co. | Kobe | 222 | 4 |
| Emens & Co. | Macfarlane | 225 | 11 |
| Mitsubishi Co. | Nagasaki | 227 | 18 |
| Arnhold Bros & Co. | Westinghouse (U.S.A.) | 228 | 7 |
| China Electric Co. | Allis Chalmers | 229 | 0 |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | Shibaura | 252 | 4 |
| Furukawa & Co. | Lincoln | 253 | 5 |
| T. E. M. A. | Brown Boveri | 271 | 0 |
| A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | Bruce Peebles | 283 | 8 |
| do. | Lancashire | 299 | 14 |
| J. Richards & Co. | Brittain | 310 | 19 |
| | 80 H.P. | | |
| Furukawa & Co. | Shofu | 204 | 15 |
| Takata & Co. | | 209 | 0 |
| Tokiwa & Co. | | 209 | 0 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Electrical Machinery | 213 | 0 |
| Okura & Co. | | 215 | 9 |
| *A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | British Thomson-Houston Co. | 216 | 0 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Fairbanks, Morse | 223 | 7 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | British Thomson-Houston Co. | 228 | 12 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Brush | 242 | 10 |
| Furukawa & Co. | Miji | 249 | 9 |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | Phœnix | 252 | 2 |
| Jardine, Matheson & Co. | Brush | 254 | 0 |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | Shibaura | 254 | 10 |
| General Electric Co. of China | General Electric | 259 | 2 |
| Mitsubishi Co. | Kobe | 259 | 4 |
| China Electric Co. | Allis Chalmers | 260 | 1 |
| Emens & Co. | Macfarlane | 268 | 7 |
| Mitsubishi Co. | Nagasaki | 269 | 8 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | General Electric (U.S.A.) | 279 | 3 |
| Arnhold Bros & Co. | Westinghouse (U.S.A.) | 285 | 17 |
| A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | Bruce Peebles | 299 | 0 |
| do. | Lancashire | 315 | 18 |
| J. Richards & Co. | Brittain | 322 | 2 |
| T. E. M. A. | Brown Boveri | 327 | 0 |
| Furukawa & Co. | Lincoln | 343 | 19 |

*Accepted

The following tenders were not in accordance with the Specification :—

Messrs. Wm. Jacks & Co.
,, Probst, Hanbury & Co.
,, Yamaguchi & Co.
,, Kawakita & Co.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2602.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2636.**

**Passenger Pontoons.**

WITH a view to minimizing the danger which results from overcrowding on the public passenger pontoons opposite the Custom House, upon the arrival or departure of tenders conveying passengers from or to large mail steamers, and pending decision in regard to the permanent improvement of the present passenger landing facilities at this point, the following provisional arrangements will have effect from date, viz.:—

Half an hour before the arrival or departure of a tender conveying passengers from or to large mail steamers, the passenger pontoons opposite the Custom House will be cleared by the Police and thereafter and until such time as the tender has left, admission to the pontoons will only be permitted to passengers arriving or departing by the tender and to such other persons as may hold passes issued by the Steamship Company concerned.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 25, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2637.**

**Debenture Certificates.**

NOTICE is hereby given that Debentures in the 7 per cent. Municipal Loan of 1919 are issued subject to the following conditions which appear endorsed upon the Debenture Certificates:—

1.—A Register of the Debentures will be kept at the Finance Department of the Council at Shanghai wherein there will be entered the names, addresses and descriptions of the registered holders and particulars of the debentures held by them respectively.

2.—The registered holder will be regarded as exclusively entitled to the benefit of this debenture, and all persons may act accordingly, and the Council shall not be bound to enter in the Register notice of any trust or to recognize any right in any other person save as herein provided.

3.—Every transfer of this debenture must be in writing under the hand of the registered holder or his legal personal representative. The transfer must be delivered at the Finance Department of the Council with such evidence of identity or title as the Council may reasonably require, and thereupon the transfer will be registered.

4. In the case of joint registered holders the principal moneys and interest hereby secured shall be deemed to be owing to them upon a joint account.

5.—No transfer will be registered during a period not exceeding twenty days immediately preceding each of the days by this debenture fixed for payment of interest.

6.—The principal moneys and interest hereby secured will be paid without regard to any equities between the Council and the original or any intermediate holder hereof and the receipt of the registered holder for such principal moneys and interest shall be a good discharge to the Council.

7.—The principal moneys and interest hereby secured will be paid at the Shanghai Office of the Council's Bankers or at the Finance Department of the Council.

8.—A notice may be served by the Council upon the holder of this debenture by sending it through the post in a prepaid letter addressed to such person at his registered address: any change in such address must be notified in writing to the Finance Department of the Council.

9.—Any notice served by post shall be deemed to have been served at the expiration of twenty-four hours after it is posted and in proving such service it shall be sufficient to prove that the letter containing the notice was properly addressed and put into the Post Office.

Notice is hereby also given that on and after August 1 transfers of debentures in any Municipal Loan issue must be effected by means of the transfer forms which may be obtained on application to the Municipal Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road. Transfers will be registered free of cost.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 29, 1919

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2639.**

IN view of the prevalence of CHOLERAIC DIARRHOEA the public is requested to observe carefully the provisions of the PUBLIC HEALTH NOTICE, a copy of which, in English and Chinese, may be obtained from the Health Office.

Particular attention is directed to the rules regarding food, the shortest summary of which is:—*"Eat and drink nothing that has not been recently cooked or otherwise sterilised."*

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 30, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2640.**

**GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE.**

*(Translation from the Chinese)*

AT the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers held on April 9, a Resolution was passed authorizing an increase in the General Municipal Rate as from July 1, from 12 per cent. to 14 per cent. per annum.

This Resolution was passed upon the Council's recommendation, which was only made with the greatest reluctance, and because it was found that the expenditure required to provide for the proper administration of the Settlement in 1919 would greatly exceed the Settlement's revenue, if the General Municipal Rate were calculated upon the old basis of 12 per cent. per annum. Obviously the Council could not present a Budget to the Ratepayers which showed a deficit, so it became necessary to consider by what means the Settlement's revenue could be increased. It was found possible to increase the estimated receipts from wharf-

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age dues and to reduce expenditure to some extent, but there still remained a substantial deficit. How was this deficit to be converted into a surplus was the problem that presented itself. Wharfage dues had already been increased as far as was possible, licence fees admitted of no increase and expenditure under all heads had been reduced already as much as possible. Under these circumstances and as the sources of Municipal revenue for which provision is made under the Land Regulations are so very limited, the Council had to look to Land Tax and General Municipal Rate to raise the extra revenue required.

Upon very careful consideration it appeared to the Council that the additional burden should fairly be borne by owners of land and occupiers of houses proportionately and that accordingly the levy should be increased in the case of Land Tax to 7/10 of 1 per cent. and in the case of General Municipal Rate to 14 per cent., with effect from July 1. With these increases, it was possible for the Council to submit to the Ratepayers at their meeting in April a Budget that showed a surplus of Tls. 98,000 which, it may be remarked, is far below that margin of safety which has in the past been considered necessary to the preservation of the credit of the Settlement at a high level. The Council's explanations as to the need for increasing the General Municipal Rate to 14 per cent. from the half year beginning July 1 were fully appreciated and unanimously approved by the Ratepayers and accordingly General Municipal Rate at 14 per cent. has now become due and payable.

Although the proceedings at the meeting of Ratepayers were published in full in the Chinese Press, Sin Wan Pao, Shun Pao, Hsin Shun Pao, etc., of April 10/11 it seems that the majority of Chinese ratepayers did not at the time pay any particular attention thereto, so that the reasons for the increase were not, it is regretted, understood or appreciated by them and from investigations made by the Council it appears that a good deal of misunderstanding exists and that it is, therefore, desirable that a detailed explanation should be published. That this is so has, moreover, been emphasized by the many petitions that have been forwarded to the Council by Street Associations, Shopkeepers' Associations and others, protesting against the increases above referred to and against the special levy of General Municipal Rate at 1 per cent. which the Council was also directed by the Ratepayers to collect for the purposes explained hereunder.

The Council accordingly requests the close attention of Chinese Ratepayers to the following explanations:—

1.—Rates are raised to provide for the cost of the proper administration of the Settlement.

2.—Rates are payable on exactly the same basis by foreigners and Chinese, viz., 12 per cent. until June 30, and thereafter at 14 per cent.

3.—The special levy of 1 per cent. which it should be emphasized is a levy for this year only and is payable by a single payment is likewise payable by foreigners and Chinese.

4.—It is a remarkable fact that the General Municipal Rate has stood unchanged at 12 per cent. since 1908 until July of this year, whilst taxation in all other countries of the world has increased enormously. The petitioners very rightly state that the cost of living has gone up very considerably of recent years, but they seem to have overlooked the fact that all the expenses of the Council, costs of labour, materials, etc., have, likewise, gone up very considerably, and the fact that the rate has not been changed is due to two chief considerations:—

(1) The increased rental value of property in the Settlement, and

(2) The fact that during the War, until December 31, 1918, the Council saved no less than Tls. 880,000 because it did not pay the salaries of those Municipal employees who went on war service. The Municipal administration did not, however, suffer because those employees who remained behind, did the work of those who had gone on war service.

5.—Against this saving of Tls 880,000, the Ratepayers at the last Annual Meeting on April 9 (the proceedings of which were fully reported in the Chinese papers) directed that the Council should pay to those who have been on War Service one-half their pay, *i.e.*, Tls. 440.000, but they specifically directed that no employee should receive more than Tls. 8,000 and that anything already paid to him by the Council should be taken into consideration, so that from Tls. 440,000, which is one-half the amount saved, the actual amount to be paid to such employees under the Resolution was reduced to an amount of approximately Tls. 320,000 of which the Ratepayers are now called upon to provide only Tls. 222,300 by means of the special levy on land and houses, the balance being covered by the estimated surplus on the Council's Ordinary Budget for this year.

It should be clearly understood that the payment of this Tls. 320,000 is not for War Services, which have already been paid for by the Allied Governments, but on account of the pay which would ordinarily have been drawn by such employees for their service to the Municipal Council.

It may be noted also that of the Tls. 222,300, the Chinese who pay the General Municipal Rate are only called upon to pay say Tls. 85,000.

It may also be noted that since January 1 of this year, there has been a further saving because a large number of Municipal employees have not yet returned from war service.

6.—If Municipal employees had not gone on war service the increase in the General Municipal Rate from 12 to 14 per cent. must inevitably have taken place at least two years, probably 2½ years, ago and the Ratepayers, foreign and Chinese, would have had to pay at least, say, Tls. 650,000 more than they are in fact now being called upon to pay by the special levy—this because under normal conditions and except for the Council's desire to keep taxation as low as possible—no part of the surplus on the Ordinary Budget would be devoted to this purpose. Of the Tls. 880 000 the Chinese Ratepayers of the General Municipal Rate would have had to pay a total of, say, Tls. 340,000 as compared with Tls. 85,000 which they are now called upon to pay, so that they are actually saving rates to the extent of Tls. 253,000.

7.—The special levy of 1 per cent. is payable *once* only and when the full one per cent. has been paid the levy ceases for ever.

The Council hopes that the above explanations will remove any misunderstanding that may exist and that the Chinese Ratepayers will realize that the increased rate of 14 per cent. and the special levy of 1 per cent. must be paid. In regard to the latter, the Chairman and Acting Chairman and the Secretary of the Council have had several conversations with the foreign lawyer, Mr. Master, and with Messrs. Chang Nyeh-yung (張籌雲), Chu Lai-fong (祝蘭舫), Shen Tun-ho (沈敦和) and Sung Han-chang (宋漢章), who have interested themselves in the matter on behalf of certain of the petitioners above referred to. These gentlemen pointed out that the collection of the special levy of 1 per cent. in a single payment was indeed likely to cause some hardship to the poorer Chinese Ratepayers and they suggested that the Council should remove this hardship by spreading the payment over a period, so that it should be collected in installments. Ever ready and willing, so far as it can, to alleviate or remove hardship, the Council readily concurred with this suggestion, and accordingly Chinese Ratepayers are notified that the 1 per cent. special levy will be collected in 3 equal quarterly payments, commencing with the October collection of rates. One-third of the 1 per cent. will be collected in October, one-third in January 1920, and the last one-third in April 1920, thus payment of this special levy will be made easy for all. The occupier of a house at a rental of $10 per month will pay $0.40 each quarter for three quarters only or at the rate of less than $0.14 per month.

Having granted this indulgence and having offered such explanations as must surely appeal to every reasonable minded person, the Council does not expect to hear any further talk on the part of Chinese Ratepayers in regard to refusing to pay Municipal Rates, for the Rates must be paid and the Council must deal with any refusal according to law.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, August 2, 1919.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2641.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FOREIGN CHILDREN.**

THE schools will reopen on Monday, September 8, at 8.30 a.m. The attention of parents is directed to the following scale of monthly fees :—

*Public School for Boys.*

200 North Szechuen Road.
Boys over 10 years of age $12
Boys under 10 years of age 8
Extra Subject:—
Shorthand 2

*Public School for Girls.*

28 Boone Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten 5
Extra Subjects:—
Piano 5
Shorthand 2

24 Kungping Road.
Children under 8 years of age $8
Kindergarten children 5

88 Avenue Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten children 5

Admission to the Avenue Road School is restricted to girls under 15 years of age and to boys under 8 years of age. Admission to the Kungping Road School is restricted to girls and boys under 8 years of age.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*
63 Haskell Road, and
*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*
15 Boone Road.
Upper School, Boarders $20
Upper School, Day Scholars 6
Lower School, Boarders 18
Lower School, Day Scholars 5

Kindergarten children in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls will be charged the same rates as for the Lower School.

The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions :—

| For a family of | Public Schools | Thomas Hanbury Schools |
|---|---|---|
| 2 children | 20% | $1.20 |
| 3 or more children | 33⅓% | 2.00 |

In the case of children of non-resident parents (the term *non-resident* implies residence in Shanghai of less than six months) an approved guarantee in respect of the payment of fees is requisite before admission to the several schools.

Forms for the admission of new pupils may be obtained on application at the several schools, and should be presented by the new pupils themselves, when attending at the Schools for examination and admission on Friday, September 5, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., except in the case of the Thomas Hanbury Schools for which the hours of attendance will be Monday, September 8, between 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August, 7 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2642.**

**Choleraic Diarrhoea.**

The attention of the Public is particularly directed to the following Notice issued by the Health Department :—

# CHOLERAIC DIARRHOEA

**Caused by Food Infected by the Excretions of a Previous Case**

# HOW TO PREVENT

## EAT AND DRINK

Nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

## DO NOT CONSUME

1. Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or otherwise sterilised.
2. Food on which flies have settled.
3. Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.
4. Ice-cream unless made from boiled materials.
5. Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a germ-proof filter, the candle of which should be boiled once a week regularly.
6. Aerated waters or other drinks unless of the best quality.

## FRUITS, TOMATOES, ETC., CAN BE STERILISED

so that they can be safely eaten raw, and without spoiling the flavour, by dipping for a few seconds in briskly boiling water

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 7, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Friday, August 1, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present:*
Messrs. P. Peebles (*Acting Chairman*)
W. L. Merriman
S. B. Neill

*Absent:*
Mr. A. W. Burkill

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, August 1, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were :—

*Present:*
Messrs. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
L. E. Canning
T. Ibukiyama
S. C. Lin
W. D. McCallum
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mrs. D. Henman
Mrs. C. F. Remer

The meeting adjourned at 6.45 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, August 6, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present:*
Messrs. Ed. White (*Acting Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Messrs. J. H. Dollar
E. C. Pearce

The meeting adjourned at 6.35 p.m.

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**Electricity Committee.**

Mr. H. A. J. Macray has consented to serve on this Committee, in the place of Mr. Ed. White resigned.

**Municipal Properties.**

*Pingliang Piece, Surplus Land and Chemulpo Road.* — Chinese owned land for these properties has been purchased on the following terms, Mow 1.303 at Tls. 600 per mow, and Mow 0.290 at Tls. 100 per mow. Of the area thus acquired, Mow 0.563 is for Pingliang Piece, Mow 0.657 is for Chemulpo Road, and Mow 0.373 remains available as surplus land for use or resale hereafter as circumstances may direct.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Bubbling Well Road.*—The claim of Messrs. Seth, Mancell & Company, General Managers of the West End Estates, Ld., has been accepted for the surrender from Lot 2755 of an area measuring Mow 0.218 for the lump sum of Tls. 1,000, plus cost of reinstatement of fences.

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*Yuyuen Road.*—The offer of Mr. R. H. Parker has been accepted to make free surrender of the area required to widen this road from U.S. Lot 2395, measuring Mow 0.033.

### Private Nursing Service.

*Nurses' Quarters.*—The lease from the Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld., of 35 Boone Road has been renewed for a further period of three years terminating on July 31, 1922.

### Finance Department.

*Offices.*—The lease from the Shanghai Mutual Telephone Co., Ld., of the second floor of the Telephone Building has been renewed for a further period of one year terminating on September 30. 1920, with option of renewal thereafter for an additional year subject to termination at any time upon four months' notice.

### Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | Aug. 11 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | „ 12 | 5.30 „ | „ „ |
| „ | „ 12 | 9.00 „ | Race Club Enclosure |
| Wed. | „ 13 | 5.30 „ | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | „ 14 | 9.00 „ | „ |
| Fri. | „ 15 | 5.30 „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| „ | „ 15 | 9.00 „ | Public Garden |
| Sat. | „ 16 | 5.30 „ | Public Recreation Ground |
| „ | „ 16 | 9.00 „ | Public Garden |

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 29 | Nanking | Kelly & Walsh, Ld. | | | water closet. |
| 928 | Quinsan | D.H. Beugamin | | 1 | |
| 520 | Broadway East | E. J. Muller | | 2 | |
| 8011 | Seoul Ext. | P. Y. Tsauh | | | gates |
| Unreg. W of 950 | Urga | Dong Chi Kee | | 1 | |
| 2446 | Y'poo | New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works, Ld. | | 1 | |
| 4315 | Markham | Hong Yue Cotton Mill Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| 4845 4846 4847 4848 | W. Soochow | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | 1 | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 649 | Foochow | E. D. Sassoon & Co. | 30 | | |
| 513 | Nanking | F. Iriyama | | | altns. / addns. |
| 1631 | Chusan | A. Roose | | | |
| Unreg. S of 4300 | Rangoon | Y. Hirano | 32 | | |
| Unreg. S of 6181 | Hart | Woo Seng Kee | 9 | | |
| Unreg. W of 1783 | Gt. Western | Paon Tse Gin | 5 | | |

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, AUGUST 2.

*Police Force.* — E. Kallstrom, having served the probationary period, is confirmed in the rank of 4th Class Warder from July 21.

*Health Department.* — Mrs. E. Thomas, Matron, Police Hospitals, was permitted to terminate her service on July 28, the date of expiry of her agreement.

Nurse J. F. Black is appointed Sister-in-Charge, Police Hospitals, from July 29.

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, July 27, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 873,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 1 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 32 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 4 |
| *Acute Diarrhoea | — | 150 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 15 | 414 |

*Cholera vibrio not found.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Health Officer's Report for July.

The prognostication made in last month's report that an epidemic of choleraic diarrhœa was coming has been fulfilled. The incidence at first was mainly outside the Settlement, especially in Pootung where some 2,000 cases were reported to have occurred with a heavy mortality.

Earlier in the year when there seemed to be a possibility of the Red Cross Summer Diseases Hospital in Tientsin Road closing down this year, the opinion expressed by this office of the probability of an outbreak this year owing to a succession of years of comparative immunity, and the severe infection of neighbouring countries during the immediately preceding years, and the infection of Indian ports during the present year, seems to have been particularly fortunate in view of the sudden great incidence in Pootung. This hospital has a wide popularity among the Chinese owing to the success following the saline transfusion treatment of severe cases. The following data were furnished our Health Inspectors when they were rendering sanitary assistance at the Hospital. The first case was admitted July 5, from which date until the end of July 3,500 cases were admitted, of these 2,139 came from Pootung and districts outside the Settlement and 1,361 from within the Settlement. The population furnishing this number of cases may be taken at well over a million. Of these cases 221 were fatal, a case fatality of a little over 6 per cent., a rate which is remarkably low for any form of Cholera.

At the Municipal Isolation Hospital 18 foreign cases, including 13 Japanese were received, as well as 98 Chinese cases, the saline transfusion treatment being given where necessary.

The number of deaths from choleraic diarrhœa among the Chinese population in the Settlement for the weeks ending July 6, 13, 20 and 27 was 0, 13, 33 and 95 respectively.

That Swatow was declared cholera-infected on June 4 by the Maritime Customs led to the surmise that the origin of the Pootung outbreak was from the southern port. It is, however, believed that Cholera, or a form of Cholera which may be called choleraic diarrhœa, is endemic in Shanghai and elsewhere in China, occurring every year to some extent, but liable to exacerbations. The last severe outbreak in Shanghai was in 1912, since when there has until the present summer been an unusual immunity. Like certain other infective diseases such as Smallpox, Scarlet fever and Influenza it tends to come in big tidal waves which are usually followed by years of comparative absence, probably determined by mass immunity. The present is evidently a year of high tide, as shown by its prevalence in India and the Orient.

So far as Shanghai is concerned the bacteriology of the disease is characterized by precisely similar results as obtained in previous outbreaks, that is to say, difficulty in giving a laboratory diagnosis of Asiatic Cholera. Specimens of the bowel discharges from about 150 cases have been examined microscopically in the Municipal Laboratory and in only eight of these has the appearance resembled that of true Asiatic Cholera. These specimens were more closely investigated, the vibrios being separated in pure culture. On the application of confirmatory tests, with the exception of one foreign case, these cultures failed to react like true Cholera. They failed to produce a veil on the surface of peptone salt medium and produced no Indol, while the gelatine stab culture was not characteristic, neither did the organism agglutinate with a specific serum. In the case of the foreigner referred to above a specific agglutination was obtained in 1 in 1000 dilution, and this, combined with the typical growth in nutrient gelatine, was considered sufficient to establish a diagnosis of true Cholera. That the atypical appearance of some of the other specimens may have been due to rapidly dividing organisms showing coccal or short bacillus

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forms instead of the typical comma-shaped vibrio is a possibility which is being further investigated. Previous experience in India and Egypt commonly showed typical comma-shaped vibrios in specimens taken direct from the stool, which enabled a pathological diagnosis to be easily and rapidly made. But such is not the usual finding in the Shanghai cases.

Clinically the disease is Cholera although the case fatality seems very low even allowing for the saline transfusion treatment. Whether the disease is pathologically a variety of true Cholera or a separate pathological entity is not at present determined.

The prevention and treatment of the disease is, however, the same as for true Cholera.

General cleaning up and measures against flies are all very well in their way and should be practised ordinarily during every summer season. But to meet the present emergency the utmost care is needed regarding food and drink. The Public Health Notice is the best sanitary guide.

The following precautions extracted from the Public Health Notice give the main necessities for preventing Cholera or choleraic diarrhœa:—

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a germ-proof filter.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign. Resident | Foreign. Non-resident. | Chinese. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 2 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 15 |
| Tuberculosis | 7 | 3 | 104 |
| Beri-beri | 6 | 0 | 9 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 0 | 17 |
| Acute Diarrhoea | 18 | 9 | 296 |
| From all causes | 51 | 18 | 1,198 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| *Cholera | 19 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 6 |
| Diphtheria | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 |
| Dysentery | 10 |

*Notified as Cholera, Cholera-like or Choleraic Diarrhoea.

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Diphtheria | 4 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Acute Diarrhoea | 18 | 98 |
| Other Diseases | 3 | 58 |
| Discharged | 9 | 93 |
| Died | 7 | 12 |
| Remaining last day of month | 9 | 47 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK

| | District Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 212 | 624 | 161 | 253 | 1250 |
| Rats plague infected ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation .... | 800 | 1000 | 750 | 200 | 2750 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1064 | 1473 | 843 | 296 | 3676 |
| Poisoned baits laid ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier ..... | 0 | 0 | 216 | 0 | 216 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen ..... | 1,689 | 1 | 1,689 | 0 | 2 |
| Sheep ..... | 2,647 | 0 | 2,647 | 0 | 3 |
| Calves ..... | 378 | 0 | 378 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs ..... | 226 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 1,325 |
| Bacterial " " | 101 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 10 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 884 |
| Analyses | 61 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted. | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 42 | 7 |
| Surgical | 17 | 0 |
| Maternity | 10 | 2 |
| Mental | 3 | 0 |
| Total | 72 | 9 |

REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.

Sample received July 17, 1919.

Report sent out August 5, 1919.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.

Physical Characters.—Yellowish green colour with considerable opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 16.60 |
| (a) Volatile | 6.00 |
| (b) Fixed | 10.60 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 11.40 |
| (a) Temporary | 6.40 |
| (b) Permanent | 5.00 |
| Chlorine | 2.80 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0630 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0019 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0119 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |

Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° C. 0.0330.

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° C. and 37° C. showed an average of 200 and 110 microbes per cubic centimetre respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in quantities of 0.5 c.c. and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Bacterial content above the average.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Vaccination against small-pox ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 5 | 23 | 10 | 3 | 41 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease ... ... ... ... | 58 | 167 | 286 | 83 | 594 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease ... ... | 90 | 112 | 254 | 344 | 800 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 803 | 1047 | 1457 | 2,488 | 5,800 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed ... ... ... ... | 60 | 56 | 717 | 104 | 937 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 75 | 0 | 75 |
| Defective drainage amended ... ... ... ... ... | 33 | 28 | 48 | 10 | 119 |
| Insanitary wells abolished... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected ... ... ... ... | 2 | 18 | 1 | 5 | 26 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy ... | 34 | 5 | 19 | 11 | 69 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 230 | 841 | 1071 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried ... ... | 0 | 5 | 28 | 2 | 35 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Offensive trade processes amended ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Beggar-boats removed ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 5 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 32 | 17 | 7 | 17 | 73 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 119 | 64 | 73 | 26 | 282 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 7 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Notices of intention to proceed served ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Samples taken for analysis... ... ... ... ... ... | 42 | 26 | 15 | 24 | 107 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed ... ... ... ... | 1060 | 1030 | 1345 | 323 | 3,758 |
| Outside hawkers licensed ... ... ... ... ... ... | 660 | 705 | 540 | 406 | 2,311 |
| Food prosecutions... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 44 | 35 | 12 | 91 |
| House refuse prosecutions ... ... ... ... ... ... | 30 | 32 | 19 | 0 | 81 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions ... ... ... ... | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| Tons of ordure removed ... ... ... ... ... ... | 3.887 | 3,474 | 3,658 | 3.052 | 14,071 |
| Tons of house refuse removed ... ... ... ... ... | 6.330 | 3,727 | 2,483 | 1,981 | 14,521 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed ... ... ... | 1 874 | 288 | 223 | 187 | 2,572 |

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRY EXAMINED IN THE LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Known as | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Yuen Chong | Yau Z Kya | M 756 Avenue Road | 7.1% added water |

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## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brown low filter.

Aerated waters and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water, or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and fly proof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

## Public and Reserve Gardens.

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Gardens are reserved for the Foreign Community.

2.—The Gardens are opened daily to the Public from 6 a.m and will be closed half an hour after midnight.

3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.

4.—Dogs and bicyles are not admitted.

5.—Perambulators must be confined to the paths.

6.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers, climbing trees, or damaging the trees, shrubs, or grass is prohibited; visitors and others in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.

7.—No person is allowed within the Band Stand enclosure

8.—Amahs in charge of children are not permitted to occupy the seats and chairs during Band performances.

9.—Children unaccompanied by Foreigners are not allowed in the Reserve Garden.

10.—The Police have instructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 13, 1917.

## Concreteware Manufactory.

The following is the price list of drain pipes and other articles manufactured. The prices quoted are ex Depôt in Fearon Road near Range Road. Applications for delivery orders should be made at the Public Works Office, 7A The Bund.

| Size | Length | Description | Price in Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12" | 2'0" | Pipes (machine made) | 0.80 |
| 9" | 2'0" | " " | 0.60 |
| 6" | 2'0" | " " | 0.40 |
| 4" | 2'0" | " " | 0.28 |
| 12" x 9" | 2'0" | Junctions | 1.60 |
| 12" x 6" | 2'0" | " | 1.45 |
| 12" x 4" | 2'0" | " | 1.35 |
| 9" x 6" | 2'0" | " | 1.15 |
| 9" x 4" | 2'0" | " | 1.05 |
| 6" x 4" | 2'0" | " | 0.80 |
| 6" | | Knuckle Bends 90° | 0.50 |
| 4" | | " " | 0.45 |
| 6" | | Bends (long) 45° | 0.50 |
| 4" | | " " | 0.45 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. A. (without cover) | 0.40 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Yard Gullies Fig. B. (without cover) | 1.25 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.25 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.60 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. C. (without cover) | 0.45 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Revolving Top Gullies incl. C.I. cover | 0.75 |
| 3' 0"x2'0" | 3'0" | Egg-shaped Tubes | 4.50 |
| 2' 3"x1'6" | 3'0" | " " | 3.10 |
| 1' 6"x1'0" | 3'0" | " " | 1.70 |
| 3' 0" | 3'0" | Circular Tubes } Price on application | |
| 4' 6" | 4'0" | " " } | |
| | 3'0" | Inverts for 12" pipes | 0.80 |
| 3' 0"x2'0" | 3'0" | " Egg-shaped Tubes | 2.20 |
| 2' 3"x1'6" | 3'0" | " Egg-shaped Tubes | 1.75 |
| 1' 6"x1'0" | 3'0" | " Egg-shaped Tubes | 0.85 |
| 3' 0" | 3'0" | " Circular Tubes | 4.10 |
| 2' 0"x2'0" | 1'0" | Manhole shafts (large) | 3.00 |
| 2' 0"x2'0" | 6" | " " (small) | 1.80 |
| 1' 5"x1'5" | 6" | " Top Frames | 2.55 |
| 3'10"x1'4" | 5¾" | " Slabs (large) | 2.90 |
| 3' 0"x1'5" | 2¾" | " " (small) | 1.80 |
| | | " Bricks No. 34a | 0.03½ |
| | | " " 34b | 0.03½ |
| | | Blind manhole cover (large) | 2.50 |
| | | Blind manhole cover (small) | 1.00 |
| 1' 6"x1'4" | 12" | Street Pot Gullies (bottom) / Street Pot Gullies (top) | 6.50 |
| 5" x 2" | 4'0" | Kerbs | 0·90 |
| 5" x 4" | 4'0" | Channels | 0·90 |
| 4" x 3" | 3'3" | Pavement Tubes | 1.20 |
| 4" x 3" | 2'3" | " " | 0.90 |
| 4" x 3" | 2'0" | " " | 0.90 |
| 4" | 9" | " Sockets | 0.38 |
| 3" | 9" | " " | 0.38 |
| 4'0" x 2'0" | | Kitchen Sinks | 5.50 |
| 2'6" x 2'0" | | " " | 4.00 |
| 12" x 4" | 3'0" | Boundary Stones | 2.65 |
| | 2' | M. C. R. Stones | 0.85 |
| | 4' | " " | 1.00 |
| 4'0" x 1'6" | | Grave Slabs per set of 6 | 9.00 |
| 4'0" x 1'0" | | " " 2 | 2.10 |
| | 18' | Bearing Pile } Prices on application | |
| | 14' | " " | |
| | 10' | Sheet Pile | |
| | 7'6" | " " | |
| | | Fence Post | |
| | | Ridge Tile | 0.27 |
| | | Square Tile | 0.05¼ |
| | 2'5¾" | Sidewalk Slab } Prices on application | |
| | 1'11¾" | " " | |
| | 0 11¾" | " " | |

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## Summary of Revenue for June.

| Description | Estimate for 1919 | 1919 | | | 1918 | | | 1917 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 |
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,054,630 | — | 121,868.59 | 442,188.29 | — | 92,146 86 | 427,168.98 | — | 80,025.46 | 388,840.72 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 795 850 | — | 39,625.81 | 328,934.93 | — | 20,843.99 | 313.483 22 | — | 26,592.03 | 302 080.75 |
| Chinese | 1,182,440 | — | 42,033.94 | 50 ,537.28 | — | 32,58 ) 89 | 488,167.47 | — | 33,859.77 | 471,780.91 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | 389.40 | 1,074.90 | — | 378.05 | 1 2 1.60 | — | 564.45 | 1,163.80 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 220,000 | — | 60,624.39 | 110,335.46 | — | 48,956.94 | 91,8 0.55 | — | 49,784.60 | 97,600,20 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17.000 | 2 | 180.00 | 7,725.00 | 2 | 93.00 | 8,466.00 | 2 | 23.00 | 9,133.00 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 24,000 | 1 | 25.00 | 12,187.50 | 2 | 100.00 | 11,750 00 | 1 | 25.00 | 11,612.50 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 400 | — | — | 283.00 | — | — | 200.00 | — | — | 258.00 |
| Eating House | 9,000 | 267 | 448.48 | 4.349.17 | 55 | 1 0.26 | 4.3 7.51 | 89 | 627,08 | 2,039.45 |
| Chinese Club | 4,500 | — | — | 2.441.70 | 1 | 8.35 | 1,946.70 | — | — | 2,225.00 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13.000 | — | — | 6,071.50 | — | — | 6,390.00 | — | — | 6, 89.00 |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36 000 | 321 | 1,718.05 | 17.812.50 | 69 | 302.45 | 17,890.70 | 32 | 104 62 | 1 ,738.22 |
| Tea-shop | 16.000 | 644 | 1,389.50 | 8.378.50 | 668 | 1,298.50 | 7.978 00 | 670 | 1,402.00 | 8,680.25 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 6,500 | 4 | 14.72 | 3,296.63 | 7 | 26.60 | 2,878 11 | 4 | 29,86 | 3,263.74 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,000 | 13 | 498.00 | 2,953.00 | 9 | 316.00 | 2,025.00 | 20 | 613.00 | 3,210.00 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 18 | 709.00 | 4.214.00 | 13 | 645.00 | 3.930 00 | 17 | 703.00 | 4,622.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 2,500 | 14 | 279.00 | 1,514.00 | 9 | 138.00 | 1,112.00 | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 29,000 | 243 | 6,133.11 | 15,982.77 | 301 | 7,744 40 | 15,601.39 | 302 | 6,691.32 | 14,649.06 |
| Exchange Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Opium-shop | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 45,390.00 |
| Tobacco Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,000 | 737 | 459.25 | 3,066 57 | 804 | 445.89 | 3,103.90 | 800 | 449.10 | 2,938.91 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,100 | 63 | 93.24 | 565.62 | 66 | 95.17 | 571.83 | 61 | 87.35 | 5 2.81 |
| Launch | 3,300 | 33 | 66.00 | 1,789 00 | 28 | 56.00 | 1,566 00 | 35 | 73.00 | 1,591.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,450 | 357.42 | 2,052.32 | 1,326 | 320.79 | 2,010.50 | 1,553 | 364.68 | 2,120.14 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 32 | 23.55 | 459.68 | 40 | 28.91 | 455.26 | 66 | 47.65 | 508.63 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 11,500 | P. 17 C. 6 | 32.37 | 5,314.26 | P. 6 C. 6 | 23.10 | 5,892.68 | P. 9 C. 8 | 19.11 | 6,275.31 |
| Livery Stable | 12,000 | P. 404 C. 255 | 1,053.23 | 6,271.18 | P. 408 C. 257 | 1,037.53 | 5,972.26 | P. 406 C. 258 | 1,039.05 | 6,185.87 |
| Motor Car & Motor Bicycle | 45,000 | 56 | 198.96 | 22,392.11 | 41 | 153.75 | 17,890.46 | 75 | 1,416.57 | 14,794.25 |
| Cart | 31,500 | 1,881 | 2,736.50 | 17,800.00 | 1,723 | 2,4 8.50 | 15,684 00 | 1,650 | 2,398.50 | 15,531.50 |
| Private Ricsha | 55,000 | 106 | 86.55 | 27,017.94 | 76 | 65.77 | 25 374.24 | 75 | 64.26 | 22,892.33 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,753.15 | 69,384 45 | 8,000 | 11,599.55 | 69,142.70 | 8,000 | 11,593.85 | 67,953.56 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 3 | 2.96 | 63.55 | 4 | 4 32 | 70.17 | 4 | 4.30 | 82.32 |
| Wheel-barrow | 50,000 | 7,429 | 3,718.34 | 25,199.74 | 7,467 | 3,739.87 | 24,3 1.59 | 7,893 | 3,953.11 | 25,257.53 |
| Firearms | 500 | 1 | 75.00 | 150.00 | — | — | 150.00 | — | — | 300.00 |
| Dog | 8,500 | 56 | 206.77 | 3,001.10 | 361 | 520.89 | 2,851.61 | 191 | 276 20 | 2,817.18 |
| RATE OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 111,240 | 5,829 | 9,305.46 | 53,774.25 | 5,611 | 8,850.30 | 52,387.83 | 4,745 | 7,480.40 | 43,393.61 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | — | 410.00 | — | 260.00 | 390.00 | — | 130.00 | 130.00 |
| Firemen's Quarters | 3,100 | — | 40.00 | 805.50 | — | 334.00 | 1,155.00 | — | 174.00 | 565.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 5,820 | — | 773.00 | 2,748.06 | — | 415.00 | 2,740.00 | — | 535.00 | 2,760.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 86.47 | 1,118.39 | — | 98.45 | 756.29 | — | 71.44 | 166.77 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 38,700 | — | — | 16,741.10 | — | — | 21,870.30 | — | — | 20,504.19 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | 250.00 | 500.00 | — | 250.00 | 500.00 | — | — | 250.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co. Ld. | 7,330 | — | 7,331.50 | 7,331.50 | — | 7,331.50 | 7,331,50 | — | 5,332.00 | 5,332.00 |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 50,000 | — | 14,020.51 | 26,759.81 | — | 11,582.40 | 22,947.40 | — | 11,159.10 | 21,940,03 |
| Electricity Department | 242 000 | — | 242,000.00 | 242,000.00 | — | 364,000.00 | 364,000.00 | — | 13,820.00 | 27,640.00 |
| Convict Labour | 12,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concreteware Manufactory | 10,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 5,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,296,530 | | 570,607.22 | 2,013,996.26 | | 619,445.98 | 2,055,652.75 | | 261,543.86 | 1,683,849.54 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Superintendent of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 所有保本局自有權利

三 擬投承攬價目月繳本局亦不承辦付人由

四 所有人行之後保證金

五 目前本局有以公信及承辦之保

六 所有取消入各人之照合同覓的

七 所有登記各其遵辦人須理

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## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
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| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 134 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern Ankle Boots<br>{1,000 pairs to be delivered on or before January 31, 1920}<br>{2,000 " " " " March 31, 1920} | — | October 1 |
| 135 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31 |
| 136 | 100 " " " " " 2 " | — | do. |
| 137 | 2,400 " " " " " 3 " | — | do. |
| 138 | 2,000 " " " " " 4 " | — | do. |
| 139 | 7,000 " " Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 140 | 900 " Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 Thin | — | do. |
| 141 | 400 " " " " " 2 Medium | — | do. |
| 142 | 400 " " " " " 3 Heavy | — | do. |
| 143 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 144 | 400 Brown " 68 × 90 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before June 30, 1920. | — | do. |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 187.

5 Miles Triple-Braid Weatherproof Copper Wire

| | *Price* | *Delivery* |
|---|---|---|
| *Andersen, Meyer & Co. | £141 0 0 | 8 weeks |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | 147 14 7 | 16 " |
| Sumitomo Yoko | 172 15 0 | 14 " |
| Furukawa & Co. | 173 11 7 | 15 " |
| Takata & Co. | 188 6 10 | 13 " |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | 199 14 5 | 16 " |
| American Trading Co. | 876 13 8 | not stated |

Tender No. 188

4½ Miles Vulcanized Cable

| | *Price* | *Delivery* |
|---|---|---|
| *Andersen, Meyer & Co. | £556 0 0 | Part from Stock, Balance in 16 weeks |
| Takata & Co. | 622 9 6 | 8 weeks |
| Shewan, Tomes & Co. | 623 2 5 | 16 " |
| Furukawa & Co. | 660 10 6 | 14 " |
| Sumitomo Yoko | 676 16 0 | 14 " |

* Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2602.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2637.**

**Debenture Certificates.**

NOTICE is hereby given that Debentures in the 7 per cent. Municipal Loan of 1919 are issued subject to the following conditions which appear endorsed upon the Debenture Certificates:—

1.—A Register of the Debentures will be kept at the Finance Department of the Council at Shanghai wherein there will be entered the names, addresses and descriptions of the registered holders and particulars of the debentures held by them respectively.

2.—The registered holder will be regarded as exclusively entitled to the benefit of this debenture, and all persons may act accordingly, and the Council shall not be bound to enter in the Register notice of any trust or to recognize any right in any other person save as herein provided.

3.—Every transfer of this debenture must be in writing under the hand of the registered holder or his legal personal representative. The transfer must be delivered at the Finance Department of the Council with such evidence of identity or title as the Council may reasonably require, and thereupon the transfer will be registered.

4. In the case of joint registered holders the principal moneys and interest hereby secured shall be deemed to be owing to them upon a joint account.

5.—No transfer will be registered during a period not exceeding twenty days immediately preceding each of the days by this debenture fixed for payment of interest.

6.—The principal moneys and interest hereby secured will be paid without regard to any equities between the Council and the original or any intermediate holder hereof and the receipt of the registered holder for such principal moneys and interest shall be a good discharge to the Council.

7.—The principal moneys and interest hereby secured will be paid at the Shanghai Office of the Council's Bankers or at the Finance Department of the Council.

8.—A notice may be served by the Council upon the holder of this debenture by sending it through the post in a prepaid letter addressed to such person at his registered address: any change in such address must be notified in writing to the Finance Department of the Council.

9.—Any notice served by post shall be deemed to have been served at the expiration of twenty-four hours after it is posted and in proving such service it shall be sufficient to prove that the letter containing the notice was properly addressed and put into the Post Office.

Notice is hereby also given that on and after August 1 transfers of debentures in any Municipal Loan issue must be effected by means of the transfer forms which may be obtained on application to the Municipal Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road. Transfers will be registered free of cost.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, July 29, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2639.**

IN view of the prevalence of CHOLERAIC DIARRHOEA the public is requested to observe carefully the provisions of the PUBLIC HEALTH NOTICE, a copy of which, in English and Chinese, may be obtained from the Health Office.

Particular attention is directed to the rules regarding food, the shortest summary of which is:—

*"Eat and drink nothing that has not been recently cooked or otherwise sterilised."*

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, July 29, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2642.**

**Choleraic Diarrhoea.**

The attention of the Public is particularly directed to the following Notice issued by the Health Department:—

# CHOLERAIC DIARRHOEA

**Caused by Food Infected by the Excretions of a Previous Case**

# HOW TO PREVENT

## EAT AND DRINK

Nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

## DO NOT CONSUME

1. Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or otherwise sterilised.
2. Food on which flies have settled.
3. Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.
4. Ice-cream unless made from boiled materials.
5. Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a germ-proof filter, the candle of which should be boiled once a week regularly.
6. Aerated waters or other drinks unless of the best quality.

## FRUITS, TOMATOES, ETC., CAN BE STERILISED

so that they can be safely eaten raw, and without spoiling the flavour, by dipping for a few seconds in briskly boiling water.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, August 7, 1919.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2640.**

**GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE.**

*(Translation from the Chinese)*

AT the Annual Meeting of Rate payers held on April 9, a Resolution was passed authorizing an increase in the General Municipal Rate as from July 1, from 12 per cent. to 14 per cent. per annum.

This Resolution was passed upon the Council's recommendation, which was only made with the greatest reluctance, and because it was found that the expenditure required to provide for the proper administration of the Settlement in 1919 would greatly exceed the Settlement's revenue, if the General Municipal Rate were calculated upon the old basis of 12 per cent. per annum. Obviously the Council could not present a Budget to the Ratepayers which showed a deficit, so it became necessary to consider by what means the Settlement's revenue could be increased. It was found possible to increase the estimated receipts from wharfage dues and to reduce expenditure to some extent, but there still remained a substantial deficit. How was this deficit to be converted into a surplus was the problem that presented itself. Wharfage dues had already been increased as far as was possible, licence fees admitted of no increase and expenditure under all heads had been reduced already as much as possible. Under these circumstances and as the sources of Municipal revenue for which provision is made under the Land Regulations are so very limited, the Council had to look to Land Tax and General Municipal Rate to raise the extra revenue required.

Upon very careful consideration it appeared to the Council that the additional burden should fairly be borne by owners of land and occupiers of houses proportionately, and that accordingly the levy should be increased in the case of Land Tax to 7/10 of 1 per cent. and in the case of General Municipal Rate to 14 per cent., with effect from July 1. With these increases, it was possible for the Council to submit to the Ratepayers at their meeting in April a Budget that showed a surplus of Tls. 98,000 which, it may be remarked, is far below that margin of safety which has in the past been considered necessary to the preservation of the credit of the Settlement at a high level. The Council's explanations as to the need for increasing the General Municipal Rate to 14 per cent. from the half year beginning July 1 were fully appreciated and unanimously approved by the Ratepayers and accordingly General Municipal Rate at 14 per cent. has now become due and payable.

Although the proceedings at the meeting of Ratepayers were published in full in the Chinese Press, Sin Wan Pao, Shun Pao, Hsin Shun Pao, etc., of April 10/11 it seems that the majority of Chinese ratepayers did not at the time pay any particular attention thereto, so that the reasons for the increase were not, it is regretted, understood or appreciated by them and from investigations made by the Council it appears that a good deal of misunderstanding exists and that it is, therefore, desirable that a detailed explanation should be published. That this is so has, moreover, been emphasized by the many petitions that have been forwarded to the Council by Street Associations, Shopkeepers' Associations and others, protesting against the increases above referred to and against the special levy of General Municipal Rate at 1 per cent. which the Council was also directed by the Ratepayers to collect for the purposes explained hereunder.

The Council accordingly requests the close attention of Chinese Ratepayers to the following explanations:—

1.—Rates are raised to provide for the cost of the proper administration of the Settlement.

2.—Rates are payable on exactly the same basis by foreigners and Chinese, viz., 12 per cent. until June 30, and thereafter at 14 per cent.

3.—The special levy of 1 per cent. which it should be emphasized is a levy for this year only and is payable by a single payment is likewise payable by foreigners and Chinese.

4.—It is a remarkable fact that the General Municipal Rate has stood unchanged at 12 per cent. since 1908 until July of this year, whilst taxation in all other countries of the world has increased enormously. The petitioners very rightly state that the cost of living has gone up very considerably of recent years, but they seem to have overlooked the fact that all the expenses of the Council, costs of labour, materials, etc., have, likewise, gone up very considerably, and the fact that the rate has not been changed is due to two chief considerations:—

(1) The increased rental value of property in the Settlement, and

(2) The fact that during the War, until December 31, 1918, the Council saved no less than Tls. 880,000 because it did not pay the salaries of those Municipal employees who went on war service. The Municipal administration did not, however, suffer because those employees who remained behind, did the work of those who had gone on war service.

5.—Against this saving of Tls. 880,000, the Ratepayers at the last Annual Meeting on April 9 (the proceedings of which were fully reported in the Chinese papers) directed that the Council should pay to those who have been on War Service one-half their pay, *i.e.*, Tls. 440,000, but they specifically directed that no employee should receive more than Tls. 8,000 and that anything already paid to him by the Council should be taken into consideration, so that from Tls. 440,000, which is one-half the amount saved, the actual amount to be paid to such employees under the Resolution was reduced to an amount of approximately Tls. 320,000 of which the Ratepayers are now called upon to provide only Tls. 222,300 by means of the special levy on land and houses, the balance being covered by the estimated surplus on the Council's Ordinary Budget for this year.

It should be clearly understood that the payment of this Tls. 320,000 is not for War Services, which have already been paid for by the Allied Governments, but on account of the pay which would ordinarily have been drawn by such employees for their service to the Municipal Council.

It may be noted also that of the Tls. 222,300, the Chinese who pay the General Municipal Rate are only called upon to pay say Tls. 85,000.

It may also be noted that since January 1 of this year, there has been a further saving because a large number of Municipal employees have not yet returned from war service.

6.—If Municipal employees had not gone on war service the increase in the General Municipal Rate from 12 to 14 per cent. must inevitably have taken place at least two years, probably 2½ years, ago and the Ratepayers, foreign and Chinese, would have had to pay at least, say, Tls. 650,000 more than they are in fact now being called upon to pay by the special levy—this because under normal conditions and except for the Council's desire to keep taxation as low as possible—no part of the surplus on the Ordinary Budget would be devoted to this purpose. Of the Tls. 880,000 the Chinese Ratepayers of the General Municipal Rate would have had to pay a total of, say, Tls. 340,000 as compared with Tls. 85,000 which they are now called upon to pay, so that they are actually saving rates to the extent of Tls. 253,000.

7.—The special levy of 1 per cent. is payable *once* only and when the full one per cent. has been paid the levy ceases for ever.

The Council hopes that the above explanations will remove any misunderstanding that may exist and that the Chinese Ratepayers will realize that the increased rate of 14 per cent. and the special levy of 1 per cent. must be paid. In regard to the latter, the Chairman and Acting Chairman and the Secretary of the Council have had several conversations with the foreign lawyer, Mr. Master, and with Messrs. Chang Nyeh-yung (張籌雲), Chu Lai-fong (祝蘭舫), Shen Tun-ho (沈敦和) and Sung Han-chang (宋漢章), who have interested themselves in the matter on behalf of certain of the petitioners above referred to. These gentlemen pointed out that the collection of the special levy of 1 per cent. in a single payment was indeed likely to cause some hardship to the poorer Chinese Ratepayers and they suggested that the Council should remove this hardship by spreading the payment over a period, so that it should be collected in installments. Ever ready and willing, so far as it can, to alleviate or remove hardship, the Council readily concurred with this suggestion, and accordingly Chinese Ratepayers are notified that the

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1 per cent. special levy will be collected in 3 equal quarterly payments, commencing with the October collection of rates. One-third of the 1 per cent. will be collected in October, one-third in January 1920, and the last one-third in April 1920, thus payment of this special levy will be made easy for all. The occupier of a house at a rental of $10 per month will pay $0.40 each quarter for three quarters only or at the rate of less than $0.14 per month.

Having granted this indulgence and having offered such explanations as must surely appeal to every reasonable minded person, the Council does not expect to hear any further talk on the part of Chinese Ratepayers in regard to refusing to pay Municipal Rates, for the Rates must be paid and the Council must deal with any refusal according to law.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 2, 1919.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2641.

### PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FOREIGN CHILDREN.

THE schools will reopen on Monday, September 8, at 8.30 a.m.

The attention of parents is directed to the following scale of monthly fees :—

*Public School for Boys.*

200 North Szechuen Road.
Boys over 10 years of age $12
Boys under 10 years of age 8
Extra Subject:—
Shorthand 2

*Public School for Girls.*

28 Boone Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten 5
Extra Subjects:—
Piano 5
Shorthand 2

24 Kungping Road.
Children under 8 years of age $8
Kindergarten children 5

88 Avenue Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten children 5

Admission to the Avenue Road School is restricted to girls under 15 years of age and to boys under 8 years of age. Admission to the Kungping Road School is restricted to girls and boys under 8 years of age.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*
63 Haskell Road, and
*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*
15 Boone Road.
Upper School, Boarders $20
Upper School, Day Scholars 6
Lower School, Boarders 18
Lower School, Day Scholars 5

Kindergarten children in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls will be charged the same rates as for the Lower School.

The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions :—

| For a family of | Public Schools | Thomas Hanbury Schools |
|---|---|---|
| 2 children | 20% | $1.20 |
| 3 or more children | 33⅓% | 2.00 |

In the case of children of non-resident parents (the term *non-resident* implies residence in Shanghai of less than six months) an approved guarantee in respect of the payment of fees is requisite before admission to the several schools.

Forms for the admission of new pupils may be obtained on application at the several schools, and should be presented by the new pupils themselves, when attending at the Schools for examination and admission on Friday, September 5, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., except in the case of the Thomas Hanbury Schools for which the hours of attendance will be Monday, September 8, between 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August, 7 1919.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2643.

### PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHINESE.

(*Translation.*)

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the winter term on Monday, September 8, at 9 a.m.

Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.

Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads.

Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.

Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25, except for the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $20, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Friday, September 5, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Saturday, September 6, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive and examine new pupils.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 14, 1919.

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AT a meeting of the Works and Health Committees held on Friday, August 8, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present:*
Messrs. Ed. White (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
Dr. J. W. Jackson
Messrs. H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman

*Absent:*
Messrs. S. J. Halse
A. Howard
Dr. R. J. Marshall

The meeting adjourned at 5.25 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, August 8, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were :—

*Present:*
Messrs. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
S. C. Lin
W. D. McCallum
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mr. L. E. Canning
Mrs. D. Henman
Mr. T. Ibukiyama
Mrs. C. F. Remer

The meeting adjourned at 6.45 p.m.

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AT the special meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, August 13, 1919, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were :—

*Present:*
Messrs. Ed. White (*Acting Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Messrs. J. H. Dollar
E. C. Pearce

The meeting adjourned at 1 o'clock p.m.

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### Traffic.

The Astor Road Jetty will be closed to traffic, during repairs from Sunday, August 17, to Wednesday, August 27, inclusive.

### Isolation Hospital.

*Nurses' Quarters.*—It has been decided, upon the recommendation of the Health Officer, to convert the building, formerly occupied by Dr. Davis and the Custodian, into quarters for the Nursing Staff, and to install a hot water system therein.

### Sanitary Station.

Shanghai, August 2, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to hand you, enclosed, a statement of Receipts and Payments in connexion with the Sanitary Station at Woosung for the June Quarter, 1919.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,
L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

The CHAIRMAN, Municipal Council.

| RECEIPTS. | | *Haikwan Taels* |
|---|---|---|
| Balance from March Quarter 1919 | | — |
| Foreign Municipal Council's Contribution | 1,346.50 | |
| French Municipal Council's Contribution | 471.27 | |
| Superintendent's Contribution | 2,693.00 | |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 255.83 | |
| Gain by Exchange | 26.03 | |
| *Interest on Mortgage A/c | — | |
| | | 4,792.63 |
| Total Receipts | | 4,792.63 |

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EXPENDITURE.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Salaries, Foreign Staff | 1,945.80 | |
| „ Chinese „ | 1,087.00 | |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 255.83 | |
| Maintenance Account | 1,790.45 | |
| Advertisements, Telegrams, etc. | 63.80 | |
| Coal and Stores for Tender | 1,030.50 | |
| Loss by Exchange | — | |
| Total Expenditure | 6,173.38 | |
| Balance due on March 31, 1919 | 9,989.06 | |
| | | 16,162.44 |
| Debit Balance on June 30, 1919 | | 11,369.81 |

*Total interest received to date Hk. Tls. 1,346.49

Prepared by

J. STEINBERG,
*District Accountant.*

L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, AUGUST 9.

*Police Force.*—C. Powell, returned from war service, is re-engaged as 1st Class Sergeant from July 27, with seniority to date from April 1, 1918.

3rd Class Sergeant D. McInnes, returned from war service, resumed duty on July 27. He is promoted to be 1st Class Sergeant with seniority to date from July 22.

J. G. Adams, returned from war service, is re-engaged as 2nd Class Sergeant from July 27, with seniority to date from October 16, 1916.

E. W. Everson, returned from war service, is re-engaged as 1st Class Sergeant from August 1, with seniority to date from May 1, 1913.

2nd Class Constable J. F. Gabbutt, returned from war service, resumed duty on August 1. He is promoted to be 1st Class Constable with seniority to date from October 28, 1915.

2nd Class Constable R. Conduit, returned from war service, resumed duty on August 1. He is promoted to be 1st Class Constable with seniority to date from June 23, 1916.

Probationary Constable A. M. Cameron, returned from war service, resumed duty on August 1. He is promoted to be 1st Class Constable with seniority to date from September 15, 1917.

Long leave is granted to 3rd Class Inspector J. E. Wheeler from August 19.

Mr. F. L. Wainwright, returned from war service, resumed duty on July 27 as Cadet on probation.

*Health Department.*—Miss A. Leps is engaged as a candidate for an appointment as Probationer Nurse, on six months' trial from August 1.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. H. F. Barnes is appointed temporarily as Engineering Assistant from August 8.

*Revenue Office.*—Mr. W. C. H. Knight, Clerical Assistant, returned from war service, resumed duty on July 17.

Mr. A. J. Hadley, Clerical Assistant, returned from war service, resumed duty on June 26.

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, August 10, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 3 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 30 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 3 |
| *Acute Diarrhoea | — | 102 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 327 |

*Cholera vibrio not found.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 19 | Museum | R. E. Stewardson | | | addns. |
| 77 | Peking and Szechuen | S. Somekh | | | water closet. |
| 2637 | Macgregor | Davies & Brooke | 5 | | |
| 7225 | Ningkuo | H. W. Barrow | | | wall |
| 7223 | do. | do. | 3 | | |
| 6920 | Pingliang | Palmer & Turner | | 1 | block servants' quarters & wall |
| 4071 | Rangoon | Heng Foong Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ld. | | 2 | |
| 6043 | Tengyueh | Amos Bird Co. | | | cooling tower |
| 1722 | Tongshan | W. J. Terrill | | 1 | |
| 3091 | Avenue | China Realty Co., Ld. | | | shed |
| 10 | B'bling Well | Wong Kor Sung | | | altns. |
| 4754 | Gordon | S. J. Powell | | 1 | |
| Unreg. W of 2755 | Yuyuen | Zee Shan Kee | 1 | 1 | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 698 | Chekiang | Wong Yung Kee | 33 | | |
| 531 & 531A | Hoopeh | Ling Tung Chaou | 96 | | |
| 3527 | Markham | Chung Wai Kee | 54 | | |

## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | Aug. 18 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | „ 19 | 5.30 „ | „ „ |
| „ | „ 19 | 9.00 „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | „ 20 | 5.30 „ | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | „ 21 | 9.00 „ | „ |
| Fri. | „ 22 | 5.30 „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| „ | „ 22 | 9.00 „ | Public Garden |
| Sat. | „ 23 | 5.30 „ | Public Recreation Ground |
| „ | „ 23 | 9.00 „ | Public Garden |

## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.

Aerated waters and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

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KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water, or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and fly proof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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**Engineer's Report for July.**

Progress with outside works generally is still being very much delayed on account of the shortage of coolie labour. It has been impossible on this account to make a commencement on several important works and a number of those in hand can only be carried out comparatively slowly.

The average daily shortage of this class of Department labour is about 800.

Good progress has been made with the construction of asphaltic concrete roads during the month and the results so far are very satisfactory.

Some difficulty has been experienced during the month in obtaining an adequate supply of Soochow sand for road maintenance work. The water in the creeks had risen to such an abnormal extent, that the boats conveying the sand to Shanghai were unable to pass under some of the bridges up country. This caused delay in effecting those repairs to waterbound macadam roads that had become so necessary after the copious and almost continuous rain that had fallen.

*Roads.*—Asphaltic concrete has been laid in Szechuen Road from Nanking Road to Hongkong Road and in Ningpo Road from Szechuen Road to Kiangse Road.

Ewo Road is being ballasted and metalled where it adjoins the Wayside Public Wharf.

The ballasting and metalling of Yochow Road for a width of 12 feet is being extended for a distance of 200 feet east of Kungping Road.

The following roads are being surface treated:—

With asphaltum:—

- North Soochow Road from Garden Bridge to North Szechuen Road.
- Burkill Road from Thibet Road to Park Road.
- Szechuen Road from Hongkong Road to Soochow Road.
- Chengtu Road from Avenue Road to Burkill Road.
- Myburgh Road from Bubbling Well Road to Avenue Road.
- North Chekiang Road from Boundary Road to Haining Road.

*Bridges.*—The coffer-dam for the west abutment of the new Brenan Road Bridge has been completed and that for the east abutment is in course of construction.

Extensive repairs have been carried out on the Thorne Road Bridge, the Chapoo Road Bridge and on the bridges along the Rubicon System of Roads.

*Bundings.*—The coffer-dam for the bunding at Wenchow Road has been completed.

The coffer-dam has also been completed for the bunding in Dixwell Road between Broadway East and East Seward Road.

A dwarf timber bunding is being constructed in Brenan Road for a length of about 400 feet adjoining the Soochow Creek. The banks subsided to such an extent after the recent rains as to render this work of urgent necessity.

*Landing Accommodation.*—An additional concrete jetty is being constructed in North Soochow Road east of North Fokien Road.

*Drainage.*—The culverting of Bubbling Well Road Creek has been completed for about 100 feet west of Siccawei Road.

The culverting of the Gordon Road creek between Connaught Road and Sinza Road has been completed for a length of about 200 feet south of Connaught Road.

The laying of the 3-ft. by 2-ft. egg-shaped sewer in Funing Road from Lay Road to Chemulpo Road is approaching completion.

A 12-in. diameter sewer has been laid in Moulmein Road south of Weihaiwei Road.

*Central Offices.*—The extension of the third floor has progressed steadily, and most of the stone facade in this connexion has been completed.

*Gaol—Deport Block.*—The vermin proofing of the cells is progressing, and plans have been prepared for the conversion of the top floor into cells.

*Isolation Hospital—Discharge Block.*—The custodian's quarters are now occupied, and the discharge rooms are practically finished.

*East Block.*—Apart from the replacement of the floor verandah by one constructed of reinforced concrete, the alterations to this block are completed, and painting is progressing.

*Riverside Power Station.*—Both rafts for the two turbines have now been completed, and the concrete arch for the support of the south turbine is well in hand. The centering for the support of the north turbine has been commenced.

The new store shed has been completed.

*Whashing Road Transformer Station.*—The excavation has been completed, and the foundations for the exterior walls put in.

*Park Road Transformer Station.*—Excavation for the foundation has been completed.

*Fearon Road Power Station.*—The foundations for the new synchronous condenser have been completed.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—1,180 fong of materials was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected cartloads | 4,640 |
| Used for raising land | 551 |
| Water used for street watering | 7,898,000 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,663 |
| Artisans | 503 |
| Foremen | 240 |
| Mafoos | 159 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

Hand made 15,912 pieces

*Work Shelters.*—There were 117 admissions during the month and 306 bundles of wood chopped.

*New Buildings.*

| *Description of Work.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 316 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 115 |
| Plans approved | 79 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,893 |
| Boundary walls erected | 944 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadway | 9 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 124 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 3 |
| Applications for licence dealt with | 47 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 59 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

Dangerous structures reported by Public Works Department 3.

| | |
|---|---|
| First intimation notices issued | 3 |
| Total | 3 |

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of New Lots | 88 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates Issued | 33 |
| Consular Lots Surveyed | 51 |
| New Lots put under Taxation | 11 |
| The Assessed Value of the land placed under Taxation is Tls. 32,860. | |
| Official plans prepared | 26 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, Mow Surveyed | 110 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, Mow Plotted | 110 |
| Surveys made in connexion with Road Widenings and/or Extensions | 49 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or Waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 88 |

M. C. R. Stones have been erected as follows :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Central District | 2 |
| Eastern ,, | 13 |
| Western ,, | 9 |
| Outside Limits | 60 |

C. HARPUR,
*Acting Engineer & Surveyor.*

**Summary of General Municipal Rate, June Quarter.**

**Foreign.**

| | 1919. | | 1918. | | 1917. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. |
| | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | 712 | 2,723,458 | 694 | 2,541,255 | 679 | 2,381,435 |
| Northern do. | 1,018 | 950,332 | 1,017 | 937,271 | 1,020 | 916,553 |
| Eastern do. | 740 | 970,841 | 730 | 912,429 | 697 | 862,757 |
| Western do. | 1,011 | 1,280,940 | 1,006 | 1,245,195 | 978 | 1,211,811 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 637 | 416,411 | 605 | 393,095 | 571 | 352,846 |
| Total | 4,118 | 6,341,982 | 4,052 | 6,029,245 | 3,945 | 5,725,402 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 3,126 | 4,745,636 | 3,063 | 4,454,467 | 2,997 | 4,306,551 |
| do. Chinese | 867 | 1,337,783 | 850 | 1,242,163 | 763 | 1,138,641 |
| Unoccupied | 125 | 258,563 | 139 | 332,615 | 185 | 280,210 |
| Total | 4,118 | 6,341,982 | 4,052 | 6,029,245 | 3,945 | 5,725,402 |
| TAX COLLECTED :— | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | | 75,686 | | 69,444 | | 67,320 |
| Northern do. | | 26,183 | | 25,641 | | 24,376 |
| Eastern do. | | 27,610 | | 25,414 | | 24,240 |
| Western do. | | 34,078 | | 33,330 | | 32,529 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 5,739 | | 5,321 | | 4,623 |
| Total | | 169,296 | | 159,150 | | 153,088 |

**Chinese.**

| | 1919. | | 1918. | | 1917. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Ass essment. |
| | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | 11,737 | 5,591,273 | 11,987 | 5,511,232 | 11,416 | 5,138,124 |
| Northern do. | 16,462 | 3,000,209 | 16,532 | 2,975,386 | 16,329 | 2,914,755 |
| Eastern do. | 17,563 | 1,607,540 | 16,982 | 1,527,965 | 16,514 | 1,465,974 |
| Western do. | 14,881 | 2,129,269 | 14,742 | 2,072,472 | 15,148 | 2,128,958 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 1,225 | 109,994 | 1,227 | 110,578 | 1,239 | 110,686 |
| Total | 61,868 | 12,438,285 | 61,470 | 12,197,633 | 60,646 | 11,758,497 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 1,989 | 495,061 | 1,844 | 440,687 | 1,781 | 429,489 |
| do. Chinese | 58,043 | 11,350,867 | 57,420 | 10,957,938 | 56,527 | 10,680,579 |
| Unoccupied | 1,836 | 592,357 | 2,206 | 799,008 | 2,338 | 648,429 |
| Total | 61,868 | 12,438,285 | 61,470 | 12,197,633 | 60,646 | 11,758,497 |
| TAX COLLECTED :— | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | | 158,045 | | 152,797 | | 148,238 |
| Northern do. | | 87,255 | | 84,979 | | 82,806 |
| Eastern do. | | 46,496 | | 43,308 | | 41,061 |
| Western do. | | 59,208 | | 56,804 | | 56,953 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 1,563 | | 1,577 | | 1,558 |
| Total | | 352,568 | | 339,465 | | 330,616 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Superintendent of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承認全份或

二 所有承攬價目雖是低本局亦有權利

三 擇定之後該承攬人到局保其遵照合同辦理

四 所有承攬各人之信及承攬之價目以後登入本局公報俾人知悉

五 所有取閱既明清單若須付費則本局必將其該款在此除單內登明

六 所有承攬信封固加蓋火漆其承攬項工必至酉正十二點鐘交信部局總辦處須在定期上午十一點鐘以前送來本局辦公室內收到之後方為有效

二時送來之信方為有效

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單費

後仍將該款一律退還

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 134 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern Ankle Boots<br>{1,000 pairs to be delivered on or before January 31, 1920}<br>{2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, March 31, 1920} | — | October 1 |
| 135 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31 |
| 136 | 100 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 137 | 2,400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 ,, | — | do. |
| 138 | 2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 4 ,, | — | do. |
| 139 | 7,000 ,, ,, Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 140 | 900 ,, Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 Thin | — | do. |
| 141 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 Medium | — | do. |
| 142 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 Heavy | — | do. |
| 143 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 144 | 400 Brown ,, 68 × 90 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before June 30, 1920. | — | do. |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### POLICE FORCE

Tenders Nos. 130, 131 and 132

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| No. 130 | 15,000 yards Khaki Drill | |
| ,, 131 | 200 ,, ,, Cord | |
| ,, 132 | 5,000 ,, Blue Camlet | |

| | No. 130 | No. 131 per yard | No. 132 |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bejonjee & Co. | 2/9<br>Tls. 0.54<br>0.53 | | |
| G. Tollodi | 0.45 | | |
| T. Benezra | 2/5¾ | | |
| Sin Lung & Co. | 2/4 | | |
| Fredk. Large & Co. | *2/1 | | 5/11¼ |
| Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. | 1/11½<br>1/11⅛ | *4/5<br>4/1½ | *5/0¼ |

* Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2602.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2639.**

IN view of the prevalence of CHOLERAIC DIARRHOEA the public is requested to observe carefully the provisions of the PUBLIC HEALTH NOTICE, a copy of which, in English and Chinese, may be obtained from the Health Office.

Particular attention is directed to the rules regarding food, the shortest summary of which is:—

*"Eat and drink nothing that has not been recently cooked or otherwise sterilised."*

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 29, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2642.**

**Choleraic Diarrhoea.**

The attention of the Public is particularly directed to the following Notice issued by the Health Department:—

# CHOLERAIC DIARRHOEA

**Caused by Food Infected by the Excretions of a Previous Case**

# HOW TO PREVENT

## EAT AND DRINK

Nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

## DO NOT CONSUME

1. Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or otherwise sterilised.
2. Food on which flies have settled.
3. Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.
4. Ice-cream unless made from boiled materials.
5. Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a germ-proof filter, the candle of which should be boiled once a week regularly.
6. Aerated waters or other drinks unless of the best quality.

## FRUITS, TOMATOES, ETC., CAN BE STERILISED

so that they can be safely eaten raw, and without spoiling the flavour, by dipping for a few seconds in briskly boiling water.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, August 7, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2641.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FOREIGN CHILDREN.**

THE schools will reopen on Monday, September 8, at 8.30 a.m.

The attention of parents is directed to the following scale of monthly fees:—

*Public School for Boys.*

200 North Szechuen Road.
- Boys over 10 years of age $12
- Boys under 10 years of age 8
- Extra Subject:—
  - Shorthand 2

*Public School for Girls.*

28 Boone Road.
- Girls over 10 years of age $12
- Girls under 10 years of age 8
- Boys under 8 years of age 8
- Kindergarten 5
- Extra Subjects:—
  - Piano 5
  - Shorthand 2

24 Kungping Road.
- Children under 8 years of age $8
- Kindergarten children 5

88 Avenue Road.
- Girls over 10 years of age $12
- Girls under 10 years of age 8
- Boys under 8 years of age 8
- Kindergarten children 5

Admission to the Avenue Road School is restricted to girls under 15 years of age and to boys under 8 years of age. Admission to the Kungping Road School is restricted to girls and boys under 8 years of age.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*

63 Haskell Road, and

*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*

15 Boone Road.
- Upper School, Boarders $20
- Upper School, Day Scholars 6
- Lower School, Boarders 18
- Lower School, Day Scholars 5

Kindergarten children in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls will be charged the same rates as for the Lower School.

The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions:—

| For a family of | Public Schools | Thomas Hanbury Schools |
|---|---|---|
| 2 children | 20% | $1.20 |
| 3 or more children | 33⅓% | 2.00 |

In the case of children of non-resident parents (the term *non-resident* implies residence in Shanghai of less than six months) an approved guarantee in respect of the payment of fees is requisite before admission to the several schools.

Forms for the admission of new pupils may be obtained on application at the several schools, and should be presented by the new pupils themselves, when attending at the Schools for examination and admission on Friday, September 5, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., except in the case of the Thomas Hanbury Schools for which the hours of attendance will be Monday, September 8, between 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 7, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2643.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHINESE.**

*(Translation.)*

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the winter term on Monday, September 8, at 9 a.m.

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Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.

Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads.

Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.

Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25, except for the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $20, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Friday, September 5, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Saturday, September 6, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive and examine new pupils.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 14, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2644.

### NORMAL SCHOOL.

THE Municipal Normal School will re-open for the First Term of the Third Year on Monday, September 15, at 5 p.m., at the Public School for Chinese, Elgin and Cunningham Roads.

*Curriculum.*—Classes will be held in preparation for the Hongkong Matriculation Examination. Lectures will also be given in Elementary Psychology, Theory and Practice of Teaching, Advanced English and Rhetoric.

CLASSES.

| | 5—6 p.m., | 6—7 p.m., |
|---|---|---|
| Monday | Theory & Practice of Teaching (3rd year course) | Eng. Composition |
| Tuesday | Theory & Practice of Teaching (2nd year course) | Geography |
| Wednesday | Algebra | Geometry |
| Friday | Rhetoric | Literature |
| | 9—10 a.m., | 10—11 a.m., |
| Saturday | Arithmetic | Drawing |

*Fees.*—Although organized primarily for the Chinese Teachers of English in the Municipal Schools, the Normal School will be open to other teachers on the following terms:—

One subject per term $10
Two or more subjects per term $20

*Length of Term.*—The school-year consists of two terms. The First Term of the Third Year will commence on Monday, September 15, and terminate on Saturday, November 29, 1919.

*Examinations and Certificates:*—An examination will be held at the end of each school year (consisting of two terms) and certificates will be awarded to those who satisfy the examiners.

For the Final Certificate of the Normal School the following qualifications are necessary:—

1. Attendance at the Normal School for three years.
2. The passing of the Hongkong Matriculation Examination, of some equivalent examination.
3. The satisfying of the examiners in the Theory and Practice of Teaching, Psychology, and English.

*N.B.*—At the end of the coming term the Examinations for the Final Certificate will be held.

*Registration.*—The Principal will be in attendance at the Public School for Chinese on Monday, September 15, at 4.30 p.m., to receive fees and to admit students. All fees are payable in advance.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL.
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 21, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, August 15, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Skinner Turner *(Chairman)*
T. Ibukiyama
S. C. Lin
W. D. McCallum
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. L. E. Canning
Mrs. D. Henman
Mrs. C. F. Remer

The meeting adjourned at 6.40 p.m.

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AT the special meeting of the Watch Committee held on Tuesday, August 19, 1919, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Ed. White *(Chairman)*
H. A. J. Macfay
A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 12.40 p.m.

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### Volunteer Corps.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant commissions are authorized for issue to the following N. C. Officers who have passed the necessary examinations:—

*Light Horse.*—Sqdrn. Sergt.-Major H. G. F. Robinson as 2nd Lieutenant.

*American Company.*—1st Sergt. J. W. Baldwin as 2nd Lieutenant.

*Japanese Company.*—Coy. Sergt.-Major S. Kikuta and Corporal C. Matsumo as 2nd Lieutenants.

*Shanghai Scottish.*—Col. Sergt. C. W. Porter as 2nd Lieutenant.

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*Light Horse.*—Twelve months leave is granted to 2nd Lieutenant F. W. Foster from August 25.

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### Special Constables.

Henceforward the official designations of the undermentioned will be:—

A. L. Anderson, Assistant Commissioner of Police (Specials).

R. G. MacDonald, 2nd Assistant Commissioner of Police (Specials).

### General Municipal Rate.

Correspondence with Mr. Chu Lai-fong and the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce:—

Council Room.

Shanghai, August 13, 1919.

DEAR MR. CHU,—With reference to our conversation of yesterday, on the subject of the refusal of certain Chinese to pay the General Municipal Rate, I would repeat what was pointed out to you then, that the Council as a Council have no authority to concede to the demand of certain recalcitrant ratepayers, that, prior to payment, they insist on Chinese representation on the Council, this being a matter entirely for the Government of China and the Treaty Powers concerned. I am, however, after consultation with my colleagues, authorized to say that, when in future the Finance Committee of the Council has under consideration proposals to increase the Rate, it will welcome the advice of and consult with a representative Chinese Committee.

I had an occasion this morning to talk this matter over with the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, Mr. Yang Cheng, and he expressed his appreciation of the spirit in which the Council was approaching this question

Yours sincerely,

ED. WHITE,
*Acting Chairman.*

CHU LAI-FONG, Esq.,

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Shanghai, August 16, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—With reference to the refusal of certain Chinese to pay the General Municipal Rate, we have read your letter to Mr. Chu on the 13th instant, in which you state that you are, after consultation with your colleagues, authorized to say that, when in future, the Finance Committee of the Council has under consideration proposals to increase the Rate, it will welcome the advice of and consult with a representative Chinese Committee.

The letter was communicated at once to various representatives of Chinese merchants, who, visiting the Chamber, declared that they are not satisfied with the reply, since the fact is that they are not refusing to pay the General Municipal Rate, but they request that the Council should observe the privileges enjoyed by the merchants of various foreign countries at Shanghai after fulfilling their duty, but not enjoyed by our Chinese. This is the cause that the Chinese cannot but propose to request the Council to entitle them the privilege of election of Councillors.

We as the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce beg to address to you that we will appoint four members of our Committee to call upon you in next week to consult with you a justified arrangement, which will result the satisfaction on both sides. When and where the appointed Committee can meet with you we hope you will inform us.

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Again hearing that the Council will collect the Rate on next Tuesday, the 19th instant, we beg to inform you that the representatives have not approved to pay. We hope that you will postpone the date of collecting for two weeks, within which the Chamber can consult and arrange the matter with you.

Yours faithfully,
CHU PAO-SAN,
*Chairman.*
L. F. SHEN,
*Vice-Chairman.*

ED. WHITE, Esq.,
Acting Chairman, Municipal Council.

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 19, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of August 16 on the subject of the refusal of certain Chinese to pay the General Municipal Rate and in reference to the question of Chinese representation on the Council.

In reply, I have the honour to state that I have nothing to add to my letter to Mr. Chu Lai-fong of August 13, with the exception of an expression of regret on the Council's part that the Chamber should have thought fit to range itself against the Council in supporting the refusal to pay Rates. The policy of the Chamber in this matter must inevitably tend to alienate foreign sympathy with the aspirations of the Chinese Community to a voice in the affairs of the Settlement and it leaves the Council with no alternative but to take immediate action to enforce payment of the rates in all cases where refusal of payment is made upon demand.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
ED. WHITE,
*Acting Chairman.*

THE CHAIRMAN & VICE-CHAIRMAN,
Chinese General Chamber of Commerce.

### Traffic.

The Tsingpoo Road Jetty will be closed to traffic, during repairs from Wednesday, August 27, to Wednesday, September 10, inclusive.

### Police Force.

*Foreign Branch, Quarters.*—The lease from Messrs. Algar & Co., Ld. of No. 34 Sinza Terrace has been renewed for a further period of one year terminating on June 30, 1920.

### Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | Aug. 25 | 5.30 p.m. | | Public Garden |
| Tues. | „ 26 | 5.30 | „ | „ „ |
| „ | „ 26 | 9.00 | „ | Race Club Enclosure |
| Wed. | „ 27 | 5.30 | „ | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | „ 28 | 9.00 | „ | „ |
| Fri. | „ 29 | 5.30 | „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| „ | „ 29 | 9.00 | „ | Public Garden |
| Sat. | „ 30 | 5.30 | „ | Public Recreation Ground |
| „ | „ 30 | 9.00 | „ | Public Garden |

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, August 17, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| *Cholera | 3 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 29 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 4 | 3 |
| *Acute Diarrhoea | 5 | 27 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 10 | 243 |

*Cholera vibrio not found.

There has been a marked decrease in the incidence of choleraic diarrhoea.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, AUGUST 16.

*Police Force.*—Henceforward the official designations of the under mentioned will be:—

K. J. McEuen, Commissioner of Police.

Major A. Hilton-Johnson, Deputy Commissioner of Police.

Capt. E. I. M. Barrett, Assistant Commissioner of Police.

R. M. J. Martin, Assistant Commissioner of Police.

M. O. Springfield, Assistant Commissioner of Police.

W. Beatty, 2nd. Assistant Commissioner of Police.

3rd Class Constable E. Fearn is invalided from July 31.

The following are appointed Constables from August 10:—

J. Allen, C. Bishop, R. H. Beer, E. S. Cartwright, A. C. Craig, J. Cosson, H. Diprose, G. W. Dudley, P. A. Emery, J. E. Fulton, H. A. Flower, C. B. Henry, R. C. Hall, W. Hotchkiss, H. Hotchkiss, H. J. Hooper, A. G. Hogg, C. E. Knight, H. McGregor, B. H. Munson, A. McGillivray, W. J. Ryle, B. Silliss, H. J. Taylor, W. N. Webb, J. A. Young and C. Young.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. C. H. Godfrey, Engineer and Surveyor, resumed charge of the Public Works Department on July 29.

Mr. W. Fletcher, returned from war service, is appointed Assistant Inspector in the Public Works Department, on three months' probation from August 8.

The Council has learnt with deep regret of the death on August 15, of Inspector A. T. Kriger.

*Electricity Department.* — The temporary service of Mr. D. Wilson, Clerical Assistant, is confirmed under an agreement from June 15, 1919.

Long leave is granted to Mains Foreman G. A. Marshgreen from August 25.

Collector A. Murphy, returned from war service, resumed duty on August 6.

*Public Band.*—The name of Musician O. Bakaleinikoff is authorized to be struck out of the Municipal Staff List.

*Secretariat.*—Mr. J. M. McKee, Acting Assistant Secretary, is appointed Assistant Secretary under a new agreement from July 1, 1919.

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 61A | Avenue Edward VII | Davies & Brooke | | | block offices |
| 629 | Kinkiang | Palmer & Turner | | | hotel |
| 23 | Peking | R. E. Stewardson | | | addns |
| 914A | Quinsan | Land Investment Co. Ld. | | | water-closets |
| 722 | Range | V. C. Lee | | | addn. |
| 2693 2698 | Dalny and Pingliang | Oriental Engine Works | | 2 | watchmen's lodge |
| 315 | Dixwell | N. C. Yih | | | boundary wall |
| 2460 | Jansen | Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co. Ltd. | | | do. |
| 7209 | Ward | S. J. Powell | | | addns. |
| 3268 | Avenue | Shun Nin & Co. | | | altns. |
| 1162 | do. | P. Tilley | | | garage |
| 1265 | Bubbling Well | Shing Ju Nin | | | water-closets |
| 4985 | Ichang | Nagai Wata Kaisha | | | addns. |
| 2190 | Moulmein | Brandt & Rodgers | | 2 | servants' quarters |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 950 | Range | Wong Kor Sung | 3 | | |
| 2693 2698 | Dalny and Pingliang | Oriental Engine Works | 42 | | |
| 930 | Hailar | Loh Hong Kee | | 5 | addns. |
| Unreg. E. of 6320 | Yangtszepoo | Zung Sung Kee | 5 | | |
| 978/9 | Yochow | P. Peebles | 15 | | |
| 1235 | Burkill | Sing King Kee | 4 | | shed |
| 5001 | Ferry | Algar & Co. Ld. | 53 | | gate-house |
| Unreg. S. of 6340 | Shuchang | Woo Sung Kee | 1 | | |
| Unreg. E. of 4210 | Tonquin | Zee Zung Chong | 8 | | |

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## Report of Commissioner of Police for July.

Strength of the Force on July 31.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 7 | |
| Foreigners | 140 | |
| Japanese | 27 | |
| Sikhs | 580 | |
| Chinese | 1,489 | |
| | | 2,243 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 79 | |
| Followers | 223 | |
| | | 302 |
| | Total | 2,545 |

*Armed Robberies.*—During the month four reports of armed robbery from houses were received. Two of these occurred in Hongkew, one in Harbin Road and one in Yangtszepoo district.

Two cases of armed highway robbery from the person were reported, one in Sinza and one in the West Hongkew district.

One case of highway robbery wherein no arms were used was also reported in the Sinza district

One person was arrested during the month in connexion with an armed robbery committed prior to July 1, 1919. He was tried at the Mixed Court and remitted to the Court of the Shanghai Military Governor.

Three persons were arrested on a charge of being concerned in a highway robbery committed prior to July 1, 1919. The charge against two was dismissed and the other was cautioned by the Court and bound over to keep the peace.

Six persons were arrested during the month in connexion with an armed robbery committed outside the Settlement limits. They were charged at the Mixed Court and handed over to the Chinese Authorities.

Three persons were also apprehended in the Settlement on a charge of having participated in robbery from the person of a foreigner. They were dealt with by the French Police.

*Murder and Attempted Murder.*—On July 7, a Chinese named Kwo Loong-yui was attacked at 2041 Yangtszepoo Road and severely wounded by blows from an axe. He subsequently died in hospital as the result of injuries received. A warrant has been issued for the arrest of a man who was identified as one of the assailants and who, for the time being, has fled from Shanghai.

On July 25, a compradore at the Nippon Yusen Kaisha Wayside Wharf reported that about 12.30 a.m. he had been fired at in an alley off the Yangtszepoo Road by a Chinese who fled, leaving behind a five chambered revolver containing four live and one empty cartridges.

*Arrests in connexion with Bomb Cases.*—On July 18 ten persons were arrested in connexion with the sending of threatening letters and bombs to various places in the Settlement during the year. They are at present under remand awaiting trial.

*Reports of Property Stolen.*—During the month 225 reports of property stolen were made at the various Stations. Inquiries were made with successful results in 104 of these cases.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 408 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 136 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 155 records were received from the French Police out of which number 94 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| For identification | 563 | |
| Identified | 230 | |
| Percentage | 40 | |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | | 7 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | | 24 |
| | | 31 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 15.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 215 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 57 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 40 | *Second offenders.* |
| 28 | *Third offenders.* |
| 7 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 61 | *Habitual offenders* (serious) |
| 408 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for July.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the Public Works Department | Tls. 742.57 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 338.03 |
| Total | Tls. 404.54 |

**Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.**

K. J. McEuen,
*Commissioner of Police.*

### RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

1.—*Offences against the person:*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Assault | 2 |
| Disobedience of lawful command at sea | 1 |
| Malicious insult to a Foreign Consul | 1 |
| Sodomy | 1 |

2.—*Offences of a Public Nature:*—

*Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Dogs | 26 |
| Motor Cars | 2 |

*Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Nuisance | 2 |
| Conduct likely to cause a breach of the peace | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 7 |
| Importing opium | 2 |
| Returning after Expulsion | 1 |
| Selling indecent photographs | 1 |
| 3.—*Miscellaneous Cases* | 2 |
| Total | 49 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 2,367 | 2,367 |
| Others | 31 | 761 | 792 |
| Total | 31 | 3,128 | 3,159 |

### RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cautioned | 3 |
| Dismissed | 1 |
| Fined | 33 |
| Imprisonment | 4 |
| Remanded | 5 |
| Sent to Mental Ward | 2 |
| Sentence of expulsion withdrawn by Russian Consul-General | 1 |
| Total | 49 |

### PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on July 31.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 6 |
| Louza Station | 12 |
| Hongkew Station | 2 |
| Harbin Road Station | 2 |
| West Hongkew Station | 9 |
| Wayside Station | 1 |
| Sinza Station | 2 |
| Gaol | 1,553 |
| Reformatory | 90 |
| Total | 1,677 |

### VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 880 | 462 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 880 | 462 |

### VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN June 28 and July 25.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 27,655.63 |
| Recovered | 13,655.85 |

### DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 30. 6. 19. | 48 | 377 |
| Captured | 329 | |
| Returned | 68 | 377 |
| Killed | 257 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 6 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 46 | |

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**Public Library.**

The Library, situated at the north-west corner of the Town Hall, is open *To the Public* without charge as a Reading Room from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. To *Subscribers* for the exchange of books from 9 a.m to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

The subscription is as follows:—

$16 per year
9 ,, half-year.
5 ,, quarter.
2 ,, month.

Subscribers are entitled to the loan of four books at a time and in addition certain magazines are pro vided for circulation, of which one at a time is allowed to each subscriber.

It contains about 14,250 volumes, of which some 7,500 are devoted to Fiction; 2,600 to Travel and History; 1,720 to Biography and the rest to Scientific and General subjects. Additions to these are made constantly.

Residents desirous of subscribing should communicate with the Librarian at the Town Hall.

**Summary of Revenue for July.**

| Description | Estimate for 1919 | 1919 | | | 1918 | | | 1917 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 |
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,054,630 | — | 184,917.05 | 627,105.34 | — | 149,197 40 | 576,366.38 | — | 77,047.58 | 465,888.30 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 795,850 | — | 72,680.69 | 401,615.62 | — | 79,331.23 | 392,814.45 | — | 66,363.07 | 368,433.82 |
| Chinese | 1,182,460 | — | 17,756.53 | 525,293.81 | — | 130,719 22 | 618,886.69 | — | 131,979.53 | 603,760.44 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | 215.90 | 1,290.80 | — | 11.80 | 1,283.40 | — | 84.50 | 1,248.30 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 220,000 | — | — | 110,335.46 | — | — | 91,870.55 | — | — | 97,600.20 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | 53 | 3,569.00 | 11,294.00 | 56 | 3,714.00 | 12,180.00 | 67 | 4,475.00 | 13,608.00 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 24,000 | 80 | 5,900.00 | 18,087.50 | 77 | 5,725.00 | 17,475.00 | 77 | 5,673.96 | 17,286.46 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 400 | 17 | 141.00 | 424.00 | 21 | 96.00 | 296.00 | 17 | 117.00 | 375.00 |
| Eating House | 9,000 | 750 | 2,214.38 | 6,563.55 | 288 | 976.89 | 5,354.40 | 373 | 784.93 | 2,824.38 |
| Chinese Club | 4,500 | 51 | 1,275.00 | 3,716.70 | 39 | 975.00 | 2,941.70 | 42 | 1,050.00 | 3,275.00 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13,000 | 304 | 2,954.00 | 9,025.50 | 317 | 3,083.00 | 9,473.00 | 340 | 3,307.00 | 10,096.00 |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36,000 | 1,131 | 8,642.00 | 26,454.50 | 402 | 3,080.00 | 20,970.70 | 516 | 4,007.00 | 21,745.22 |
| Tea-shop | 16,000 | 643 | 1,365.50 | 9,744.00 | 670 | 1,297.00 | 9,275.00 | 673 | 1,372.00 | 10,052.25 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 6,500 | 249 | 1,830.68 | 5,127.31 | 218 | 1,561.24 | 4,439.35 | — | — | 3,263.74 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,000 | 11 | 450.00 | 3,403.00 | 8 | 315.00 | 2,340.00 | 20 | 610.00 | 3,820.00 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 19 | 729.00 | 4,943.00 | 13 | 580.00 | 4,510.00 | 14 | 665.00 | 5,287.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 2,500 | 14 | 290.00 | 1,804.00 | 11 | 154.00 | 1,266.00 | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 29,000 | — | — | 15,982.77 | — | — | 15,601.21 | 1 | 6.52 | 14,655.58 |
| Exchange Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Opium-shop | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 45,390.00 |
| Tobacco Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,000 | 998 | 623.72 | 3,690.29 | 1,075 | 559.12 | 3,663.02 | 979 | 552.59 | 3,491.50 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,100 | 61 | 89.06 | 654.68 | 64 | 91.65 | 663.48 | 62 | 88.91 | 631.72 |
| Launch | 3,300 | 292 | 770.00 | 2,559.00 | 279 | 711.00 | 2,277.00 | 277 | 671.00 | 2,262.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,807 | 433.98 | 2,486.30 | 1,608 | 373.36 | 2,383.86 | 1,521 | 354.62 | 2,474.76 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 141 | 103.60 | 563.28 | 138 | 99.08 | 554.34 | 149 | 106.88 | 615.51 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 11,500 | P. 574 C. 547 | 2,452.61 | 7,766.87 | P. 618 C. 583 | 2,553.27 | 8,445.95 | P. 679 C. 636 | 2,784.14 | 9,059.45 |
| Livery Stable | 12,000 | P. 406 C. 254 | 1,049.59 | 7,320.77 | P. 411 C. 260 | 1,043.95 | 7,016.21 | P. 405 C. 255 | 1,022.25 | 7,208.12 |
| Motor Car & Motor Bicycle | 45,000 | 1,255 | 11,979.03 | 34,371.14 | 981 | 10,432.34 | 28,322.80 | 745 | 6,911.25 | 21,705.50 |
| Cart | 31,500 | 2,146 | 3,079.00 | 20,879.00 | 1,956 | 2,840.00 | 18,524.00 | 1,811 | 2,704.50 | 18,236.00 |
| Private Ricsha | 55,000 | 6,465 | 14,315.32 | 41,333.26 | 5,902 | 12,745.03 | 38.119.27 | 5,783 | 12,443.88 | 35,336.21 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,867.45 | 81,251.90 | 8,000 | 11,534.22 | 80,676.92 | 8,000 | 11,515.40 | 79,468.96 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 9 | 19.90 | 83.45 | 10 | 21.55 | 91.72 | 13 | 27.94 | 110.26 |
| Wheel-barrow | 50,000 | 7,936 | 3,972.78 | 29,172.52 | 7,767 | 3,888.58 | 28,200.17 | 7,704 | 3,857.97 | 29,115.50 |
| Firearms | 500 | — | — | 150.00 | — | — | 150.00 | — | — | 300.00 |
| Dog | 3,500 | 390 | 1,431.95 | 4,433.05 | 115 | 165.12 | 3,016.73 | 132 | 189.46 | 3,006.64 |
| RATE OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 111,240 | 6,132 | 9,790.09 | 63,564.34 | 6,008 | 9,360.22 | 61,748.05 | 5,060 | 7,905.92 | 51,299.53 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | — | 410.00 | — | — | 390.00 | — | — | 130.00 |
| Firemen's Quarters | 3,100 | — | — | 805.50 | — | 216.00 | 1,371.00 | — | 237.00 | 1,102.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 5,820 | — | 429.52 | 3,177.58 | — | 415.00 | 3,155.00 | — | 400.00 | 3,160.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 42.00 | 1,160.39 | — | 397.00 | 1,153.29 | — | 80.00 | 246.77 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 33,700 | — | 9,075.00 | 25,816.10 | — | 10,492.04 | 32,362.34 | — | 12,490.32 | 32,994.51 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | — | 500.00 | — | — | 500.00 | — | 250.00 | 500.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co. Ld. | 7,330 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 5,332.00 |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 50,000 | — | — | 26,759.81 | — | — | 22,947.40 | — | — | 21,940.03 |
| Electricity Department | 242,000 | — | — | 242,000.00 | — | — | 364,000.00 | — | — | 27,640.00 |
| Convict Labour | 12,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concrete ware Manufactory | 10,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 5,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,296,530 | | 376,455.33 | 2,390,451.59 | | 448,755.31 | 2,504,407 88 | | 362,127.12 | 2,045,976.66 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Superintendent of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

**CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.**

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

**工部局承攬信章程**

一 所有承攬各項本局承辦全份事件自有恬利

二 所有承攬價目並無底本局亦不必承辦人自有不過問之權

三 揀定之後該承攬人到局與其簽訂合同辦理

四 所有承攬各人之信及承攬之價目以登入本局公報俾人知悉

五 所有取閱說明書者須付銀圓本局將其銀數寄內登載明所取之銀數早在開標之前

六 所有承攬信函公寫封面加蓋火漆其承攬何項工料等物必於信內寫明送至江西路二十四號工部局辦處須在定期二十四小時之前以信函送來信內雖無一律遵守者仍將該款一律退還

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

信送來最善此次概免夾帶雜物

二時之前以用郵寄

清單費

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 134 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern Ankle Boots<br>{1,000 pairs to be delivered on or before January 31, 1920<br>{2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, March 31, 1920 | — | October 1 |
| 135 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31 |
| 136 | 100 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 137 | 2,400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 ,, | — | do. |
| 138 | 2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 4 ,, | — | do. |
| 139 | 7,000 ,, ,, Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 140 | 900 ,, Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 Thin | — | do. |
| 141 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 Medium | — | do. |
| 142 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 Heavy | — | do. |
| 143 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 144 | 400 Brown ,, 68 × 90 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before June 30, 1920. | — | do. |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 506 | Painting at Wayside Police Station | — | August 29 |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Tender No. 504.

Bund Reclamation Scheme.

*Chung Ming Kee.

Supply of labour for
Timber Work, Concrete Work and Stone Pitching per chang — Tls. 17.50

Supply of Mud
Filling per fong — 1.20

Other tenderers are: Tsong Shun Lai, Tsze King Kee, Zee Yung Chong, Chang Kee Dong, Sung Kee, Wang Chun Kee, Tai Chong, Young Foo, Chow Shun Kee, Wong Tsung Zi, Chin Ven Lin, Fou Kee, Chang Fook Kee, Yang Yue Shing, Zung Shun Kee, Wong Yung Kee, Kao Yao Kee.

* Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2645.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice**

**95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no application for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be entertained.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, August 27, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2646.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

WITH a view to the provision of facilities for accumulating savings for periodical investment in Municipal Debentures, the Council has sanctioned the establishment of a Municipal Investment Bank.

Deposits will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balances remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai. August 27, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2639.**

IN view of the prevalence of CHOLERAIC DIARRHOEA the public is requested to observe carefully the provisions of the PUBLIC HEALTH NOTICE, a copy of which, in English and Chinese, may be obtained from the Health Office.

Particular attention is directed to the rules regarding food, the shortest summary of which is:—

*"Eat and drink nothing that has not been recently cooked or otherwise sterilised."*

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, July 29, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2642.**

**Choleraic Diarrhoea.**

The attention of the Public is particularly directed to the following Notice issued by the Health Department:—

# CHOLERAIC DIARRHOEA

**Caused by Food Infected by the Excretions of a Previous Case**

# HOW TO PREVENT

## EAT AND DRINK

Nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

## DO NOT CONSUME

1. Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or otherwise sterilised.
2. Food on which flies have settled.
3. Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.
4. Ice-cream unless made from boiled materials.
5. Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a germ-proof filter, the candle of which should be boiled once a week regularly.
6. Aerated waters or other drinks unless of the best quality.

## FRUITS, TOMATOES, ETC., CAN BE STERILISED

so that they can be safely eaten raw, and without spoiling the flavour, by dipping for a few seconds in briskly boiling water.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, August 7, 1919.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2641.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FOREIGN CHILDREN.**

THE schools will reopen on Monday, September 8, at 8.30 a.m.

The attention of parents is directed to the following scale of monthly fees :—

*Public School for Boys.*

200 North Szechuen Road.
Boys over 10 years of age $12
Boys under 10 years of age 8
Extra Subject:—
Shorthand 2

*Public School for Girls.*

28 Boone Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten 5
Extra Subjects:—
Piano 5
Shorthand 2

24 Kungping Road.
Children under 8 years of age $8
Kindergarten children 5

88 Avenue Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten children 5

Admission to the Avenue Road School is restricted to girls under 15 years of age and to boys under 8 years of age. Admission to the Kungping Road School is restricted to girls and boys under 8 years of age.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*
63 Haskell Road, and
*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*
15 Boone Road.
Upper School, Boarders $20
Upper School, Day Scholars 6
Lower School, Boarders 18
Lower School, Day Scholars 5

Kindergarten children in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls will be charged the same rates as for the Lower School.

The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions :—

| For a family of | Public Schools | Thomas Hanbury Schools |
|---|---|---|
| 2 children | 20% | $1.20 |
| 3 or more children | 33⅓% | 2.00 |

In the case of children of non-resident parents (the term *non-resident* implies residence in Shanghai of less than six months) an approved guarantee in respect of the payment of fees is requisite before admission to the several schools.

Forms for the admission of new pupils may be obtained on application at the several schools, and should be presented by the new pupils themselves, when attending at the Schools for examination and admission on Friday, September 5, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., except in the case of the Thomas Hanbury Schools for which the hours of attendance will be Monday, September 8, between 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 7, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2643.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHINESE.**

(*Translation.*)

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the winter term on Monday, September 8, at 9 a.m.

Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.
Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads.
Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.
Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25, except for the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $20, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Friday, September 5, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Saturday, September 6, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive and examine new pupils.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 14, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2644.**

**NORMAL SCHOOL.**

THE Municipal Normal School will re-open for the First Term of the Third Year on Monday, September 15, at 5 p.m., at the Public School for Chinese, Elgin and Cunningham Roads.

*Curriculum.*—Classes will be held in preparation for the Hongkong Matriculation Examination. Lectures will also be given in Elementary Psychology, Theory and Practice of Teaching, Advanced English and Rhetoric.

CLASSES.

| | 5—6 p.m., | 6—7 p.m., |
|---|---|---|
| Monday | Theory & Practice of Teaching (3rd year course) | Eng. Composition |
| Tuesday | Theory & Practice of Teaching (2nd year course) | Geography |
| Wednesday | Algebra | Geometry |
| Friday | Rhetoric | Literature |
| | 9—10 a.m., | 10—11 a.m., |
| Saturday | Arithmetic | Drawing |

*Fees.*—Although organized primarily for the Chinese Teachers of English in the Municipal Schools, the Normal School will be open to other teachers on the following terms:—

One subject per term $10
Two or more subjects per term $20

*Length of Term.*—The school-year consists of two terms. The First Term of the Third Year will commence on Monday, September 15, and terminate on Saturday, November 29, 1919.

*Examinations and Certificates*:—An examination will be held at the end of each school year (consisting of two terms) and certificates will be awarded to those who satisfy the examiners.

For the Final Certificate of the Normal School the following qualifications are necessary:—

1. Attendance at the Normal School for three years.
2. The passing of the Hongkong Matriculation Examination, of some equivalent examination.
3. The satisfying of the examiners in the Theory and Practice of Teaching, Psychology, and English.

*N.B.*—At the end of the coming term the Examinations for the Final Certificate will be held.

*Registration.*—The Principal will be in attendance at the Public School for Chinese on Monday, September 15, at 4.30 p.m., to receive fees and to admit students. All fees are payable in advance.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL.
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 21, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Volunteer Corps Commission held on Thursday, August 21, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:

*Present*:
Rev. J. R. Hykes (*Chairman*)
Messrs. R E. S. Gregson
S. J. Halse

*Absent*:
Mr. A. C. Clear

The meeting adjourned at 4.45 p.m.

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**Consular Body.**

A letter from Mr. de Réus, Consul-General for the Netherlands, informs the Council that during his absence from Shanghai, Mr. J. Schuurman, Consul, will be in charge of the Consulate-General. On account of the illness of Mr. Schuurman, Her Netherland Majesty's Minister at Peking has ordered Jonkheer J. W. C. Quarles van Ufford, a Secretary of Legation, to proceed to Shanghai and take charge temporarily of the Netherlands Consulate-General.

**Volunteer Corps.**

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, the commissions of the following are authorized for renewal :—

*Staff.*—Captain L. E. Canning, from April 8, 1919, and Captain C. H. Godfrey, from June 29, 1919.

*Artillery.*—Captain R. W. Davis, from June 3, 1919.

*Engineers.*—Captain C. D. Pearson, from May 23, 1919.

*Reserve of Officers.*—Captain G. M. Billings, from May 23, 1919.

*Machine Gun Company.*—Lieut. E. B. Heaton-Smith, from March 10, 1919.

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*Machine Gun Company.*—The resignation of Lieut. W. H. Rogers, forwarded by the Commandant, has been accepted by the Council with regret.

*"A" Company, British.*—Six months leave is granted to Captain W. J. Monk from September 1.

*Light Horse.*—Six months leave is granted to 2nd Lieut. H. G. F. Robinson from September 3.

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### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Nanking Road.*—Arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. A. R. Burkill & Sons for the surrender of the scheduled area of Lot 29c on the basis of compensation at the assessed value Tls. 70,000 per mow plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender and less one-third for betterment on that portion of the scheduled area necessary to widen the road to 40-ft. and without deduction in respect of the remainder of the scheduled area.

Of this area Mow 0.060 is available for immediate use, and payment of Tls. 9,445 will be made on surrender of the remainder measuring Mow 0.069.

### Public Band.

**The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. Sept. | 1 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. ,, | 2 | 5.30 ,, | ,, ,, |
| ,, ,, | 2 | 9.00 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. ,, | 3 | 5.30 ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. ,, | 4 | 9.00 ,, | ,, |
| Fri. ,, | 5 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| ,, ,, | 5 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |
| Sat. ,, | 6 | 5.30 ,, | Public Recreation Ground |
| ,, ,, | 6 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, AUGUST 23.

*Police Force.*—Sergeants W. D. McGillivray, and W. McGillivray, Constables H. Young, N. J. Bournes and W. M. Calder, returned from war service, resumed duty on August 4.

The following are appointed Constables from August 10:—

W. Hall, J. A. Isaacs, D. D. Matcham, R. H. Norton, D. B. Ross, R. M. Tinkler, A. G. Wadey and J. M. Watson.

Long leave is granted to the following:—

| | | from Sept. |
|---|---|---|
| Assistant Gaoler | R. Sims | 14 |
| Sergeant | W. Moore | 20 |
| ,, | T. Robertson | 1 |
| ,, | F. A. Treacher | 1 |
| ,, | W. Robertson | 1 |
| ,, | J. Rush | 1 |
| ,, | H. Pelling | 1 |
| ,, | B. J. Selvey | 12 |

Sergeant R. J. Crouch is transferred for duty at the Mixed Court with effect from September 20.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Inspector G. B. Haines, from September 1.

Probationer Nurse I. Waddell is permitted to terminate her service on November 30.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. W. A. L. Pardoe, Surveying Assistant, is appointed 2nd Assistant Engineer from August 1.

The temporary appointment of Mr. A. B. Puddicombe, 2nd Assistant Engineer, is confirmed under agreement from August 1.

*Electricity Department.*—Collector M. Conlon, returned from war service, resumed duty on August 12.

Mr. C. W. Donaldson is appointed temporarily as Plant Erector from August 12.

Mains Foreman A. Leach is permitted to terminate his service.

*Educational Department.*—Mr. W. D. Anderson, Assistant Master in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, returned from war service, resumed duty on August 12.

Mrs. E. J. Wolfe is appointed Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys on three months probation from August 1.

Mrs. N. Kinipple and Mrs. J. R. Trindle are appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistresses in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls from September 8.

The appointment of Mrs. F. W. Snape, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, is confirmed under agreement terminable at three months' notice from May 1.

Mr. H. G. Whitcher is appointed Assistant Master in the Public School for Chinese from August 12.

### 7% Loan 1919.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed to the current year's loan, as on August 25, 1919:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| One Investor of | Tls. 50,000 | | |
| One ,, | ,, 47,000 | | |
| Nippon Yusen Kaisha | ,, 40,000 | | |
| Osaka Shosen Kaisha | ,, 20,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 20,000 | ,, 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | ,, 15,000 | | |
| One ,, | ,, 14,300 | | |
| One ,, | ,, 14,000 | | |
| Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha, Ld. | ,, 13,000 | | |
| Mitsubishi Bank, Ld. | ,, 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | ,, 12,500 | | |
| Estate of R. W. Shaw, deceased | ,, 12.400 | | |
| One Investor of | ,, 12,000 | | |
| Henry Langley Hayward | ,, 11,000 | | |
| One Investor of | ,, 10,600 | | |
| Shanghai Produce and Stock Exchange, Ld. | ,, 10,000 | | |
| C. Itoh & Co., Ld. | ,, 10,000 | | |
| International Savings Society | ,, 10,000 | | |
| Japan-China Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. | ,, 10,000 | | |
| Nippon Menkwa Kabushiki Kaisha | ,, 10,000 | | |
| Four Investors of Tls. 10,000 | ,, 40,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 414,800 | |
| 167 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | ,, 244,100 | |
| 192 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 658,900 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| One Investor of | Tls. 100,000 | | |
| Yung Tsung King | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,000 | | |
| Chek Sou Char | 15,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 15,000 | 30,000 | | |
| Hangkee | 10,000 | | |
| Sisson Nie and/or Mrs. Isabella Nie | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 230,000 | |
| 35 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | ,, 78,200 | |
| 43 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 308,200 |
| | | | Total Tls. 967,100 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer*

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, August 24, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| *Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 2 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 20 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 1 |
| *Acute Diarrhoea | 2 | 24 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 224 |

*Cholera vibrio not found.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 628 | Nanking | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | altns. |
| 30 | do. | J. Ambrose | | | block offices |
| 513 | do. | Yue Sheng Kung Sze | | | water-closets |
| 431 | Shantung | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | addns. |
| 488 | Haining and Cunningham | Brandt & Rodgers | 1 | | |
| 730 | E. Hanbury | Wong Kor Sung | | | shed |
| 3813 | Thorburn | Chien Fah Kee | 1 | | |
| 386 | Burkill | Tsao Sing Tai | 1 | | servants' quarters |
| 4754 | Gordon | S. J. Powell | | | drying tower |
| 6180 | Hart | China Realty Co., Ld. | | | garage |
| 4892 | Ichang | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | mill |
| 4315 | Markham | Hong Yue Cotton Mill Co., Ld. | | | chimney |
| 4640 | Tonquin | H. M. Cumine | | | servants' quarters |
| 4836 | W. Soochow | S. J. Powell | | | go-down and factory |
| Unreg. W of 2755 | Yuyuen | Yee Shan Kee | | | green house & watchmen's lodge |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 271 | Foochow & Shanse | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | 21 | | |
| 222 | Tientsin | Sing Woo Kee | | | addns. |
| 488 | Haining & Cunningham | Brandt & Rodgers | 5 | | |
| 690 | N. Honan | Chong Ming | | | addns. |
| 809 | N. Soochow | F. Ireyama | | | altns. |
| 2351 | Baikal | Yao Ning Kee | 7 | | |
| 916 | Chaoufoong | Nee Kee Sung | 1 | | |
| 6656 | Linching | Tsen Kee | 7 | | |
| 8036 | Yangtszepoo | Hong Yue Cotton Mill Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| 6013 | do. | Eastern Construction Co. | 4 | | |
| 94 | Kuling | Koo Hong Kee | | | altns. |

## Mixed Court Report for July.

A new and revised edition of "Rules of Procedure" has been printed and is now obtainable at the Registrar's office, price $3.00 per copy. The original edition was published in the English language only, whilst this new edition is in English and Chinese. In the process of revision, the rules of procedure governing appeals have been left out altogether. Provision is now made for filing notices of motion for rehearing in criminal cases.

Eight persons were before the Court during July on charges connected with the publishing and circulating of boycott and strike literature as against twenty-three persons charged in June.

Twenty-seven persons were charged during the month with keeping unlicensed dogs.

The following foreigners who are not recognized by any Consulate in Shanghai were before the Court during the month on criminal charges:—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bertha Veinstein | Russian | Assault | Dismissed. |
| G. Frykin | Finn | Drunk | Fined $5 & to pay $15 compensation. |
| Miss Rosa | Russian | Unlicensed dog | Fined $1 |
| Leon Quist | Turkish | Insanity | To mental ward |
| c. de T. L. Savine | Russian | Insulting Consul | 6 weeks' impt. |
| Miss Betty | American | Unlicensed dog | Fined $2 |

In consequence of the Civil Courts being in vacation since July 16, the number of Foreign and Chinese Civil Cases awaiting hearing has increased but nothing like to the extent experienced in past years.

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with, Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

M. O. SPRINGFIELD,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
K. J. McEUEN,
Commissioner of Police

### OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| **1.—Offences Against the Person:—** | |
| Abduction | 3 |
| Allowing Children in Brothels | 1 |
| Assault | 41 |
| Attempted suicide | 3 |
| Cruelty to Children | 1 |
| Murder | 5 |
| Wounding (Causing grievous bodily harm) | 1 |
| **2.—Offences Against Property:—** | |
| Burglary | 12 |
| Cruelty to animals | 3 |
| Embezzlement | 1 |
| Extortion (Obtaining money by threats) | 10 |
| Forgery | 1 |
| Fraud | 3 |
| House-breaking | 1 |
| Larceny | 173 |
| Malicious Damage | 1 |
| Receiving stolen property | 6 |
| Robbery | 16 |
| **3.—Offences of a Public Nature:—** | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 28 |
| Carts | 44 |
| Clubs | 4 |
| Dairy | 1 |
| Dogs | 27 |
| Foodshops | 9 |
| Hawkers | 85 |
| Laundry | 1 |
| Livery Stable | 1 |
| Lodging Houses | 2 |
| Motor cars | 54 |
| Opium | 55 |
| Pawnshops | 8 |
| Ricshas | 1,191 |
| Tavern | 1 |
| Tea-shops | 7 |
| Wheel-barrows | 75 |
| Wine shops | 9 |
| Breach of Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| Fireworks | 3 |
| House refuse | 57 |
| Nuisances | 1,010 |
| Prostitutes | 27 |
| Traffic | 36 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 5 |
| Disorderly conduct | 61 |
| Gambling | 3 |
| Libel | 2 |
| Loitering with intent | 8 |
| Returning after expulsion | 20 |
| Smuggling | 1 |
| Vagrancy | 7 |
| **4.—Miscellaneous Cases** | 18 |
| TOTAL | 3,142 |

### SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| H. Gobel | Russian | W. Frederick | $262 | For Plaintiff for $81.30 |
| D. M. Nissim | British | Yi Laung Zu | Tls. 6,000 | Order foreclosure |
| Zih Yue Kwang *alias* Zih Tuh Kwe | Portuguese | Zih Lih Koong | Tls. 75,000 | Judgement for Plaintiff for Tls. 56,635.80 |
| Arkell & Douglas | American | Dong Woo Shing Hong | G. $206.80 | For Plaintiffs for G. $206.80 |
| do. | do. | Anglo-Chinese Indenting Co. | G. $705.46 | Dismissed |
| Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. | British | Dzung Meu Zu | Tls. 397.02 | For Plaintiffs for Tls. 397.02 |
| Bishen Singh | do. | Bank of Territorial Development | $90 | For Plaintiff for $90 with costs |
| I. Mason | do. | do. | $370 | For Plaintiff for $370 with costs |
| Mrs. Trofimoff | Russian | Van Lee Dry Cleaning Co. | $100 | For Plaintiff for $25 |
| Assicurazoni-Generale | Italian | Bureau of Liquidation of the Deutsch-Asiatische Bank | Tls. 1,205.91 | For Plaintiff for Tls. 1,205.91 |
| H. Whitworth, Ld. | British | Dong Tshang Tah Hong | Infringement of trade mark | For Plaintiff with costs |
| John A. Hayes | do. | Tseu Ah Ping | Tls. 27,909.38 | For Plaintiff for Tls. 27,909.38 with costs |

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SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2,159 |
| Cases withdrawn | 4 |
| Cautioned | 31 |
| Dismissed | 54 |
| Fined | 620 |
| Imprisonment | 151 |
| Imprisonment and expulsion | 78 |
| Reformatory | 1 |
| Released on Security | 9 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 17 |
| Sent to Military Governor of Shanghai | 1 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 10 |
| Sent to French Police | 2 |
| Various | 5 |
| TOTAL | 3,142 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On July 1 | 40 |
| Received | 27 |
| Released | 21 |
| On July 31 | 46 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 225 |
| " served | 187 |
| Warrants issued | 29 |
| " executed | 6 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 5 |
| " executed | 2 |
| " withdrawn | 2 |
| Summonses issued | 26 |
| " served | 12 |
| " withdrawn | 4 |
| Persons apprehended on warrants | 2 |
| " summoned | 12 |
| Sealing orders issued | 80 |
| " " executed | 14 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 47 |
| " " withdrawn | 11 |
| " " pending | 8 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 5 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 58 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 30 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 65 |
| " heard | 70 |
| " in course of hearing | 3 |
| " concluded | 39 |
| " awaiting first hearing on July 31 | 91 |
| Summonses issued | 78 |
| " served | 71 |
| " withdrawn | 6 |
| Warrants issued | 35 |
| " executed | 17 |
| " withdrawn | 8 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 18 |
| " summoned | 78 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 57 |
| Sealing orders issued | 17 |
| " " executed | 6 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 10 |
| " " pending | 1 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 7 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 63 |
| Bonds accepted | 60 |
| " rejected | 10 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On July 1 | 47 |
| Received | 29 |
| Released | 23 |
| On July 31 | 53 |

## Fire Brigade Report for July.

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 8, as against 22 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 200 (Foreign, Nil; Chinese, Tls. 200) as against Tls. 16,100 (Foreign Nil; Chinese, Tls. 16,100) during July, 1918. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 30,000 (Foreign, Nil; Chinese, Tls. 30,000), as against Tls. 260,500 (Foreign, Tls. 120,000; Chinese, Tls. 140,500) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Watch Towers 3, Police 2, Street Alarms 2 and Telephone 1.

No district call was given, all 8 being station calls.

These calls proved to be 3 small fires, 4 false alarms and 1 fire outside the Settlement.

The supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Dropped match or cigarette end | 1 |
| Sparks from chimney | 1 |
| Oil overboiling | 1 |

The premises affected were 3 Chinese Buildings.

Of these 2 buildings were slightly damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The water used at fires during the month was 3,465 gallons.

The Brigade was occupied 17 hours and 55 minutes at fires or supposed fires.

There were no fires of note during the month.

M. W. PETT,
*Chief Officer.*

## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.

Aerated waters and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call: Time of | Call: How received | Alarm given | Locality | District: Municipal | District: Fire | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire: Hours | Time at fire: Minutes | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| July 15 | 2.55 a.m. | Central Police | Station | P 331 off Nanking Rd. | Central | 6 | Chinese Shop | 1 damaged | 9 | | |
| 18 | 12.18 p.m. | Telephone | " | D 20-1 Shantung Rd. | " | 4 | Chinese Shop | 1 damaged | 6 | | |
| 24 | 11.39 p.m. | Street Alarm | " | Sinza/Park Rds. | Western | 7 | | | | 10 | False alarm |
| 25 | 4.40 p.m. | Central Tower | " | Peking/Fokien Rds. | Central | 6 | | | | 15 | " |
| 25 | 5.15 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Off North Szechuen Rd | Outside | | | | | 10 | |
| 26 | 10.30 a.m. | Street Alarm | " | Peking/Chekiang Rds. | Central | 6 | | | | 10 | False alarm |
| 28 | 10.22 a.m. | Central Police | " | D 29-30 Shantung Rd. | " | 4 | Chinese Shop | | 2 | | |
| 31 | 4.45 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | East Yalu/Yuenfong Rds. | Eastern | 1 | | | | 10 | False alarm |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

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sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water, or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and fly proof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承辦利益全份係本局自有權保留之權利

二 所有承攬價目必須開列本人姓名或商號並有本人簽名蓋章

三 行估價之用款本局不承認付款之權

四 所有承攬之人到定之後其承攬人各人及合同覆驗合同覆驗之保證人簽名蓋章

五 所有取得承攬之人須繳付公認之保證金

六 本局承攬明細表內所載之價目及數目若有更改之處須在此表內登明

後明細表內所載之價目及數目若有更改之處須在此表內登明

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所有承攬各項本局自有權保留之權利

所有承攬份係本局自有權保留之權利

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 134 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern Ankle Boots<br>{1,000 pairs to be delivered on or before January 31, 1920<br>{2,000 „ „ „ „ March 31, 1920} | — | October 1 |
| 135 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31 |
| 136 | 100 „ „ „ „ „ 2 „ | — | do. |
| 137 | 2,400 „ „ „ „ „ 3 „ | — | do. |
| 138 | 2,000 „ „ „ „ „ 4 „ | — | do. |
| 139 | 7,000 „ „ Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 140 | 900 „ Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 Thin | — | do. |
| 141 | 400 „ „ „ „ „ 2 Medium | — | do. |
| 142 | 400 „ „ „ „ „ 3 Heavy | — | do. |
| 143 | 200 White Blankets 68×90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 144 | 400 Brown „ 68×90 5-lb. each | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before June 30, 1920. | | |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 506 | Painting at Wayside Police Station | — | August 29 |
| 507 | Painting at Central Police Station | — | September 5 |
| 508 | Painting at No. 42 Woosung Road | — | do. |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2649.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

WITH a view to the provision of facilities for accumulating savings for periodical investment in Municipal Debentures, the Council has sanctioned the establishment of a Municipal Investment Bank.

Deposits will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balances remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear day's notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, September 2, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2641.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FOREIGN CHILDREN.**

THE schools will reopen on Monday, September 8, at 8.30 a.m.

The attention of parents is directed to the following scale of monthly fees:—

*Public School for Boys.*

200 North Szechuen Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Boys over 10 years of age | $12 |
| Boys under 10 years of age | 8 |
| Extra Subject:— | |
| Shorthand | 2 |

*Public School for Girls.*

28 Boone Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Girls over 10 years of age | $12 |
| Girls under 10 years of age | 8 |
| Boys under 8 years of age | 8 |
| Kindergarten | 5 |
| Extra Subjects:— | |
| Piano | 5 |
| Shorthand | 2 |

24 Kungping Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Children under 8 years of age | $8 |
| Kindergarten children | 5 |

88 Avenue Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Girls over 10 years of age | $12 |
| Girls under 10 years of age | 8 |
| Boys under 8 years of age | 8 |
| Kindergarten children | 5 |

Admission to the Avenue Road School is restricted to girls under 15 years of age and to boys under 8 years of age. Admission to the Kungping Road School is restricted to girls and boys under 8 years of age.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*

63 Haskell Road, and

*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*

15 Boone Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Upper School, Boarders | $20 |
| Upper School, Day Scholars | 6 |
| Lower School, Boarders | 18 |
| Lower School, Day Scholars | 5 |

Kindergarten children in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls will be charged the same rates as for the Lower School.

The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions:—

| For a family of | Public Schools | Thomas Hanbury Schools |
|---|---|---|
| 2 children | 20% | $1.20 |
| 3 or more children | 33⅓% | 2.00 |

In the case of children of non-resident parents (the term *non-resident* implies residence in Shanghai of less than six months) an approved guarantee in respect of the payment of fees is requisite before admission to the several schools.

Forms for the admission of new pupils may be obtained on application at the several schools, and should be presented by the new pupils themselves, when attending at the Schools for examination and admission on Friday, September 5, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., except in the case of the Thomas Hanbury Schools for which the hours of attendance will be Monday, September 8, between 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, August 7, 1919.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2643.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHINESE.**

(*Translation.*)

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the winter term on Monday, September 8, at 9 a.m.

Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.

Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads.

Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.

Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25, except for the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $20, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Friday, September 5, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Saturday, September 6, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive and examine new pupils.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 14, 1919.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2644.**

**NORMAL SCHOOL.**

THE Municipal Normal School will re-open for the First Term of the Third Year on Monday, September 15, at 5 p.m., at the Public School for Chinese, Elgin and Cunningham Roads.

*Curriculum.*—Classes will be held in preparation for the Hongkong Matriculation Examination. Lectures will also be given in Elementary Psychology, Theory and Practice of Teaching, Advanced English and Rhetoric.

CLASSES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | 5—6 p.m., | 6—7 p.m., |
| Monday | Theory & Practice of Teaching (3rd year course) | Eng. Composition |
| Tuesday | Theory & Practice of Teaching (2nd year course) | Geography |
| Wednesday | Algebra | Geometry |
| Friday | Rhetoric | Literature |
| | 9—10 a.m., | 10—11 a.m., |
| Saturday | Arithmetic | Drawing |

*Fees.*—Although organized primarily for the Chinese Teachers of English in the Municipal Schools, the Normal School will be open to other teachers on the following terms:—

One subject per term $10
Two or more subjects per term $20

*Length of Term.*—The school-year consists of two terms. The First Term of the Third Year will commence on Monday, September 15, and terminate on Saturday, November 29, 1919.

*Examinations and Certificates:*—An examination will be held at the end of each school year (consisting of two terms) and certificates will be awarded to those who satisfy the examiners.

For the Final Certificate of the Normal School the following qualifications are necessary:—

1. Attendance at the Normal School for three years.
2. The passing of the Hongkong Matriculation Examination, or some equivalent examination.
3. The satisfying of the examiners in the Theory and Practice of Teaching, Psychology, and English.

*N.B.*—At the end of the coming term the Examinations for the Final Certificate will be held.

*Registration.*—The Principal will be in attendance at the Public School for Chinese on Monday, September 15, at 4.30 p.m., to receive fees and to admit students. All fees are payable in advance.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL.
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 21, 1919.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2650.**

**TRANSFER OF DEBENTURES REGISTERED IN CHINESE NAMES.**

THE Council has approved acceptance by the Finance Department of Chinese holders' "chops" in lieu of their signatures on all transfers of Debentures, upon the following conditions:—

(*a*) Holders must signify their wishes in writing and must forward two specimens of each "Chop" to the Treasurer for registration.

(*b*) "Chops" must in every case be witnessed.

By order
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 4, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, September 1, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. W. L. Merriman (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain

*Absent:*

Mr. A. Howard

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

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**Resignation of Member.**

Mr. Ed. White, Vice-Chairman, has tendered the resignation of his seat upon his forthcoming departure from Shanghai.

The Council has recorded an expression of regret at the loss of Mr. White's services, and of their cordial appreciation of his valuable advice and assistance during the past three years as Member of Council, Chairman of the Watch Committee and Vice-Chairman of Council.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Avenue Edward VII.*—Correspondence containing the terms of compensation arranged for the scheduled area of Lot 186:—

Shanghai, May 23, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—Messrs. David Sassoon & Co., Ld. have instructed us to reply to your letter dated April 17, 1919 in which you ask to be informed upon what terms they will be prepared to surrender, should the Council decide to acquire it, that portion of B.C. Lot 175, Cadastral Lot 186, Avenue Edward VII, which is scheduled for acquisition on the official plan of Road Extensions and Widenings, measuring Mow 0.037, and coloured red on the plan accompanying your letter.

Messrs. David Sassoon & Co., Ld. are prepared to surrender the aforesaid piece of land at the assessed rate per mow, namely Tls. 37,000, with an additional ten per cent. for compulsory surrender, and do not admit any betterment to their property.

The claim would be as follows:—

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Mow 0.037 at Tls. 37,000 per mow | 1,369.00 |
| Add ten per cent. for compulsory surrender | 136.90 |
| Total amount of claim would be | 1,505.90 |

Yours faithfully,
MOORHEAD AND HALSE.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, June 6, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 23 on the subject of the surrender from Lot 186 of the area required to widen Avenue Edward VII.

In reply thereto I am directed to inform you that the Council has given consideration to your claim, but considers that the compensation applicable to this surrender should be on the same basis as arranged for Cadastral Lot 120, *vide* Municipal Gazette of August 29, 1918, as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Mow 0.037 at Tls. 37,000 per mow | Tls. 1,369 |
| Less one-third for betterment | 456 |
| | 913 |
| Plus 10 per cent. | 91 |
| | Tls. 1,004 |

I am to express the hope that you will be so good as to signify acceptance of these terms, whereafter deeds of surrender will be forwarded to you for signature.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Messrs. MOORHEAD AND HALSE.

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Shanghai, July 11, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We have for acknowledgement your letter of 6th ultimo in connexion with the surrender from B.C. Lot 175 of the area required to widen the Avenue Edward VII.

In our letter of May 23 we claimed compensation at the assessment rate per mow, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, and made no allowance for betterment.

In your letter the Council offer compensation on the same basis less one-third for betterment.

It must be remembered that the Avenue Edward VII is some 70 or 75 feet wide at the place where this lot is situate.

If you can show wherein the lot will benefit by the addition of about 3 feet to the width of the road the beneficial owner is agreeable to accept compensation on the basis suggested in your letter.

Yours faithfully,

MOORHEAD AND HALSE.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, July 21, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of July 11, with reference to the surrender of the scheduled area of Cadastral Lot 186 required for the Avenue Edward VII.

In reply thereto I am directed to refer you to the Council's letter to yourselves dated August 10, 1918 relative to Lot 61 which reads in part as follows:—

"When consideration is given to the fact that the widening from this property forms a part of the scheme for the Avenue Edward VII improvement, and when the present conditions are compared with those which obtained when the old Sungkiang Road and the insanitary Yangkingpang still remained in existence the contrast is so obvious that, in the members' opinion, it obviates the necessity of advancing further arguments in support of the view that vast improvement therein has since been effected."

It is of course, admitted that the terms of compensation in one case do not necessarily govern the terms payable in another, but as regards the conversion of the former Yangkingpang into a broad commodious thoroughfare, the same principle as to betterment applies whether the area to be surrendered is large or small. In the latter case of course while the value of the betterment may not be so obvious as in the former, the contribution to the improvement represented by the deduction for betterment, bears a similar ratio to the cost of the improvement.

I am directed, therefore, to reaffirm the terms set out in my letter of June 6, and to request that you will be so good as to indicate acceptance thereof.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Messrs. MOORHEAD AND HALSE.

Shanghai, July 29, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We have for acknowledgement your letter of 21st instant with reference to the surrender of the scheduled area of Cadastral Lot 186 required for the Avenue Edward VII.

In reply thereto we beg to say that we are instructed to accept the terms set out in your letter of June 6 last.

Yours faithfully,

MOORHEAD AND HALSE.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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*North Fokien and Tsepoo Roads.*—The offer of the Chinese owner has been accepted, to surrender without compensation an area of Mow 0.102 required for improving the southwest corner of the North Fokien and Tsepoo Roads. The plan of the road and relative deed of surrender have been forwarded as usual through the Senior Consul to the Joint Measurement Office for record.

*East Seward Road.*—The claim of Messrs. Platt, Macleod and Wilson has been accepted for the surrender of the scheduled area of Lot 1165, at the assessed value of Tls. 5,500 per mow, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, or Tls. 1,857 for Mow 0.307.

*Liping and Liangchow Roads.*—The claim of the East Kiangse Mission has been accepted for the surrender of the scheduled area of Lot 6070, at the rate of Tls. 500 per mow.

The land required for Liping Road measures Mow 2.709, and that for Liangchow Road measures Mow 0.674, and the compensation to be paid totals Tls. 1,691.

*Bubbling Well Road.*—The offer of the Chinese owner has been accepted to surrender a piece of unregistered land East of Lot 2588, at the rate of Tls. 2,700 per Mow, plus 10 per cent. with Tls. 611 added for re-instatement, a total sum of Tls. 1,605, in respect of mow 0.335.

*Stonebridge Road.*—Arrangements have been concluded for the free surrender of Mow 0.155 of unregistered land required for this road. The plan of the road and relative deed of surrender have been forwarded as usual through the Senior Consul to the Joint Measurement Office for record.

*Tatung Road.*—The claim of Messrs. Drummond and Holborow has been accepted for the surrender from Lot 1000 of the area required to widen this road to 30 ft. at the assessed value Tls. 7,000 per mow, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender and less one-third for betterment, or a sum of Tls. 1,037 for Mow 0.202.

*Yuyuen Road.*—The claim of Messrs. Seth, Mancell & Company, General Managers of the West End Estates, Ld, has been accepted for the surrender from Lot 2755 of a strip of land required to improve the roadline, measuring Mow 0.054, at the assessed value Tls. 3,000 per mow plus 10 per cent, or a sum of Tls. 178, plus cost of reinstatement of the boundary fences.

**Asphaltum.**

The offer of Messrs. Gibb, Livingston & Co., has been accepted for the supply of 50 tons of asphaltum at Tls. 56 per ton.

**Bundings.**

*Soochow and Yangtszepoo Creeks.*—The Engineer reports that the heavy rains of this summer have caused the bank of the Soochow Creek where it adjoins the Brennan Road to fall away for a length of about 400 ft., and it has become a matter of urgent necessity to construct a dwarf timber bunding to protect the roadway.

The cost of this work is estimated at Tls. 1,500, no provision therefor is contained in the current Budget, but in the circumstances and as a matter of urgency, the work is approved. Similar arrangements are necessary in the case of the Yangtszepoo Creek, where a dwarf timber bunding will be constructed for a length of 300 ft. at an estimated cost of Tls. 900.

**Public Band.**

**The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | Sept. | 8 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | ,, | 9 | 5.30 ,, | ,, ,, |
| ,, | ,, | 9 | 9.00 ,, | Race Club Enclosure |
| Wed. | ,, | 10 | 5.30 ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | ,, | 11 | 9.00 ,, | ,, |
| Fri. | ,, | 12 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| ,, | ,, | 12 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |
| Sat. | ,, | 13 | 5.30 ,, | Public Recreation Ground |
| ,, | ,, | 13 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |

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**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, August 31, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| *Cholera | 1 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 22 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 7 | 6 |
| *Acute Diarrhoea | 3 | 19 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 5 | 222 |

*Cholera vibrio not found.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 155 | Nanking | Palmer & Turner | | | altns. |
| 23 | Peking | R. E. Stewardson | | | altns. |
| 54D | Szechuen | do. | | | altns. |
| 1014 | Broadway | do. | | | addns. |
| 2390 | Chinwangtao | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | 2 godowns |
| 1070 | Kungping & Broadway | E. Yih Van Shing | | | 2 sheds |
| 5105 | Lay | R. E. Stewardson | | | workshop, godown and quarters |
| 2620 | Yangtszepoo | S. J. Powell | | | car shed |
| 6044 | do. | China Import and Export Lumber Co., Ld. | | | drying kilns |
| 6015 | do. | Y. Ohara | | | workshop |
| 1977 | Chengtu | E. A. Barnard | | | altns. |
| 6202 | Kiaochow | R. E. Stewardson | | | factory and offices |
| 4559 | W. Soochow | Sing Yuen | | | godown |
| 4600 | do. | V. C. Lee | | | godown, kitchen & latrins |
| 2321 | Yates | Wong Chi Ju | | | addns. |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 698 | Chekiang | Wang Yung Kee | 10 | | |
| 135 | Peking | Tong Von Kee | 5 | | |
| 835 | Tiendong & Chapoo | Eastern Construction Co. | 79 | | |
| 435 | Wuchow | Tsin Kee | 8 | | |
| 462 | Avenue | G. R. Grove & Co. | | | altns. |
| Unreg. E of 2588 | B'bling Well | Zee Vai Ching | 4 | | |
| Unreg. W of 1504 | Mandalay | Chang Tung Kee | | | temple |
| Unreg. W of 6027 5760 | Penang | Chiao Shun Kee | 67 | | |

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, AUGUST 30.

*Fire Brigade.*—Mr. J. Donalds, Recruit Fireman on probation, was permitted to terminate his service on August 15.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. T. W. R. Wilson, Surveying Assistant, returned from war service, resumed duty on August 11.

Mr. P. MacManus is appointed Assistant Inspector on three months' probation from August 25.

Mr. R. L. Wall, Architectural Assistant, returned from war service, resumed duty on August 22.

Mr. J. O. L. Martin, returned from war service, is re-engaged as Clerical Assistant from August 10.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. C. F. Davis, temporary Assistant in the Meter Department, was permitted to terminate his service on August 18.

*Educational Department.*—Mr. G. C. Stockton is appointed Assistant Master in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, under an agreement terminable at three months' notice, from September 8.

## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.

Aerated waters and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water, or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and fly proof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Parks and Open Spaces.

*Report for June and July.*

During the greater part of June and the first 16 days of July, rain fell almost daily. For three weeks on end, mowing was impossible; consequently, the lawns presented a neglected appearance, whilst playing of games was impossible; planting flower beds had to be discontinued and numbers of seedling plants, and newly planted trees and shrubs in low lying spots were asphyxiated; agricultural crops—cotton in particular—suffered considerably so that good returns can scarcely be anticipated.

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On the other hand, road-side trees benefited immensely and have made exceptionally good growth, and the lawns are in excellent condition; especially those on the Bund, which for the past ten years, have been annually trodden bare in places, but which this year are nearly perfect.

Two new Lawn Bowl Greens in Wayside Park were opened on July 26 by Mr. and Mrs. White. The opening ceremony was attended by 450 people and the general appearance of the greens met with approval. The interest taken in those greens not only emphasizes the growing popularity of this game, but, moreover, the wisdom of providing greens within a reasonable distance of the residences of players.

The fact that during the Summer months, 96 persons can daily obtain recreation on two greens each 125 feet by 125 feet, indicates that the cost of land for this purpose is small in comparison with the pleasure derived therefrom; further, these greens form ideal small breathing spaces in residential districts. From the Park census taken on July 27, it is apparent that they contribute largely to the pleasures of the life of the foreign community.

*Census of Visitors, July 27.*

| | Ladies | Gentlemen | Children |
|---|---|---|---|
| Public Garden | 1,462 | 2,954 | 1,086 |
| Bund Foreshore | 248 | 1,248 | 258 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 204 | 915 | 405 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 279 | 591 | 137 |
| Wayside Park | 106 | 203 | 152 |
| Studley ,, | 40 | 25 | 75 |
| The Point Garden | 50 | 220 | 87 |
| Brenan Piece | 198 | 398 | 95 |
| Quinsan Square | 305 | 431 | 481 |
| Jessfield Park | 193 | 206 | 58 |
| | 3,085 | 7,191 | 2,834 |

JUNE.

*Roadside Trees.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Pruned | 4,190 |
| Fastened | 273 |
| Staked | 177 |
| Transplanted | 7 |
| Tree-borers destroyed | 393 |

*New Roads.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Trees planted | 5 |
| ,, fastened | 443 |
| ,, staked | 140 |

*Road Widenings.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Trees transplanted | 7 |

*Nurseries.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Shrubs transplanted | 1,730 |
| Plants ,, | 13,665 |
| Young trees pruned | 240 |
| Various cuttings inserted | 2,750 |
| Turf laid | 420 fong |

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players. |
|---|---|
| Golf | 819 |
| Tennis (623 courts) | 2,492 |
| Lawn Bowls | 226 |
| Baseball | 198 |
| Total No. of players | 3,735 |
| ,, non-players | 7,027 |
| ,, Visitors | 10,762 |

*Turf laid at:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Quinsan Square | 20 fong |
| Yuyuen Road | 34 ,, |
| Yuyuen Road Piece | 10 ,, |
| | 64 fong |

*Trees fastened and staked at:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Victoria Nursing Home | 52 trees |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | 25 ,, |
| Hongkew Police Station | 2 ,, |

*Shrubs transplanted at Public Garden* 1,000

*Plants bedded out at:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Reserve Garden | 3,324 |
| Public Garden | 6,730 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 2,240 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 1,300 |
| Wayside Park | 1,670 |
| Quinsan Square | 1,610 |
| Secretariat | 1,010 |
| Public School for Boys | 150 |
| Public School for Girls | 1,100 |
| Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese | 800 |
| Public School for Girls (Western District) | 210 |
| Public School for Girls (Kungping Road) | 200 |
| Hongkew Police Station | 930 |
| Sinza Police Station | 530 |
| | 21,804 |

Lawns mowed at Reserve and Public Gardens, Hongkew and Public Recreation Grounds, Jessfield, Wayside and Studley Parks, The Point Garden, Bund and Soochow Road Foreshores, Quinsan Square, Cathedral Compound, Bubbling Well and Wayside Carriage Turns, Warren, Brenan, Hart and Yuyuen Road Pieces, Victoria Nursing Home, Isolation Hospital, Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, Public Schools for Boys, for Girls and for Chinese, Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Kungping Road Public School, Public School for Girls in Western District, Municipal Gaol and Reformatory, Sinza, Louza, Wayside, Yangtszepoo, Bubbling Well, Hongkew, Harbin Road, Gordon Road and North Szechuen Road Police Stations, No. 209 Bubbling Well Road and No. 76 Yangtszepoo Road, Police Quarters.

*Privet flowers removed* in Bubbling Well, Tongshan, Weihaiwei, Chusan, Yangtszepoo, Yuyuen, Thorburn, Kungping, Avenue, Sinza, Jessfield, Connaught, Yuenmingyuen, Great Western, Tungting, North Szechuen, Ferry and Medhurst Roads.

JULY.

*Roadside trees:*

| | |
|---|---|
| Pruned | 5,169 |
| Staked | 181 |
| Fastened | 326 |
| Topdressed | 15 |
| Tree-borers destroyed | 683 |

Privet flowers removed in Yuyuen and North Szechuen Roads.

*Nurseries:*

| | |
|---|---|
| Shrubs transplanted | 1,300 |
| Seedling plants trans- | |
| Turf laid on Hungjao Road | 10 fong |

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Golf | 784 |
| Tennis (390 Courts) | 3,231 |
| Lawn Bowls | 228 |
| Baseball | 342 |
| Total No. of players | 4,585 |
| ,, non-players | 10,208 |
| | 14,793 |

*Plants bedded out at:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Reserve Garden | 684 |
| Public Garden | 5,634 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 1,100 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 740 |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | 300 |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Girls | 200 |
| Nos. 34 and 35 Boone Road | 238 |
| | 8,896 |

Lawns mowed at Reserve and Public Gardens; Public and Hongkew Recreation Grounds; Jessfield, Wayside and Studley Parks; Bubbling Well and Wayside Carriage Turns; Warren, Hart, Yuyuen and Brenan Pieces; Cathedral Compound; Quinsan Square; The Point Garden; Bund and Soochow Road Foreshores; Secretariat; Victoria Nursing Home; Isolation Hospital; Municipal Gaol and Reformatory; Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese; Public Schools for Boys, for Girls and for Chinese; Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese; Thomas Hanbury School for Boys; Kungping Road Public School; Public School for Girls in Western District and Play-ground; Bubbling Well, Sinza, Louza, Hongkew, Yangtszepoo, Wayside, Gordon and Harbin Roads Police Stations; Carter Road and 76 Yangtszepoo Road Police Quarters.

(Signed) D. MACGREGOR,

*Superintendent.*

Countersigned:

CHAS. H. GODFREY,

*Engineer and Surveyor.*

**Municipal Publications.**

The undermentioned publications may be obtained upon application at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund:—

Land Regulations and Byelaws for the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, North of the Yangkingpang... 1907 $1.00

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Handbook of Local Regulations. Containing Land Regulations and Bye-laws, conditions, security and fees attached to the issue of licences; Municipal Regulations and other information ... ... 1918 $2.50

Annual Reports and Financial Statements for the following years, with the Budget for the year ensuing ... 1907-1918 each 4.00

Reports of Ratepayers' Meetings ... 1878-1909 each 0.10

Land Assessment Schedules. Containing the consular and cadastral numbers of lots, registered owners, areas and values, with plans in four parts, one to each district... 1916 each $1.50

Rules with respect to New Foreign and Chinese Buildings ... ... 1918 1.00

Plans accompanying Land Assessment Schedules 1916 each 1.00

Plan of Shanghai. Shewing Foreign and French Settlements, and surrounding districts. Size 4′ 4″ × 2′ 3″. Scale 1,000 feet 1913.
Unmounted ... ... Tls. 5.00
Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... 7.00

Plan of the Country North of Foreign Settlement of Shanghai. Shewing existing roads and consular lots. Size 9′ 0″ × 4′ 10″. Scale 200 feet ... 1907.
Unmounted ... ... Tls. 20.00
Mounted on linen... 27.00
Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... 35.50

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

### CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

### 工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局合用之章程及公開列於下

二 未有定價之承攬本局有權取消一切承攬之權

三 行文之用語須用英文

四 所有人到達承攬之日期須在本局之信箱內

五 所有人須將本人之姓名及住址寫明

六 所有承攬之信件須用信封密封

清單送來之前以便在江西路工部局二號信箱內

二時辦理

部局有權取消一切承攬之權

面寫其承攬事件

淑明承攬之信件須寫明

所有承攬之信件須寫明

此信件須在工部局二號信箱內

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2649.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

WITH a view to the provision of facilities for accumulating savings for periodical investment in Municipal Debentures, the Council has sanctioned the establishment of a Municipal Investment Bank.

Deposits will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balances remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(c) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 2, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2644.**

**NORMAL SCHOOL.**

THE Municipal Normal School will re-open for the First Term of the Third Year on Monday, September 15, at 5 p.m., at the Public School for Chinese, Elgin and Cunningham Roads.

*Curriculum.*—Classes will be held in preparation for the Hongkong Matriculation Examination. Lectures will also be given in Elementary Psychology, Theory and Practice of Teaching, Advanced English and Rhetoric.

CLASSES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Monday | 5—6 p.m., Theory & Practice of Teaching (3rd year course) | 6—7 p.m., Eng. Composition |
| Tuesday | Theory & Practice of Teaching (2nd year course) | Geography |
| Wednesday | Algebra | Geometry |
| Friday | Rhetoric | Literature |
| | 9—10 a.m., | 10—11 a.m., |
| Saturday | Arithmetic | Drawing |

*Fees.*—Although organized primarily for the Chinese Teachers of English in the Municipal Schools, the Normal School will be open to other teachers on the following terms:—

One subject per term $10
Two or more subjects per term $20

*Length of Term.*—The school-year consists of two terms. The First Term of the Third Year will commence on Monday, September 15, and terminate on Saturday, November 29, 1919.

*Examinations and Certificates:*—An examination will be held at the end of each school year (consisting of two terms) and certificates will be awarded to those who satisfy the examiners.

For the Final Certificate of the Normal School the following qualifications are necessary:—

1. Attendance at the Normal School for three years.
2. The passing of the Hongkong Matriculation Examination, or some equivalent examination.
3. The satisfying of the examiners in the Theory and Practice of Teaching, Psychology, and English.

*N.B.*—At the end of the coming term the Examinations for the Final Certificate will be held.

*Registration.*—The Principal will be in attendance at the Public School for Chinese on Monday, September 15, at 4.30 p.m., to receive fees and to admit students. All fees are payable in advance.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 21, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2650.**

**TRANSFER OF DEBENTURES REGISTERED IN CHINESE NAMES.**

THE Council has approved acceptance by the Finance Department of Chinese holders' "chops" in lieu of their signatures on all transfers of Debentures, upon the following conditions:—

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(a) Holders must signify their wishes in writing and must forward two specimens of their "Chop" to the Treasurer for registration.

(b) "Chops" must in every case be witnessed.

By order

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 4, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2651.**

**CLOSE SEASON FOR GAME.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the close season for pheasants, deer, hare and partridges will expire on September 30.

No prohibition attaches to the sale of snipe, quail, woodcock, and wild fowl.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai September 11, 1919.

### Consular Body.

A letter from Mr. A. Ariyoshi, Consul-General for Japan, informs the Council that he has handed over charge of the Consulate-General to Mr. K. Yamasaki with effect from September 5.

### Arbitration Proceedings.

*Case of Suye Harayama.*—Petition in the Court of Consuls and Answer with subsequent proceedings in Arbitration and Arbitration Award:—

Shanghai, April 2, 1919.

SIR,—I beg to forward copy of a petition which has been filed in the above Court against your Council by Messrs. Fleming and Davies, Solicitors for the Plaintiff in the above suit.

An answer should be filed in this Court within 14 days from this date.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. D. BLACKBURN,
*Acting Secretary, Court of Consuls.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

PETITION.

The petition of **Suye Harayama**, plaintiff herein, respectfully represents to this Honourable Court as follows:—

1.—That plaintiff is a Japanese subject residing within the International Foreign Settlement at Shanghai, China, and is the widow of the late Takashi Harayama, who was killed on July 19, 1918, at said Shanghai at the place and in the manner hereinafter set forth.

2.—That said Takashi Harayama was, prior to his death, the proprietor of a drapery store situated at No. 166 Woosung Road, Shanghai, China, and at said time resided with his wife, the plaintiff herein, and an adopted son of the said Takashi Harayama and the plaintiff, one Fukutaro Harayama, aged 15 years, in the second story of the premises situated at No. 166 Woosung Road as aforesaid.

3.—That the police force functioning within the International Foreign Settlement at Shanghai is appointed and controlled by the Shanghai Municipal Council, and is under the immediate supervision and control of a Captain Superintendent and certain assistants; that the International Foreign Settlement at Shanghai is divided for police purposes into certain districts and that one of said districts is known as the Hongkew District; that each district is under the direct charge of an Inspector of Police, assisted by one or more Sub-Inspectors and Police Sergeants; that the said force is divided into different branches known as the "Foreign", "Chinese", "Sikh" and "Japanese": and that at the time of the incidents hereinafter mentioned sections of all of said branches of the police force were assigned for duty in the said District of Hongkew.

4.—That on the 19th day of July, 1918, certain Chinese Police Constables, 40 or more in number, who had been on duty on the public roads of the International Settlement of Shanghai in the Municipal Police District of Hongkew in said International Settlement, under the orders and control of Captain Superintendent of Police of said Settlement and his assistants and the Inspector, Sub-Inspectors and other superior officers of said Police District, and while in uniform and many of them armed with rifles, batons and other weapons, wrongfully left their posts of duty in various parts of said District and in breach of their duty as such Police Constables assembled at or near the intersection of Woosung and Boone Roads in said District at a place known as the Hongkew Market; that the said Chinese Police Constables so assembled were at or about the hour of 11.45 on said 19th day of July, 1918, joined by about 70 more Chinese Police Constables of the Municipal Police force of said Settlement and who were assigned for duty in the said District and attached to the said Station; that said last mentioned Chinese Police Constables were in the uniform of the Municipal Police of said Settlement carrying batons but without the usual fire arms supplied to the said Chinese Police Constables and said last mentioned Chinese Police Constables had wrongfully left the said Station in breach of their duty as Police Constables of said Settlement: that said first mentioned and said last mentioned Police Constables formed themselves into a mob at said Hongkew Market and armed as aforesaid engaged in a riot with the common evil and malicious intent and design of terrifying, injuring and killing peaceful Japanese residents of said District and of injuring and destroying their property.

5.—That thereafter the said Police Constables without lawful excuse and pursuant to said conspiracy and in furtherance of said unlawful, evil and malicious intent and design and as a mob and while engaged in such riot rushed through the public roads of said Police District attacking, striking, beating, shooting and attempting to injure and kill peaceful Japanese residents of said District and destroying and attempting to destroy their property.

6.—That at the time when said mob was formed and said riot commenced by said Police Constables the said Takashi Harayama was asleep at his place of abode as aforesaid and was awakened by the noise created by said mob proceeding from the said market place along Woosung Road in said District in a northerly direction; that the said Takashi Harayama left his bed and with the plaintiff herein went out upon the veranda of the second story of said building in order to ascertain what was creating the disturbance in the said road; that while upon his said premises and so engaged he received two mortal wounds from bullets discharged from a rifle or rifles in the hands of one or more of said Police Constables, said Police Constables being at the time a part of the mob as aforesaid and engaged in a riot as aforesaid and pursuant to the unlawful and evil intent and design hereinbefore alleged: that from said wounds received as aforesaid the said Takashi Harayama did soon thereafter die.

7.—Plaintiff alleges that the acts and conduct of the said Police Constables resulting in the death of the said Takashi Harayama as aforesaid were wrongful and unlawful and without justification, extenuation or excuse.

8.—Plaintiff further alleges that for several days previous to the time when said Chinese Police Constables formed said mob and engaged in said riot unrest among the Chinese Police Constables in said District was known to the Captain Superintendent of Police, his assistants, the Inspector, Sub-Inspectors and other superior officers in charge of the division of the Police forces of the said Settlement stationed in the Hongkew District; and plaintiff further alleges that the said Shanghai Municipal Council through its duly appointed agents and representatives, the said Captain Superintendent of Police, his assistants, the Inspector, Sub-Inspectors and other superior officers in charge of the division of the Police forces of the said Settlement stationed in the said District, were negligent in the performance of their duties as police officers of the Municipal Government of the International Settlement of Shanghai in not taking proper measures to safeguard the persons and property of Japanese and other residents within the said Police District; that if said proper measures had been taken in time the said Takashi Harayama would not have been killed through the forming of said mob of Police Constables and the resulting riot as aforesaid.

9.—As a result of the death of said Takashi Harayama in the

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manner and under the circumstances aforesaid the plaintiff has been damaged in the sum of Tls. 15,000, Shanghai Sycee.

*Wherefore plaintiff prays:—*

That said defendant be required to answer this petition, and upon a hearing and determination of plaintiff's claim she may have judgment against the said Shanghai Municipal Council for the said sum of Tls. 15,000 Shanghai Sycee, together with costs, and for such other, further or different relief as to this Honourable Court may seem meet.

FLEMING & DAVIES,
T. KIKUCHI,
T. MURAKAMI,
N. C. HOME,
*Counsels for Plaintiff.*

Dated:
Shanghai, China March 31, 1919.

ANSWER.

The Answer of the Defendants to the Petition of the Plaintiffs shows as follows:—

1.—The Defendants admit that one Harayama a Japanese subject was killed on the 19th July, 1918, at Shanghai, but not that he was killed as alleged in the Plaintiff's Petition.

2.—The Defendants admit that at all times material to this Action a dry goods business was carried on at No. 166 Woosung Road in the name of Harayama. Otherwise they have no knowledge of and do not admit the matters alleged in paragraph 2 of the Petition.

3.—The Defendants admit paragraph 3 of the Petition.

4.—With regard to Paragraph 8 of the Petition the Defendants deny that any of the Police Officers referred to in the said paragraph was negligent as therein alleged in the performance of his duties or that such alleged negligence caused or contributed to the death of the said Harayama, or gave rise to any liability on the part of the Defendants. And with regard to the other matters alleged in the Petition including the matters admitted above the Defendants say that such matters in so far as they are relevant to the said allegation of negligence or to the consequences thereof or to the liability of the Defendants consist of statements of the evidence proposed to be adduced by the Plaintiff and are not to be answered by the Defendants at the present time and otherwise are irrelevant inasmuch as they neither disclose nor support any cause of action against the Defendants.

Dated the 15th day of April, 1919.

HANSON MCNEILL, JONES & WRIGHT,
*Counsel for the Defendants.*

Shanghai, June 27, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—In consequence of the departure on home leave of Sir Everard Fraser, one of the Judges of the Court of Consuls, it becomes necessary to consider what course is to be pursued with regard to the above case, which at present stands adjourned *sine die.*

The possible alternatives are the following:—

(1) to discontinue the case until Sir Everard Fraser's return to China, which will probably be about the end of this year,

(2) to await the election of a new judge and recommence *de novo.*

(3) to await the election of a new judge, who will sit with the two remaining judges, the hearing being continued from the point now reached, and the record of the evidence taken by the Secretary to the Court being accepted as authentic for the guidance of the newly elected judge.

(4) to continue the case in the nature of an arbitration before the remaining two judges.

It is recognized that the adoption of certain of these proposals would necessitate the consent previously obtained of the parties, and I am therefore directed by the Court to bring these alternatives to your notice and to call a meeting in Chambers of Counsel and the two Judges to consider and choose between the above alternatives.

I will communicate with you later regarding the date and time of the meeting.

I am,
Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
A. D. BLACKBURN,
*Secretary to the Court.*

Messrs. HANSON, MCNEILL, JONES & WRIGHT.

In giving careful consideration to this matter, the Council decided to request the Legal Adviser to place before the Court their view that if the petitioner would agree to continue the case before the two remaining members of the Court, sitting as Arbitrators merely to assess the amount of compensation which in their opinion was reasonable, having due regard to the Council's offer made without prejudice, and without admission of any question as to liability or of the principles involved, the Council would abide by their decision. Should the petitioner not accept this proposal, the Council would urge a hearing *de novo*, before a reconstituted Court, since in their opinion, the principles involved were so important and far reaching, that were the case continued from the point where the hearing was adjourned, any new Judge who had not been present at the earlier part of the proceedings would in their opinion be placed in an unfair position in arriving at what might or might not have been in the mind of his predecessor.

The subsequent arbitration agreement and award follow:—

ARBITRATION AGREEMENT.

Whereas on the 31st day of March 1919, an action was instituted in the Court of Consuls against the Shanghai Municipal Council by Suye Harayama claiming Tls. 15,000 damages for the alleged killing of her late husband Takahashi Harayama by a member or members of the Police Force employed by the said Council. And Whereas after the said action was part heard Sir Everard Fraser, K.C.M.G., Consul-General for Great Britain, one of the Judges of the said Court was obliged to resign his office owing to his departure from China whereby great difficulties have arisen in proceeding with the case And Whereas it has been agreed that the said claim should be referred to arbitration in manner and subject as hereinafter mentioned.

Now it is hereby agreed as follows:—

1.—It shall be referred to D. Siffert, Esquire, Consul-General for Belgium, and T. Raaschou, Esquire, Consul-General for Denmark, to determine and award what sum is to be paid by the Shanghai Municipal Council to the said Suye Harayama in respect of the death of Takahashi Harayama.

2.—For the purpose of disposing of the case and the arbitration hereby superimposed thereon but not otherwise the S.M.C. admits that Takahashi Harayama was killed and without any admission of liability on its part agrees to pay forthwith and the said Suye Harayama agrees to accept in full settlement of the said claim such sum as the Arbitrators may award to the aforesaid Suye Harayama as if the Shanghai Municipal Council had in fact accepted responsibility for the death of the said Takahashi Harayama.

3.—The parties agree to be bound by such order as to costs as the Arbitrators may make.

4.—The Arbitrators shall hear Counsel for both parties as to the amount to be awarded under paragraph 2 hereof.

Dated at Shanghai the 11th day of August, 1919.

(Signed by) SUYE HARAYAMA.

The Common Seal of the Shanghai Municipal Council was hereunto affixed in the presence of:—

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

ARBITRATION AWARD.

The defendants to pay to the plaintiff four thousand six hundred and eighty Mex. dollars for damages nine hundred dollars for costs and Two hundred and Ninety one dollars for Court fees.

Shanghai, 4th September, 1919.

D. SIFFERT,
T. RAASCHOU,
*Arbitrators.*

**Municipal Properties.**

*Isolation Hospital.*—In accordance with the correspondence which follows, directions have been given to refer the question of the compensation payable for the piece of unregistered land North of Lot 1135 for settlement by the Land Commissioners.

Shanghai, May 16, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—With regard to the negotiations that have ensued concerning the acquisition of unregistered land north of Cadastral Lot 1135 required for the Isolation Hospital Extension, I beg to in-

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form you that the Council is prepared to pay you the sum of Tls. 9,126 in full settlement of your claim. I shall be obliged if you will inform me whether this arrangement is acceptable.

Yours faithfully,

C. HARPUR,
*Acting Engineer & Surveyor.*

FEE KING-SHAN, Esq.

*Translation of letter from Mr. Fee King-shan to the Municipal Engineer dated May 27, 1919.*

In reference to your letter re Fearon Road Hospital at Yalu Road, I beg to inform you that my land measures Mow 1.089. On this land there are 12 houses. These houses cost me over Tls. 6,000 to build, and if pulled down cannot be rebuilt as there is no further ground. I therefore ask Tls. 16,000 for the land and houses and will pay the title deed fees.

As I live on the rental of this property I shall be grateful for your kindly help in this matter.

I hear that for Mrs. Yang's land 7 fun and houses in Woosung Road and Mrs. Kaman's land 5 fun and houses, both received Tls. 14,000 a few years ago, in surrendering to the Council, so please treat my case equally.

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 30, 1919.

SIR,—With reference to your letter of May 27 to the Municipal Engineer on the subject of your piece of land measuring Mow 1.089, I am directed to state that the Council is unable to increase the offer conveyed to you by the Acting Engineer of Tls. 9,126 in full settlement of your claim, and to inform you that it will be requisite, if you are not willing to accept this offer, for this claim to be referred for settlement by the Land Commissioners.

I am directed, therefore, to inform you that application will be made forthwith to the Land Commissioners to fix a date and hour for the hearing of this case, with a view to a decision on the subject in the near future.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

FEE KING-SHAN, Esq.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Chekiang Road.* — Negotiations have been concluded with Messrs. Algar & Co., Ld., for the surrender of the scheduled area of Lot 698 on the following terms:—

Area required to widen Chekiang Road to 30 feet.

| | Tls. | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Mow 0.039 at Tls. 19,000 per mow | 741 | |
| Less 1/3rd for betterment | 247 | |
| | 494 | |
| Plus 10 per cent. | 49 | 543 |

Remaining area required for 40 ft. road.

| | Tls. | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Mow 0.068 at Tls. 19,000 per mow | 1,292 | |
| Plus 10 per cent. | 129 | 1,421 |
| | | 1,964 |

*Bubbling Well Road.*—Claims by the Chinese owners concerned have been arranged, for the acquisition of the remaining land required to connect this road to the Tifeng Road as follows:—

Claim No. 1.

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Mow 0.306 at Tls. 2,700 per mow | 826 |
| Plus 10 per cent. | 83 |
| | 909 |
| Plus compensation for removal and reinstatement of 7 fong of houses | 233 |
| | 1,142 |

Claim No. 2.

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Mow 0.067 at Tls. 2,700 per mow | 181 |
| Plus 10 per cent. | 18 |
| | 199 |
| Plus compensation for removal and reinstatement of 5 fong of houses | 200 |
| Tls. | 399 |

*Medhurst Road.*—The claim of the Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. has been accepted for the surrender of the scheduled area of Lot 2950, at the assessed value of Tls. 5,000 per mow, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, or Tls. 852 for Mow 0.155, with reinstatement of fences and hedges.

**Drainage.**

*Tszepang.*—Letter from Messrs. Sung Tai-chi and others with reply as directed, for general information:—

Shanghai, July 23, 1919.

SIR,—The undersigned taxpayers, residents of Burkill Road and Tatung Road, residing in the neighbourhood of the creek crossing Burkill Road and running through Tatung Road, respectfully suggest that, as this creek serves no useful purpose as regards navigation for small boats and is little more than an open drain which has become a serious public nuisance and a menace to the health of the district through which the creek passes, it is advisable that the creek should be culverted as soon as possible.

We respectfully beg to suggest that an investigation be made by the Municipal Council in connexion with this matter, the result of which we feel sure will be to confirm our opinion as to the desirability of culverting the creek in question.

We are, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,

SUNG TAI-CHI (孫泰圻)
581 Burkill Road.
LI KUNG-TO (李公度)
30 Burkill Road.
LIU YUEN-CHI (劉原之)
652 Burkill Road.
YI SZE-HENG (葉子衡)
35 Burkill Road.
JEN PAH-HSIEN (任伯軒)
505 Tatung Road.
黃勝白
501 Tatung Road.
席子佩
Tatung Road.
SHEN TUN-HO,
34 Burkill Road.
F. W. CLIFTON,
1 Tatung Road.
R. NATHAN,
3 Tatung Road.
A. M. BURKE SCOTT (Mrs.)
4 Tatung Road.

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 23, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of July 25, on the subject of the desirability of culverting the Tszepang Creek, and, in reply, to inform you and your co-signatories that it is impossible to carry out any culverting work on the creek in question during the current year, but that the matter will receive consideration when the Estimates for 1920 are under discussion. I am also directed to state that instructions have been given for dredging to be carried out in the meantime with a view to remedying, as far as possible, the present condition of the creek.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

SUNG TAI-CHI, Esq., and others.

**Police Force.**

*Foreign Branch, Quarters.*—The lease from the Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. of No. 136 Dixwell Road has been renewed for a further period of three years terminating on August 31, 1922.

**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, September 7, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 25 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 4 |
| *Acute Diarrhoea | 2 | 29 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 236 |

*No Cholera vibrios found.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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### Education.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*—The Headmaster reports the following successes obtained by boys in this School in the Essay Competition organized by the Shanghai Horticultural Society in May last:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Senior | F. Viccajee | 2nd Prize |
| Junior | H. Whittaker | 2nd Prize |

### Public Band.

**The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | Sept. 15 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | „ 16 | 5.30 | „ „ „ |
| „ | „ 16 | 9.00 | „ Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | „ 17 | 9.00 | „ Public Garden |
| Thurs. | „ 18 | 9.00 | „ „ |
| Fri. | „ 19 | 5.30 | „ Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| „ | „ 19 | 9.00 | „ Public Garden |
| Sat. | „ 20 | 5.30 | „ Public Recreation Ground |
| „ | „ 20 | 9.00 | „ Public Garden |

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6.

*Police Force.*—The transfer of the following Constables to be Warders is authorized with effect from August 29:—

J. Cosson
G. W. Dudley
P. A. Emery
H. J. Hooper
B. Silliss
H. J. Taylor

Probationary Warder W. Dobinson is dismissed the Force from August 24.

Mr. R. M. J. Martin, Assistant Commissioner of Police, returned from war service, resumed duty on August 12.

Sergeants A. J. P. Coghlan, E. L. Gladwish and E. E. Pilbeam, returned from war service, resumed duty on June 25.

*Health Department.*—Chief Inspector H. Bland, returned from war service, resumed duty on August 11.

Dr. R. A. P. Hill is appointed Assistant Health Officer from August 24.

*Public Works Department.*—Inspector J. Lamont, returned from war service, resumed duty on August 23.

Mr. J. O. L. Martin, Clerical Assistant, is permitted to terminate his service on September 10.

*Electricity Department.*—Miss M. Cowen is appointed Stenographer and Typist on three months' probation from August 18.

*Public Band.*—Mr. M. Paci is appointed conductor on six months' probation from September 1.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. H. F. Lord is appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, from September 30.

Mr. G. L. Aitchison is appointed Assistant Master in the Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, from August 24.

### 7% Loan 1919.

**The following are details of the amounts subscribed to the current year's loan, as on September 9, 1919:—**

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | Tls. 50,000 | | |
| One Investor of | „ 47,000 | | |
| Nippon Yusen Kaisha | „ 40,000 | | |
| Osaka Shosen Kaisha | „ 20,000 | | |
| Nisshin Kisen Kaisha | „ 20,000 | | |
| One Investor of | „ 20,000 | | |
| One „ | „ 15.000 | | |
| One „ | „ 14,300 | | |
| One „ | „ 14,000 | | |
| Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha, Ld. | „ 13,000 | | |
| Mitsubishi Bank, Ld. | „ 13,000 | | |
| Shanghai Paper Mill | „ 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | „ 12,500 | | |
| Estate of R. W. Shaw, deceased | „ 12.400 | | |
| One Investor of | „ 12,000 | | |
| H. L. Hayward | „ 11,000 | | |
| One Investor of | „ 10,600 | | |
| Shanghai Produce and Stock Exchange, Ld. | „ 10,000 | | |
| C. Itoh & Co., Ld. | „ 10,000 | | |
| International Savings Society | „ 10,000 | | |
| Japan China Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. | „ 10,000 | | |
| Nippon Menkwa Kabushiki Kaisha | „ 10,000 | | |
| F. A. Kennedy | „ 10.000 | | |
| Suzuki & Co. | „ 10,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | „ 20,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 427,800 | |
| 203 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | „ 292,500 | |
| 229 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 720,300 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Shanghai Benevolent Industrial Institution | Tls. 100,000 | | |
| Yung Tsung King | „ 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | „ 25,000 | | |
| Chek Sou Char | „ 15,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 15,000 | „ 30,000 | | |
| Hang-Kee | „ 10,000 | | |
| Sisson Nie and/or Mrs. Isabella Nie | „ 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 230,000 | |
| 38 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | „ 83,700 | |
| 46 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 313,700 |
| | | | Total Tls. 1,034,000 |

E. F. GOODALL,
*Treasurer.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 54c | Bund | Atkinson and Dallas, Ld. | | | addns. and altns. |
| 41B | Kiukiang | Y. Hirano | | | latrine |
| 23 | Peking | Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. | | | water-closet system |
| 80 | Szechuen | S. A. Hardoon | | | altns. |
| Unreg. W of 464 | Boone | Palmer & Turner | 1 | | boundary wall |
| 393 | Sing Dong Ka Loong | do. | 1 | | do. |
| 7070 7071 | Ningkuo | H.W. Barrows | | | block. qrtrs. |
| 3612 | Thorburn | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | laundry |
| 2470 | Whashing | Heng Fong Cotton Mfg. Co. | | | mill |
| 2786 | Yangtszepoo | K.T.J. Pugh | | | godown |
| 6015 | do. | Palmer & Turner | | | latrine |
| 6001 | do. | do. | | | office |
| 2321 | Yates | Wong Chi Yu | | | add |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 258 | Honan and Hankow | H.M. Cumine | | | altns. |
| 495 | Tientsin | Dowdall and Read | 3 | | |
| 835 | Tiendong & Chapoo | Eastern Construction Co. | 79 | | |
| 2680 | Baikal | Chien Fah Kee | 4 | | |
| Unreg. N of 5850 | Penang | Tsin Han Chen | 2 | | |

### Health Officer's Report for August.

The severe outbreak of choleraic diarrhœa reached its apex during the last week of July and the first week of August, after which it has rapidly declined. During the weeks ending August 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31 the number of Chinese deaths from choleraic diarrhœa were 150, 102, 27, 24 and 19; while among the resident foreign community there were 7 fatal cases among Japanese and 3 among Europeans.

The disease has been reported in so many parts of China that it may be considered to be general. Efforts were made to ascertain whether progression from place to place was such as would point to conveyance of infection from one place to another after a primary introduction from outside the country. The difficulty in obtaining reliable health data in China is extreme. Even statements that a particular city has remained free must be accepted

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with caution. So far no definite spread as of a disease introduced from without seems discoverable. It is more probable that the disease is endemic in Shanghai and many other parts of China, that cases occur every summer, and that when certain conditions synchronise the disease becomes epidemic.

There can be no doubt that the disease presents symptoms like those of Cholera Asiatica, that it is infective in a similar way and calls for much the same preventive measures. In Shanghai, the Cholera vibrio, the cause of Cholera Asiatica, is not generally found; while the case fatality and incidence seems to be considerably less severe than that of Cholera Asiatica. This, however, may be due to the infection not being in Shanghai usually waterborne, a mode of infection which is often much more disastrous than when carried by fruit and other uncooked foods, that is to say, is not likely to infect so many people simultaneously.

There seems no doubt that the incidence within the Settlement has been markedly less severe than in Pootung and the insanitary areas outside the Settlement, where, although the population is relatively small, the number of cases has been reported in thousands. It is only to be expected that the sanitary routine of the Settlement, which has been built up during the last twenty years, should impose such a barrier against infection as would reduce the thousands of cases outside to hundreds within the Settlement.

Compared with the dangerous respiratory group of infections such as Influenza, Pneumonia, Tuberculosis, Scarlet fever and Diphtheria, the prevention of the Choleraic group is easy. The taking of all food, including drink, hot or sterile is practically an absolute preventive. The possible presence of carriers is not considered of paramount importance from a practical point of view; while specific vaccination is not very effective against the Cholera vibrio only, and tends to obscure the importance of the simple food precautions, which are effective not only against Cholera but also against the ever present Dysentery and the Typhoid infections. If these simple food precautions are taken all the time life in the East loses most of its dangers.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign. | | Chinese. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Resident | Non-resident. | |
| Small pox | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| *Cholera | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Tuberculosis | 5 | 0 | 103 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Beri-beri | 6 | 5 | 18 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 0 | 14 |
| Acute Diarrhoea | 10 | 4 | 283 |
| From all causes | 47 | 19 | 1,110 |

*Cholera vibrio found in one case only.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small pox | 0 |
| *Cholera | 17 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 2 |
| Diphtheria | 3 |
| Scarlet Fever | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 |
| Plague | 0 |
| Dysentery | 13 |

*Notified as Cholera, Cholera like Cholera Morbas or Choleraic Diarrhoea. Cholera vibrio found in one case only.

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases Admitted—Small pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 1 | 0 |
| Diphtheria | 3 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 3 | 0 |
| Beri-beri | 0 | 0 |
| Choleraic Diarrhœa | 21 | 24 |
| Other Diseases | 1 | 45 |
| Discharged | 24 | 85 |
| Died | 5 | 7 |
| Remaining last day of month | 8 | 27 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 280 |
| Bacterial " " | 11 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 7 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 887 |
| Analyses | 27 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 267 | 588 | 158 | 231 | 1244 |
| Rats plague infected ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation .... | 800 | 1000 | 750 | 200 | 2750 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1031 | 1511 | 829 | 348 | 3719 |
| Poisoned baits laid ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier ..... | 0 | 0 | 208 | 0 | 208 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 4 | 23 | 11 | 6 | 44 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease ... ... ... ... | 64 | 171 | 256 | 110 | 601 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease ... ... | 97 | 109 | 347 | 260 | 813 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 1017 | 1042 | 3614 | 2,233 | 7,906 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed ... ... ... ... | 0 | 62 | 775 | 87 | 924 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 65 | 0 | 65 |
| Defective drainage amended ... ... ... ... ... | 26 | 26 | 35 | 10 | 97 |
| Insanitary wells abolished... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected ... ... ... ... | 2 | 14 | 5 | 4 | 25 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy ... | 39 | 2 | 28 | 18 | 87 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 480 | 687 | 1,167 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried ... ... | 0 | 3 | 20 | 1 | 24 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed ... ... ... ... ... | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Offensive trade processes amended ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Beggar-boats removed... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 9 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 29 | 25 | 8 | 14 | 76 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 75 | 71 | 68 | 38 | 252 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 10 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 12 |
| Notices of intention to proceed served ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Samples taken for analysis... ... ... ... ... ... | 14 | 17 | 12 | 22 | 65 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed ... ... ... ... | 60 | 990 | 1290 | 614 | 2,954 |
| Outside hawkers licensed ... ... ... ... ... ... | 620 | 738 | 548 | 398 | 2,304 |
| Food prosecutions... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 1 | 59 | 30 | 21 | 111 |
| House refuse prosecutions ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 60 | 0 | 0 | 60 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions ... ... ... ... | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Tons of ordure removed ... ... ... ... ... ... | 3,890 | 3,389 | 3,650 | 3,052 | 13,981 |
| Tons of house refuse removed ... ... ... ... ... | 7,621 | 3,859 | 2,499 | 2,003 | 15,982 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed ... ... ... | 1,912 | 347 | 182 | 185 | 2,626 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen ... ... | 1,866 | 1 | 1,866 | 0 | 1 |
| Sheep ... ... | 2,642 | 1 | 2,642 | 1 | 1 |
| Calves ... ... | 275 | 0 | 275 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs ... ... | 261 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted. | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 42 | 6 |
| Surgical | 16 | 1 |
| Maternity | 5 | 1 |
| Mental | 36 | 0 |
| Infectious | 0 | 1 |
| Total | 69 | 9 |

REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.

Sample received August 31, 1919.
Report sent out September 9, 1919.
Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.

Physical Characters.—Yellowish green colour with considerable opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

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| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 16.90 |
| (a) Volatile | 5.90 |
| (b) Fixed | 11.00 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 11.50 |
| (a) Temporary | 6.40 |
| (b) Permanent | 5.10 |
| Chlorine | 3.00 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0640 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0018 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0118 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |

Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° C. 0.0340.

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° C. and 37° C. showed an average of 400 and 110 microbes per cubic centimetre respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in quantities of 0.5 c.c. and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Bacterial content considerably above the average.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.

Aerated waters and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water, or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and fly proof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

## Engineer's Report for August.

The shortage of labour has been less acutely felt during the month, and it has been possible to carry out Public Works with considerably more expedition.

Special gangs of coolies, paid at a weekly rate, are now being employed, and these, totalling altogether about 500, will form the nucleus for this class of labour in future.

The reclaiming of the Bund Foreshore from Peking Road to Avenue Edward VII is in hand, the work having been commenced at the former end.

The existing roadway is much too narrow for the present day traffic and the new thoroughfare will be sufficiently wide to overcome this drawback. An additional 30 feet wide carriageway will be constructed on the river side of the existing roadway. The new thoroughfare will be 115 feet wide overall, the existing one being only 85 feet, and the areas of the grass plots will remain unaltered.

The same type of stone pitching will be used along the river front as exists at present.

*Roads.*—Asphaltic concrete is being laid in Peking Road from Honan Road to Fokien Road on the existing concrete. A concrete foundation 4-in. in thickness is being laid from Fokien Road to the Koo Ka Loong, and a spall foundation will be laid from the Koo Ka Loong to Thibet Road. Asphaltic concreting will be carried out from Fokien Road to Thibet Road as soon as the construction of the foundations has been completed.

The widening of Bubbling Well Road immediately east of Hardoon Road is approaching completion.

The following roads are being surface treated with asphaltum:—

Quinsan Gardens.
Hanbury Road from Woosung Road to Fearon Road.
Yangtszepoo Road from the Tram Terminus to the Point.

*Bridges.*—The cofferdam for the east abutment of Brenan Road Bridge is completed, and the sheet piles and foundation piles for the west abutment have been driven.

*Bundings.*—The concrete for the Wenchow Road bunding has been completed for about two-thirds of the height.

The construction of the dwarf bunding in Brenan Road fronting the Soochow Creek is practically completed.

A dwarf bunding is being constructed in Lay Road fronting the Yangtszepoo Creek south of the Lay Road Depôt.

*Landing Accommodation.*—Extensive repairs are being carried out on the Tsingpoo Road and Astor Road Jetties.

*Drainage.*—The culverting of the Bubbling Well Road Creek west of Siccawei Road is approaching completion.

The culverting of the Gordon Road creek between Connaught Road and Sinza Road is completed for about one-third of its length.

The culverting of the Singkeipang from Singkeipang Road to Dent Road with 4-ft. 6-in. diameter tube is in hand.

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*Central Offices.*—The extension of the third floor is approaching completion.

A consignment of the heating apparatus, and also a further portion of the window casements, have arrived during August.

*Gaol—Deport Block.*—The conversion of the top floor into cells is proceeding, the vermin-proofing of the cells on the lower floors is practically completed.

*Isolation Hospital.*—The premises formerly occupied by the 2nd Assistant Health Officer are being converted into quarters for nurses.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*—A watchman's house is being erected at the entrance to this school.

*Lay Road Depot.*—An Inspector's office and store shed is being constructed by direct labour.

*Riverside Power Station.*—The foundations for the 1919 Turbine House have been completed, also the support for the south turbine. The concrete work for the north turbine is about half completed.

*Whashing Road Substation.*—Construction has been completed to the level of the first floor and the centering is in place for most of the second story

*Park Road Substation.*—Concrete work for the ground floor has been completed, and the brick walls for the first story have been built.

*Fearon Road Substation.*—The erection of steel trusses for the roof over entrance court has been commenced.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—975 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected cartloads | 4,607 |
| Used for raising land | 571 |
| Water used for street watering | 9,548,600 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,669 |
| Artisans | 418 |
| Foremen | 258 |
| Mafoos | 159 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 19,335 pieces |
| Machine made | 240 ,, |
| | 19,575 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 22 admissions during the month and 54 bundles of wood chopped.

*New Buildings.*

| *Description of Work.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 333 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 116 |
| Plans approved | 82 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,943 |
| Boundary walls erected | 474 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadway | 8 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 280 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 2 |
| Applications for licence dealt with | 27 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 52 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

***Dangerous Structures.***

Dangerous structures reported by Public Works Department 2.

| | |
|---|---|
| First intimation notices issued | 2 |
| Total | 2 |

***Survey Work.***

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of New Lots | 82 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates Issued | 50 |
| Consular Lots Surveyed | 23 |
| New Lots put under Taxation | 15 |
| The Assessed Value of the land placed under Taxation is Tls. 59,039 | |
| Official plans prepared | 30 |
| Surveys made in connexion with Road Widenings and/or Extensions | 39 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or Waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 82 |

**M. C. R. Stones have been erected as follows:—**

| | |
|---|---|
| Central District | 3 |
| Northern ,, | 6 |
| Eastern ,, | 3 |
| Western ,, | 28 |

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Engineer & Surveyor.*

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## The Point Garden.

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.

2.—The Park is opened daily to the Public from daylight to dusk.

3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.

4.—Horses, ponies, vehicles and bicycles are not admitted.

5.—Dogs are not admitted unless properly muzzled and led on leash.

6.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers or otherwise damaging the shrubs, plants or grass is strictly prohibited; visitors and other persons in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.

7.—Shooting, lighting fires and playing ball games are strictly prohibited.

8.—The Police have instructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 7, 1918.

## Concreteware Manufactory.

**The following is the price list of drain pipes and other articles manufactured. The prices quoted are ex Depôt in Fearon Road near Range Road. Applications for delivery orders should be made at the Public Works Office, 7A The Bund.**

| Size | Length | Description | Price in Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12″ | 2′0″ | Pipes (machine made) | 0.80 |
| 9″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.60 |
| 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.40 |
| 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.28 |
| 12″ x 9″ | 2′0″ | Junctions | 1.60 |
| 12″ x 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.45 |
| 12″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.35 |
| 9″ x 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.15 |
| 9″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.05 |
| 6″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 0.80 |
| 6″ | | Knuckle Bends 90° | 0.50 |
| 4″ | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| 6″ | | Bends (long) 45° | 0.50 |
| 4″ | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. A. (without cover) | 0.40 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Yard Gullies Fig. B. (without cover) | 1.25 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.25 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.60 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. C. (without cover) | 0.45 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Revolving Top Gullies incl. C.I. cover | 0.75 |
| 3′ 0″x2′0″ | 3′0″ | Egg-shaped Tubes | 4.50 |
| 2′ 3″x1′6″ | 3′0″ | ,, ,, | 3.10 |
| 1′ 6″x1′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, ,, | 1.70 |
| 3′ 0″ | 3′0″ | Circular Tubes } Price on application | |
| 4′ 6″ | 4′0″ | ,, ,, } Price on application | |
| | 3′0″ | Inverts for 12″ pipes | 0.80 |
| 3′ 0″x2′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 2.20 |
| 2′ 3″x1′6″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 1.75 |
| 1′ 6″x1′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 0.85 |
| 3′ 0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Circular Tubes | 4.10 |
| 2′ 0″x2′0″ | 1′0″ | Manhole shafts (large) | 3.00 |
| 2′ 0″x2′0″ | 6″ | ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| 1′ 5″x1′5″ | 6″ | ,, Top Frames | 2.55 |
| 3′10″x1′4″ | 5¾″ | ,, Slabs (large) | 2.90 |
| 3′ 0″x1′5″ | 2¾″ | ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| | | ,, Bricks No. 34a | 0.03½ |
| | | ,, ,, 34b | 0.03½ |
| | | Blind manhole cover (large) | 2.50 |
| | | Blind manhole cover (small) | 1.00 |
| 1′ 6″x1′4″ | 12″ | Street Pot Gullies (bottom) } Street Pot Gullies (top) } | 6.50 |
| 5″ x 2″ | 4′0″ | Kerbs | 0·90 |
| 5″ x 4″ | 4′0″ | Channels | 0·90 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 3′3″ | Pavement Tubes | 1.20 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 2′3″ | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4″ | 9″ | ,, Sockets | 0.38 |
| 3″ | 9″ | ,, ,, | 0.38 |
| 4′0″ x 2′0″ | | Kitchen Sinks | 5.50 |
| 2′6″ x 2′0″ | | ,, ,, | 4.00 |
| 12″ x 4″ | 3′0″ | Boundary Stones | 2.65 |
| | 2′ | M. C. R. Stones | 0.85 |
| | 4′ | ,, ,, | 1.00 |
| 4′0″ x 1′6″ | | Grave Slabs per set of 6 | 9.00 |
| 4′0″ x 1′0″ | | ,, ,, 2 | 2.10 |
| | 18′ | Bearing Pile } Prices on application | |
| | 14′ | ,, ,, } Prices on application | |
| | 10′ | Sheet Pile } Prices on application | |
| | 7′6″ | ,, ,, } Prices on application | |
| | | Fence Post } Prices on application | |
| | | Ridge Tile | 0.27 |
| | | Square Tile | 0.05½ |
| | 2′5¾″ | Sidewalk Slab } Prices on application | |
| | 1′11¾″ | ,, ,, } Prices on application | |
| | 0 11¾″ | ,, ,, } Prices on application | |

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# FINANCIAL STATEMENT

COMPARING

ESTIMATED INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1919,

WITH

ACTUAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1919.

| | Estimated | | | Actual | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Expenditure | | Income | Expenditure | | Income |
| | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. |
| **Ordinary Income:—** | | | | | | |
| Land Tax | | | 1,054,630 | | | 451,614.44 |
| General Municipal Rate | | | | | | |
| Foreign | | | 795,850 | | | 342,379.31 |
| Chinese | | | 1,182,460 | | | 509,281.17 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | | | 1,500 | | | 1,074.90 |
| Wharfage Dues | | | 220,000 | | | 110,335.46 |
| Licence Fees | | | 538,400 | | | 271,761.79 |
| Rent of Municipal Properties | | | 122,660 | | | 58,991.20 |
| Revenue from Public and Municipal Undertakings | | | 381,030 | | | 302,594.91 |
| **Ordinary Expenditure:—** | | | | | | |
| Volunteer Corps | | 66,055 | | | 35,064.00 | |
| Fire Brigade | | 99,310 | | | 55,442.62 | |
| Police Force | | 1,214,575 | | | 594,459.52 | |
| Health Department | | | | | | |
| Office | 78,720 | | | 35,473.04 | | |
| Hospitals | | | | | | |
| Victoria Nursing Home | 50,600 | | | 16,975.32 | | |
| Isolation Hospital | 43,635 | | | 20,965.16 | | |
| do. for Chinese | 6,290 | | | 2,954.29 | | |
| Police Hospital Indians | 1,665 | | | 887.30 | | |
| do. Chinese | 7,525 | | | 4.461.51 | | |
| Sanatorium | 7,090 | | | 5,287.14 | | |
| Private Nursing Service | 4,040 | | | 2,852.81 | | |
| Ambulance Service | 400 | | | 226.25 | | |
| Cemeteries, etc. | *Cr.* 235 | | | *Cr.* 206.78 | | |
| Swimming Bath | 350 | | | 192.27 | | |
| Extra-Departmental | 93,400 | | | 47.878.26 | | |
| | | 293,480 | | | 137,946.57 | |
| Public Works Department | | | | | | |
| General | 256,755 | | | 142,081.89 | | |
| Buildings | 95,100 | | | 34,096.01 | | |
| Creeks and River | 66,920 | | | 41,441.75 | | |
| Drainage | 16,050 | | | 10,057.98 | | |
| Roads | | | | | | |
| Maintenance | 303,910 | | | 160,685.34 | | |
| Cleansing | 114,000 | | | 51,244.43 | | |
| Lighting | 139,900 | | | 69,973.48 | | |
| Parks and Open Spaces | 60,980 | | | 37,232.02 | | |
| | | 1,053,615 | | | 546,812.90 | |
| Public Band | | 40,380 | | | 20,332.06 | |
| Public Library | | 3,250 | | | 1,483.90 | |
| Educational Department | | | | | | |
| Public School for Boys | 54,370 | | | 27,152.45 | | |
| do. Girls | 46,830 | | | 22,828.04 | | |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | 42,730 | | | 19,498.48 | | |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Girls | 34,420 | | | 16,642.86 | | |
| Public School for Chinese | 24,250 | | | 12,707.36 | | |
| Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese | 12,390 | | | 6,341.29 | | |
| Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese | 12,350 | | | 6,397.24 | | |
| Polytechnic Public School for Chinese | 6,890 | | | 3,388.49 | | |
| Grants-in-Aid | 8,300 | | | 4,150.00 | | |
| | | 242,530 | | | 119,106.21 | |
| Finance Department | | | | | | |
| Treasurer's Office | 93,520 | | | 45,778.40 | | |
| Compradore's Office | 9,980 | | | 5,045.11 | | |
| | | 103,500 | | | 50,823.51 | |
| *Carried forward* | | 3,116,695 | 4,296,530 | | 1,561,471.29 | 2,048,033.18 |

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| | Estimated | | | Actual | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Expenditure | | Income | Expenditure | | Income |
| | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. |
| *Brought forward* | | 3,116,695 | 4,296.530 | | 1,561,471.29 | 2,048,033.18 |
| Secretariat | | | | | | |
| Secretary's Office | 80,760 | | | 43,370.84 | | |
| Revenue Office | 124,090 | | | 63,467.05 | | |
| | | 204,850 | | | 106,837.89 | |
| General Charges | | 462,510 | | | 83,966.79 | |
| Interest, Brokerage, etc. | | 233,700 | | | 116,919.13 | |
| Redemption of Debentures | | 176,000 | | | — | |
| Stock and Stores:— | | | | | | |
| Volunteer Corps | 18,450 | | | 7,952.67 | | |
| Fire Brigade | 26,600 | | | 10,929.08 | | |
| Police Force | 107,970 | | | 69,547.69 | | |
| Health Department | 21,450 | | | 6,874.12 | | |
| Public Works Dept. | 352,340 | | | 218,308.33 | | |
| Public Library | | | | 37.90 | | |
| Public School for Boys | 1,780 | | | 851.69 | | |
| do. Girls | 850 | | | 432.06 | | |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | 900 | | | 27.70 | | |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Girls | 390 | | | 308.96 | | |
| Public School for Chinese | 1,320 | | | 552.32 | | |
| Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese | 100 | | | — | | |
| Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese | 400 | | | 84.89 | | |
| Polytechnic Public School for Chinese | 420 | | | 119.53 | | |
| Finance Department | 500 | | | 57.31 | | |
| Secretariat | 1,500 | | | 134.00 | | |
| | 534,970 | | | 316,218.25 | | |
| *Less*—Stores issued, etc. | | | | | | |
| Volunteer Corps | 14,000 | | | 3,570.91 | | |
| Police Force | 90,000 | | | 35,479.32 | | |
| Public Works Dept. | 320,000 | | | 120,367.61 | | |
| | | 110,970 | | | 156,800.41 | |
| | 424,000 | | | 159,417.84 | | |
| **Surplus or Deficit on Ordinary Budget, carried to Extraordinary Income** | | 4,304,725 | 4,296,530 | | 2,025,995.51 | 2,048,033.18 |
| | | | 8,195 | | 22,037.67 | |
| | | 4,304,725 | 4,304,725 | | 2,048,033.18 | 2,048,033.18 |
| **Extraordinary Income** | | | | | | |
| Surplus or Deficit on Ordinary Budget | | 8,195 | | | | 22,037.67 |
| Loan 1918, debentures issued during period 1/1/19 to 15/3/19. | | | 63,600 | | | 63,600.00 |
| Debentures | | | 3,400,000 | | | 471,700.00 |
| Miscellaneous | | | 20,000 | | | 6,126.55 |
| **Extraordinary Expenditure** | | | | | | |
| Deficit from 1918 | | 152,784 | | | 152,784.17 | |
| Bridges | 6,400 | | | 1,551.46 | | |
| Bundings | 19,000 | | | 1,281.47 | | |
| Drainage | 64,870 | | | 20,166.90 | | |
| Land | 208,640 | | | 21,074.45 | | |
| Buildings | 378,700 | | | 45,913.87 | | |
| Roads | 256,150 | | | 237,685.19 | | |
| | | 933,760 | | | 327,673.34 | |
| Loan to Electricity Dept. | | 2,500,000 | | | 471,700.00 | |
| | | 3,594,739 | 3,483,600 | | 952,157.51 | 563,464.22 |
| **Deficit** | | | 111,139 | | | 388,693.29 |
| | | 3,594,739 | 3,594,739 | | 952,157.51 | 952,157.51 |

We have audited the foregoing Summary of Income and Expenditure for the half-year ended June 30, 1919, and certify the same to be correct.

G. H. & N. THOMSON,
*Chartered Accountants,*
*Auditors.*

September 1, 1919.

E. F. GOODALE, A.C.A.,
*Treasurer.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

**CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.**

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

**工部局承攬信章程**

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 所有承攬章程由各項本局自辦有益本局利益

三 人擬行之本局有合人局知是極

四 所有之目以後承局之必准價目

五 所有之必須登入各其該用價

六 本所有之必須清本人員之信合公信擬及承辦覽承承辦本局之須公擬承辦本局之須清信二部面漆所後明本所目所人擬行未所擬所
單送時局寫其有仍所局有取以有到定信定有份有
費來之擬明承承將敢必將閱登擬保後局之價必承佈承
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## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road** | | |
| 134 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern Ankle Boots<br>{1,000 pairs to be delivered on or before January 31, 1920}<br>{2,000 „ „ „ „ March 31, 1920} | — | October 1 |
| 135 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31 |
| 136 | 100 „ „ „ „ „ 2 „ | — | do. |
| 137 | 2,400 „ „ „ „ „ 3 „ | — | do. |
| 138 | 2,000 „ „ „ „ „ 4 „ | — | do. |
| 139 | 7,000 „ „ Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 140 | 900 „ Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 Thin | — | do. |
| 141 | 400 „ „ „ „ „ 2 Medium | — | do. |
| 142 | 400 „ „ „ „ „ 3 Heavy | — | do. |
| 143 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 144 | 400 Brown „ 68 × 90 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before June 30, 1920. | — | do. |
| 145 | 2,000 Brown Blankets 84 × 60 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before December 31, 1919. | — | October 31 |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund** | | |
| 509 | Painting at Hongkew Police Station | — | September 12 |
| 510 | Erection of Workshops at Hongkew Fire Station | — | do. |

## TENDERS ACCEPTED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,

Tender No. 506.

Painting at Wayside Police Station.

| | |
|---|---|
| Ah Sing | Tls. 880 |
| Sing Kee | 596 |
| Woo Lee Kee | 595 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 570 |
| Zung Shing | 536 |
| Lien Yung Kee | 520 |
| Ngan Zung Lee | 485 |
| Wong Chin Kee | 440 |
| *Tuck Foong | 428 |

Tender No. 507.

Painting at Central Police Station.

| | |
|---|---|
| Zee Shan Kee | Tls. 1,335 |
| Ngan Zung Lee | 875 |
| Wong Chin Kee | 860 |
| Zung Shing | 710 |
| Tuck Foong | 695 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 665 |
| Woo Lee Kee | 654 |
| Lien Yung Kee | 640 |
| *Sing Kee | 529 |

Tender No. 508.

Painting at No. 42 Woosung Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Zee Shan Kee | Tls. 585 |
| Lien Yung Kee | 450 |
| Woo Lee Kee | 445 |
| Ngan Zung Lee | 445 |
| Zung Shing | 416 |
| Wong Ching Kee | 413 |
| Tuck Foong | 380 |
| *Joe Ming Kee | 365 |

* Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2649.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

WITH a view to the provision of facilities for accumulating savings for periodical investment in Municipal Debentures, the Council has sanctioned the establishment of a Municipal Investment Bank.

Deposits will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balances remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(c) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, September 2, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2650.**

**TRANSFER OF DEBENTURES REGISTERED IN CHINESE NAMES.**

THE Council has approved acceptance by the Finance Department of Chinese holders' "chops" in lieu of their signatures on all transfers of Debentures, upon the following conditions:—

(*a*) Holders must signify their wishes in writing and must forward two specimens of their "Chop" to the Treasurer for registration.

(*b*) "Chops" must in every case be witnessed.

By order

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, September 4, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2651.**

**CLOSE SEASON FOR GAME.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the close season for pheasants, deer, hare and partridges will expire on September 30.

No prohibition attaches to the sale of snipe, quail, woodcock, and wild fowl.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai September 11, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, September 17, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Customs Company.*—The resignation of 2nd Lieut. E. B. Howell, forwarded by the Commandant, has been accepted by the Council with regret.

### Case of Illegal Detention.

Correspondence with Mr. M. L. Heen and the Senior Consul relative to the illegal detention of a resident of the Settlement:—

Shanghai, August 12, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I have been instructed to secure the assistance of the Council on behalf of my client Yu Tshung-ling a resident of the International Settlement who was arrested on July 31 and has since been and is still under detention in the Shun Pan Ting (審判廳) in the Chinese city.

My client was the managing partner of a Chinese firm called Yuen Dar Cotton Yarn Hong (元大花紗號), which commenced to operate in the 9th moon of last year at No. 234 Fokien Road but which subsequently failed and went into voluntary dissolution in the 3rd moon, this year. Subsequently in

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the month of May, 1919, a criminal charge of false pretences was entered in the Mixed Court against my client who was forthwith arrested on the charge. For want of appearance on the part of the complainants at the time set for trial, my client was discharged.

At about the same time the complainants in the above mentioned criminal case filed two civil petitions against my client and his Hong, each for a claim of Tls. 387.50 and of Tls. 587.50, respectively. These petitions were brought on for hearing before British Assessor Grant Jones and Magistrate Kuan and were dismissed on their merits.

My client resided with his family on the premises of the Yuen Dar Cotton Yarn Hong at No. 234 Fokien Road until the Hong ceased to do business in the 3rd moon of this year as aforesaid, after which he went to live, at 56 Tsepoo Road (七浦路). The institution of proceedings both civil and criminal, in the Mixed Court is evidence that my client was recognized as a resident of the International Settlement and amenable to the jurisdiction of the Mixed Court.

Recently the disappointed plaintiffs renewed their claims of Tls. 387.50 and Tls. 587.50 by petitioning the Chinese City Magistrate who proceeded at once to effect the arrest of my client. The arrest was made on July 31, 1919 at the home of Mr Chen Sho-tso (陳旭初) in the Chinese city, whom my client was visiting at the time. On appearing before the Magistrate my client objected to the jurisdiction of the Magistrate, pointed out that he was a resident of the International Settlement, and protested that the matters for which he was arrested had already been passed upon and adjudicated by the Mixed Court, but the Magistrate passed judgment against him for half of the amount claimed and ordered him into detention pending payment of the judgment. My client is still in custody.

The action and proceedings in the Magistrate's Yamên are clearly in contempt of the Mixed Court, and constitute an invasion of the principle that no Chinese resident shall be removed from the Settlement without a *primâ facie* hearing in the Mixed Court

Under the circumstances, I am directed to request that you will inform the Consular Body of this case with the view to bringing the necessary legal pressure on the City Magistrate in order to secure the immediate release and rendition of my client.

Yours faithfully,

M. L. HEEN.

The SECRETARY,

Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, August 25, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—Referring to my letter of August 12, 1919, requesting the Council's assistance with the view to securing the release of my client Yu Tshung-ling (尤春霖) who is under detention in the Shun Pan Ting in the Chinese City, I beg to inquire if there is any development in connexion with this matter.

Yours faithfully,

M. L. HEEN

The SECRETARY,

Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, September 2, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letters of August 12 and 25, on the subject of the detention in the Shun Pan Ting in the Chinese City of your client Yu Tshung-ling, a resident of this Settlement and, in reply, to inform you that the Consular Body has been requested in terms of the letter, copy of which is enclosed herein, to make representations to the Chinese Authorities for his immediate release and rendition.

I am Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

M. L. HEEN, Esq.

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(*Enclosure.*)

Council Room,

Shanghai, August 29, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to transmit for the information of the Consular Body the enclosed letter and Police report, as to the circumstances of the irregular detention by the Chinese Authorities of a resident of this Settlement named Yu Tshung ling (尤春霖).

From the facts of the case as presented by Mr Heen and confirmed by Police investigation and inquiry, it is apparent that the Chinese Authorities in this instance are unwilling to recognize the jurisdiction of the Mixed Court. The cessation of irregularities of this nature for some months had given ground for the hope that the established principle "that no Chinese resident shall be removed from this Settlement without a *primâ facie* hearing in the Mixed Court" was being observed in good faith by the Chinese Authorities. It is therefore a matter of concern to my colleagues to note this tendency to revert to the illegal methods formerly practised by Chinese officials, and I have accordingly the honour to request that representations be made to the Chinese City Magistrate insisting upon the immediate release and rendition of this resident to the Settlement.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

ED. WHITE,

*Acting Chairman*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,

Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.

**Jessfield Park.**

The following correspondence is included herein for purpose of record:—

Shanghai, January 13, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to let you have for your consideration and reply two letters with free translations received from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

D. SIFFERT,

*Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,

Chairman, Municipal Council.

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(*Enclosure No. 1.*)

*Translation of letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to the Senior Consul, dated January 7, 1919.*

I have the honour to inform you that concerning the case of a public road, which is coterminal between the Pu Soon and Fa Hui, has been surrounded by a fence of the Municipal Council, the City Magistrate of Shanghai has requested me to address you with a copy of plan sent to you on February 15, 1918, to ask you to convey the Municipal Council to return the road. It is on file. Now the Magistrate writes to me a further dispatch received from Messrs. Sung Pao-yin, Notable of Pu Soon, and Li Hoon-hu, notable of the Fa-Hui, in which they say that they waited for a reply about this matter for several months, since the area of the road is about 3 fen it is a boundary line of these two villages, therefore it is very important and must not be stopped They think that the Municipal Council is very just and upright, and should not encroach on this land. Both sides of the road are the properties of the Chaoufoong Co. They ask me to request you Senior Consul, to request the Municipal Council to return the road in order to clear the boundary line of those two villages. This has been retarded for nearly one year, and the road has never been returned, please communicate to the Municipal Council and ask them to return the road as soon as possible, awaiting your reply.

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(*Enclosure No. 2.*)

*Translation of letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to the Senior Consul, dated February 15, 1918.*

I have the honour to inform you that I have received a letter from the Shanghai City Magistrate as follows:—

"Mr. Yang Hoong-chun, the notable of Fa-Hui village, and Mr. Song Pao-ying, the notable of Pu Soon, reported that there is a public road situated at the mouth of Jessfield Road and is a coterminal point between the Pu Soon and the Fa-Hui. It is an important point. now it is surrounded by fence of

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the International Municipal Council, so the communication of the road has been shut off by that council. Please write to them to return the land.

"I find that this public road is an important road, the east of it, is the 28th Pao 8th, 9th Tu which belongs to the Fa-Hui, and the west of it, is the 28th Pao 4th Tu which belongs to Pu Soon, so this road is a coterminal point. The lands of both sides belong to the Chaoufoong garden.

"I sent representative to look into this matter, after the representative came back and said to me that on January 27 he has examined together with Mr. Yang Hoong-chun, and found that the public road is 300 feet long, north by the Jessfield Road, that is, at the bank of the Soochow river, there was a jetty for ferry. Now the road is surrounded by the fence of the Municipal Council, at both sides of the said road there are boundary-stones about 6 feet apart. According to Mr. Yang the said road was registered at the deed of the Chaoufoong, that there are 6 feet remain for public road, now the property was sold to the Council.

"After the Council has made the fence round the land, they have sent their representative to this village to say that this land will be built a garden, so the said public road also may be used, therefore the Council wish to give the value of the road to us.

"I find that this place, after the Council built road the value of lands are high, but the said road is a conterminal point of the Pu Soon and the Fa-Hui villages, and communicate to the ferry. The Council has not waited the agreement and used at once. Please write to them to return the land."

On receiving the above I have the honour to inform you, Consul-General and Senior Consul, please order the Council to restore the land, and herewith I forward you a plan for your communication and reply.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, February 8, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of January 13 transmitting for consideration and reply two letters from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs on the subject of the former native path in Jessfield Park.

In reply I have the honour to observe that the information given to the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs that the land on both sides of the path is the property of the Chaoufoong Company is quite incorrect, since the path lies entirely within the Council's Park property.

I have the honour further to point out how really trivial and unreasonable is the present complaint, since the Council has gone to the expense of providing a broad and commodious public road on the south connecting with the railway road on the west, and affording far better traffic facilities than were ever provided by the path in question.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul

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Shanghai, July 11, 1919.

SIR,—I enclose herewith for your consideration and reply the copy of the Chinese text and a free translation of a letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs in Shanghai concerning the former native path in the place between Fa-Hui and Pu-Soon.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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*(Enclosure.)*

*Translation of letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to the Senior Consul, dated June 23, 1919.*

With reference to the letter of the Shanghai City Magistrate on the subject of the former native path in the place between Fa Hui and Pu Soon which has been surrounded by the fence of the Shanghai Municipal Council, I have received your letter of February 13 with a copy of letter from the Shanghai Municipal Council which I then transmitted to the Magistrate.

Now the Magistrate brings me the further report of Messrs. Sung Pao-yin, Notable of Pu Soon, and Li Hoon-chu, Notable of the Fa-Hui, in which they say that the land on both sides of the said native path has been sold to the Shanghai Municipal Council by Chen Wen-che (陳文記), but the path was not included. Since the title deed of the Municipal Council made by the Land Office has no path measured within (there is a plan in the Land Office which can be examined). The answer of the Shanghai Municipal Council mentions that the native path lies entirely within the Council's Park property, this is quite incorrect. Because the path is coterminal between the Pu Soon and Fa Hui, in former time there were the boundary stones which lie on the side of it. but after the fence of the Council has been surrounded, we cannot know if the stones are there or not. It makes the boundaries of both villages not clear. Since the native path was not sold by any one, it also is not included within the title deed of the Council, why then did the Council use their encroaching policy to surround the public property? This ought to be returned for clearing the boundary and preserving the power.

In receipt of the above I find the contents of their letter is quite right, while the Council's reply has no proof, I have the honour to ask you, Senior Consul, bring it to the notice of the Municipal Council to ask them to restore the path, much obliged to you.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, August 30, 1919

SIR,—In reply to your letter of July 11 forwarding Chinese text and free translation of a letter received from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs in Shanghai concerning the former path traversing the Jessfield Park, I have the honour to allude to my letter of February 8, 1919, concerning this subject, and to deal further with the statement made by the petitioners Sung Pao yin and Lai Hung-chu as to the question of the relative boundaries of their respective parishes.

I have the honour to suggest that if the Commissioner should so desire, the Council would be quite prepared to erect boundary stones in place of the path, and to permit those interested to inspect them at any time.

As a means of communication between villages, however, the path had no practical utility, and has long since ceased to exist; in point of fact it merely proceeded from one village to another, by a narrow and tortuous route, whereas there is now a broad commodious road a little to the west which has been in regular use by the villagers since its construction.

In conclusion I may add that while the above suggestion cannot but be considered a reasonable one, the Council has little doubt that it will not prove satisfactory to the petitioners, since it is not the closing of the small path that they are anxious about, but the sum to be paid therefor; the Tipao of the district sometime ago agreed to relinquish all claim to the path provided that a sum of money was paid to him, which, however, was exorbitant and was not entertained.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
W. L. MERRIMAN,
*Acting Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

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**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Kiukiang Road, Yusingka and Bubbling Well Road.*—Negotiations have been concluded with Mr. Hardoon whereunder in return for the cession to him of the alleyway known as the Yusingka, certain

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minor road modifications in the Kiukiang Road and vicinity have been arranged, and Mr. Hardoon will surrender the strip of land measuring Mow 1.164 required from his residential property, Lot 2437, for widening the Bubbling Well Road, payment being made for the balance of area of a net sum of Tls. 8,469, inclusive of all charges for reinstatement of wall, rebuilding of gatehouse, and such other buildings as are affected by the widening.

### Drainage.

*Macao and Gordon Roads.*—In connexion with an application by Messrs. Palmer and Turner relative to the drainage of Lot 4750, an arrangement has been concluded with this firm whereby sections of standard 3 ft. culverting will be constructed along Gordon and Macao Roads, and also in Ichang Road in front of the Soochow Creek Depot, at the cost of the applicants, estimated at Tls. 4,000.

### Educational Department.

*Public Schools for Chinese.*—The Headmasters report the following entries for the winter term:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Public School for Chinese | 465 |
| Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese | 344 |
| Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese | 111 |
| Polytechnic Public School for Chinese | 136 |

### Hongkong Local Examinations.

The results achieved by pupils from the Council's schools, in the examinations held in July, are as follows:—

Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.—

Matriculation Examination:—

Pass: J. S. Guzdar

Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese:—

Matriculation Examination:—

Pass: Zung Foh-nyeu (鄭福元)

Wong Chien-ming (王潛民)

Senior Examination:—

Pass: Yih Foh-mee (葉福綿)

Junior Examination:—

Pass: Ting Ching-sung (丁金生)

Sun Bacon (孫培根)

Zung Bih (程 弼)

### Public Band.

On and after Monday, September 22, performances by the Band in the Public Garden and Recreation Grounds will be given in the afternoons only, as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | Sept. 22 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | „ 23 | 5.30 „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | „ 24 | 5.30 „ | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | „ 25 | 5.30 „ | „ |
| Fri. | „ 26 | 5.30 „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. | „ 27 | 5.30 „ | Public Recreation Ground |

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13.

The appointment of Assistant Inspector E. E. Sizemore is confirmed under an agreement terminable at three months' notice, from July 18.

*Educational Department.*—Miss E. J. Wolfe, Matron on probation in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, is permitted to terminate her service on October 31.

Mrs. W. D. Anderson is appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, from September 9.

Miss T. M. Pierce is re-engaged temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Chinese, from September 8.

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 646 | Hankow | S. A. Hardoon | | | addns. & wall |
| 25 | Jinkee | Atkinson and Dallas, Ld. | | | altns. |
| 629 | Kiukiang | Palmer & Turner | | | aerial ropeway |
| 678 | N. Szechuen and Boone | Atkinson and Dallas, Ld. | | | altns. |
| 930 | Chaoufoong | Chang Hsih Kee | | | 4 sheds |
| 305 | Dixwell | S'hai Building Co., Inc. | | | transformer house |
| 7225 | Ningkuo | H. W. Barrows | | | addns. |
| 6044 | Yangtszepoo | China Import and Export Lumber Co., Ld. | | | drying kilns. |
| Unreg. E of 1870 | Chengtu | Wong King Kee | | 1 | |
| 5670 | Gordon | Moorhead & Halse | | | addns. |
| 4709 | Ichang | Naigai Wata Kaisha | | | strong-room |
| 6010 | Singapore | Fong Hsien Kee | 1 | | servants' quarters & watchman's lodge |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 722 | Range | Fung Chee Choi | | | addns. |
| Unreg. W of 2191 | B'bling Well | Zung Shing Kee | 2 | | |
| Unreg. E of 1870 | Chengtu | Wong King Kee | 4 | | |
| 592 & 598 | Sinza | Dowdall and Read | 3 | | |
| 1000 | Sinza and Tatung | Wong Cha Kee | | | altns. |

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, September 14, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 3 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 29 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 3 | 3 |
| *Acute Diarrhoea | 0 | 18 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 5 | 230 |

*No Cholera vibrios found.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

### Report of Commissioner of Police for August.

Strength of the Force on August 31.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 182 | |
| Japanese | 27 | |
| Sikhs | 605 | |
| Chinese | 1,490 | |
| | | 2,313 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 79 | |
| Followers | 223 | |
| | | 302 |
| | Total | 2,615 |

*Armed Robberies.*—During the month two reports were received of armed robberies from dwelling houses. One occurred in Sinza and one in the Louza district.

One case of attempted armed robbery from a shop was reported in the Wayside district.

Four cases of armed highway robbery from the person were reported. Two occurred in Hongkew, one in Sinza, and one in the West Hongkew district. One person has been arrested in connexion with these reports and is at present under remand awaiting trial.

In five of the cases of armed and attempted armed robbery pistol or revolver shots were fired by the robbers, resulting in one person being killed and four others being wounded.

Two persons were also arrested during the month in connexion with robberies committed prior to August 1, 1919, and are at present under remand.

One person was also apprehended during the month on a charge of being a member of a gang of robbers and is also under remand.

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Another person was arrested in connexion with an armed robbery committed in the French Concession and handed over to the French Police.

*Murder.*—Two cases of murder have to be recorded during the month, one being a case in which a Chinese named Zung Tuh-we was attacked on August 17 by a gang of men on Yangtszepoo Road. East, and died from the result of wounds which he received; the other victim being the eighteen-year old son of a Chinese woman who was shot and killed by armed robbers on August 26 while sitting outside his house at 2664 East Seward Road. Arrests have been made in both cases.

*Executions.*—During the month four persons who were convicted of having committed armed robberies in the Settlement, were executed at Loonghwa in the presence of a representative of the Municipal Police.

*Mysterious Death.*—Mr. F. E. Weiss, the agent in Shanghai of the Passenger Department of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Ld., disappeared on the evening of August 20. He left the Palace Hotel at about 9.30 p.m. on that date and was not again seen until his body was found on the night of August 22 on a grave mound about 300 yards on the North side of the Pinglang Road in the Yangtszepoo District, with a bullet wound in the head, the throat cut and a razor lying about ten feet to the right of the body. The razor has since been identified by a Japanese barber as one which he sharpened and handed to Weiss about 2½ months ago

A reward of $1,000 was offered by the S. M. C. for information leading to the discovery of his whereabouts after 9.30 p.m. on August 20, and to the establishment of the circumstances which surrounded his death This offer was augmented at a later date by an additional $1,000 offered by the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Ld.

The matter has been closely investigated but up to the present no evidence definitely establishing the cause of his death has been found.

*Total Number of Reports of Property Stolen.*—During the month 251 reports of property stolen were made at the various stations. Inquiries were made with successful results in 113 of these cases.

*Chinese and Municipal Taxes.*—The agitation against the payment of the new assessment continued during the greater part of August, but since the 25th of that month the collection of the increased taxes has proceeded satisfactorily.

The agitation against the new assessment was carried on by Street Union leaders, who appear to have received the surreptitious support of some influential members of the Chinese community who are anxious to become members of the Municipal Council. Residents generally did not seem to have any deep rooted objection to the new taxes, and their failure to pay seems to have been the result of a desire on the part of each householder to act similarly to his neighbours.

The campaign of the Street Unions and their abettors against the increased assessment appeared to be well organized. They held meetings and expressed their determination not to pay on any account. Being advised by foreign counsel, whom they had engaged, of the illegality of this course, they expressed their willingness to pay provided Chinese members were admitted to the Municipal Council. They were told that this was a matter for adjustment between the Chinese Government and the Treaty Powers. Despite this explanation, the agitation was continued until the Acting Chairman of the Council wrote to the Chairman of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce intimating that immediate action would be taken to enforce payment of the new taxes. This brought the agitators to their senses. The Street Union leaders and Chinese Chamber of Commerce soon afterwards had a conference, as a result of which a circular was issued in the name of both parties advising the people to pay.

The Chinese ratepayers, who appeared to have grown tired of the agitation and the levies of the agitators, seemed pleased to receive this advice and have been satisfactorily paying their taxes since it was given.

*Arrival of Foreign Recruits.*—Twenty-seven foreign recruits arrived on August 10, followed by a further batch of eight on August 15, bringing the total number under training at the present moment to 35.

*Specials.*—Class F., consisting of twenty-one Special Constables, commenced training on August 13.

*Crimes Reported Beyond Settlement Limits.*—Numerous cases of armed robberies and piracies in the region around Shanghai have been reported during the month. In five instances knife wounds were inflicted on boatmen and on the occupants of houses who resisted or attempted to raise an alarm.

Two cases wherein Chinese were murdered have also been reported from beyond Settlement limits.

*Departure of the Military Governor.*—General Yang Shan-teh, Tuchun of Chekiang province, died on August 13. His place has been filled by General Lu Yung-ziang, Military Governor of Sungkiang and Shanghai, who was transferred to Hangchow on August 15. No appointment has yet been made to the vacancy caused by this transfer.

The departure of the Military Governor is a distinct loss to Shanghai.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 475 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 144 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 142 records were received from the French Police out of which number 76 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For identification | 617 |
| Identified | 220 |
| Percentage | 36 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 9 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 28 |
| | 37 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 12.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 277 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 54 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 56 | *Second offenders.* |
| 25 | *Third offenders.* |
| 5 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 58 | *Habitual offenders* (serious). |
| 475 | |

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the Public Works Department | Tls. 739.62 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 326.44 |
| Total | Tls. 413.18 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. 413.18 |

Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.

K. J. McEuen,
*Commissioner of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:—* | |
| Assault | 4 |
| 2.—*Offences Against Property:—* | |
| False pretences | 1 |
| Larceny | 1 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:—* | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:—* | |
| Dogs | 15 |
| Motor Car | 1 |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:—* | |
| Fire-arms, trafficking, etc. | 3 |
| House refuse | 7 |
| Nuisance | 1 |
| Gambling | 12 |
| Vagrancy | 2 |

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4.—*Miscellaneous Cases*:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Insanity | 1 |
| Total | 48 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 2,069 | 2,069 |
| Others | 58 | 852 | 910 |
| Total | 58 | 2,921 | 2,979 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cautioned | 9 |
| Detained until further orders | 1 |
| Dismissed | 2 |
| Fined | 18 |
| Imprisonment | 2 |
| " and Expulsion | 1 |
| " and Fined | 1 |
| Released upon giving personal bond | 1 |
| Remanded | 13 |
| Total | 48 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY

on August 31.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 13 |
| Louza Station | 18 |
| Hongkew Station | 6 |
| Harbin Road Station | 5 |
| West Hongkew Station | 11 |
| Wayside Station | 7 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 7 |
| Sinza Station | 4 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 7 |
| Gordon Road Station | 3 |
| Gaol | 1,522 |
| Reformatory | 85 |
| Total | 1,688 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 966 | 427 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 966 | 427 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN

July 26 and August 29.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 39,339.36 |
| Recovered | 16,506 23 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 31. 7. 19. | 46 | 350 |
| Captured | 304 | |
| Returned | 64 | 350 |
| Killed | 244 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 12 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 30 | |

## Mixed Court Report for August.

The Mixed Court has sustained a heavy loss in the death of Mr. Wong Chia-hsi ( 王嘉熙 ), Assistant Magistrate, which occurred at Kuling under tragic circumstances during the night of August 27. The late Mr. Wong first took his seat on the Mixed Court bench on August 28, 1911.

Messrs. Grant Jones and Tenney were on furlough during the month.

Five persons were charged with offences connected with the publishing and distributing of "Boycott" literature during the month as against 8 charged in July and 23 in June.

Eighty persons appeared before the Court during the month for keeping unlicensed dogs.

The following foreigners who are not recognized by any Consulate in Shanghai were before the Court during the month on criminal charges:—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mrs. Sachan | German | Threats | Fined $25 or 2 weeks |
| Mrs. Manikus | French | Unlicensed dog | Fined $4 |
| B. Johnsen *alias* Bill Jones | Jamaican | Vagrancy | 3 months' impt. |
| Juno Abdaulai | Algerian | Larceny | Dismissed |

Owing to the Annual Vacation the number of Chinese Civil Cases awaiting hearing at the end of the month has increased to 104. This number falls far short of the number awaiting hearing on the same date in previous years.

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with, Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

M. O. SPRINGFIELD,

*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,

K. J. McEUEN,

Commissioner of Police.

OFFENCES.

1.—Offences Against the Person :—

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| Abduction | 8 |
| Assault | 33 |
| Kidnapping | 1 |
| Malicious Prosecution | 1 |
| Manslaughter | 1 |
| Rape | 1 |
| Wounding (Causing grievous bodily harm) | 4 |

2.—Offences Against Property :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Arson (or Criminal Negligence) | 1 |
| Burglary | 2 |
| Cruelty to animals | 7 |
| Embezzlement | 3 |
| Extortion (Obtaining money by threats) | 3 |
| False Pretences | 2 |
| Fraud | 6 |
| Godown-breaking | 2 |
| House-breaking | 2 |
| Larceny | 179 |
| Malicious Damage | 2 |
| Receiving stolen property | 8 |
| Robbery | 2 |

3.—Offences of a Public Nature :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 18 |
| Carts | 59 |
| Clubs | 1 |
| Dairy | 1 |
| Dogs | 97 |
| Foodshops | 25 |
| Hawkers | 136 |
| Laundry | 2 |
| Lodging Houses | 3 |
| Motor cars | 45 |
| Opium | 87 |
| Pawnshops | 2 |
| Ricshas | 1,096 |
| Tea-shops | 10 |
| Wheel-barrows | 111 |
| Wine shops | 2 |
| Breach of Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| Fireworks | 3 |
| House refuse | 74 |
| Indecent Advertisements | 1 |
| Lotteries | 3 |
| Nuisances | 1,223 |
| Prostitutes | 36 |
| Sunshades | 9 |
| Traffic | 112 |
| Coining | 2 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 2 |
| Disorderly conduct | 57 |
| Gambling | 23 |
| Loitering with intent | 12 |
| Returning after expulsion | 9 |
| Trafficking in Women or Children | 5 |
| Vagrancy | 5 |
| 4.—Miscellaneous Cases | 12 |
| TOTAL | 3,551 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2,608 |
| Cases withdrawn | 2 |
| Cautioned | 30 |
| Compensation | 2 |
| Dismissed | 51 |
| Expulsion | 2 |
| Fined | 543 |
| Imprisonment | 180 |
| Imprisonment and expulsion | 64 |
| Left to Civil Court | 1 |
| Reformatory | 4 |
| Released on Security | 3 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 3 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 2 |
| Sent to French Police | 1 |
| TOTAL | 3,551 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On August 1 | 45 |
| Received | 32 |
| Released | 31 |
| On August 31 | 46 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 249 |
| " served | 225 |
| Warrants issued | 50 |
| " executed | 30 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 3 |
| " executed | 1 |
| " withdrawn | 1 |
| Summonses issued | 23 |
| " served | 16 |
| " withdrawn | 2 |
| Persons apprehended on warrants | 1 |
| " summoned | 16 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Sealing orders issued | 61 |
| " " executed | 16 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 33 |
| " " withdrawn | 9 |
| " " pending | 3 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 11 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 72 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 30 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 58 |
| " heard | 45 |
| " in course of hearing | 3 |
| " concluded | 45 |
| " awaiting first hearing on Aug. 31, | 104 |
| Summonses issued | 68 |
| " served | 72 |
| " withdrawn | 9 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 43 |
| " executed | 13 |
| " withdrawn | 7 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 13 |
| " summoned | 85 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 62 |
| Sealing orders issued | 19 |
| " " executed | 9 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 10 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 7 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 72 |
| Bonds accepted | 50 |
| " rejected | 26 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On August 1 | 53 |
| Received | 24 |
| Released | 23 |
| On August 31 | 54 |

## 7 per cent. Loan 1919.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed to the current year's loan, as on September 16, 1919:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Nagai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | 50,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 47,000 | | |
| Nippon Yusen Kaisha | 40,000 | | |
| Yokohama Specie Bank, Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| Osaka Shosen Kaisha | 20,000 | | |
| Nisshin Kisen Kaisha | 20,000 | | |
| South Manchuria Railway Co., Ld. | 20,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | | |
| One " | 15,000 | | |
| One " | 14,300 | | |
| One " | 14,000 | | |
| Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| Mitsubishi Bank, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| Shanghai Paper Mill | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 12,500 | | |
| Estate of R. W. Shaw, deceased | 12,400 | | |
| One Investor of | 12,000 | | |
| H. L. Hayward | 11,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,600 | | |
| Shanghai Produce and Stock Exchange Ld. | 10,000 | | |
| C. Itoh & Co., Ld. | 10,000 | | |
| International Savings Society | 10,000 | | |
| Japan China Spinning and Weaving Co., Ld. | 10,000 | | |
| Nippon Menkwa Kabushiki Kaisha | 10,000 | | |
| F. A. Kennedy | 10,000 | | |
| Suzuki & Co. | 10,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | 487,800 | |
| 215 Investors of varying amounts under Tls 10,000 | | 305,400 | |
| 243 Foreign Investors | | | 793,200 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Shanghai Benevolent Industrial Institution | 100,000 | | |
| Yung Tsung King | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,000 | | |
| Chek Sou Char | 15,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 15,000 | 30,000 | | |
| Hangkee | 10,000 | | |
| Sisson Nie and/or Mrs. Isabella Nie | 10,000 | 230,000 | |
| 38 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 83,700 | |
| 46 Chinese Investors | | | 313,700 |
| | | Total Tls | 1,106,900 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer.*

## Wayside Park.

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.
2.—The Park is opened daily to the Public from daylight to dusk.
3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.
4.—Horses, ponies, vehicles and bicycles are not admitted.
5.—Perambulators must be confined to the paths.
6.—Dogs are not admitted unless properly muzzled and led on leash.
7.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers or otherwise damaging the shrubs, plants or grass is strictly prohibited: visitors and other persons in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.
8.—Amahs in charge of children unaccompanied by adults, are not admitted to the Dutch Garden.
9.—Cricket, football, hockey, golf and similar games are not permitted.
10.—The positions of lawn tennis courts are arranged by the Superintendent. Persons using the courts are required to wear indiarubber soled boots or shoes.
11.—The Police have instructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 29, 1919.

## Studley Park.

The following Regulations have been adopted:—

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.
2.—The Park is opened daily to the Public from daylight to dusk.
3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.
4.—Dogs are not admitted.
5.—The playing of organised games is prohibited; also the use of solid balls in children's games
6.—Birdnesting, climbing trees, or otherwise damaging the trees, shrubs, or grass is strictly prohibited; visitors and others in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.
7.—The Police have intructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Acting Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 16, 1917.

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 凡承攬各項本局應有之全份標單

二 所有承攬本局自有之權利

三 本局必將其該項承攬之條件明白開列於下

四 所有取閱或入各人之公信及承攬之人人到局公信及承攬之人人到局公信及承攬之人人到局

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2649.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

WITH a view to the provision of facilities for accumulating savings for periodical investment in Municipal Debentures, the Council has sanctioned the establishment of a Municipal Investment Bank.

Deposits will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balances remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(c) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 2, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2650.**

**TRANSFER OF DEBENTURES REGISTERED IN CHINESE NAMES.**

THE Council has approved acceptance by the Finance Department of Chinese holders' "chops" in lieu of their signatures on all transfers of Debentures, upon the following conditions:—

(*a*) Holders must signify their wishes in writing and must forward two specimens of their "Chop" to the Treasurer for registration.

(*b*) "Chops" must in every case be witnessed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 4, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2651.**

**CLOSE SEASON FOR GAME.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the close season for pheasants, deer, hare and partridges will expire on September 30.

No prohibition attaches to the sale of snipe, quail, woodcock, and wild fowl.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai September 11, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2652.**

**BRENAN ROAD BRIDGE.**

THE Brenan Road Bridge will be closed to vehicular traffic during reconstruction from Monday, September 29, to Thursday, October 2, both days inclusive.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 25, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Monday, September 22, 1919, at 5 o'clock p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
T. Ibukiyama

*Absent:*

Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 6.15 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, September 24, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 6.10 p.m.

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### Council for 1919.

*Office Bearers.*—The office of Vice-Chairman, and vacancies in the various Committees caused by the recent departure from Shanghai of Mr. Ed. White have been filled by the selection of the following gentlemen:—

Vice-Chairman, Mr. A. Brooke Smith.

Health Committee, Mr. A. Brooke Smith (temporarily).

Electricity Committee, Mr. H. A. J. Macray.

Band Committee, Mr. C. M. Bain.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Volunteer Corps Commission*:—In accordance with Resolution XI, passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, Dr. J. R. Hykes, (*Chairman*), Messrs. A. C. Clear, R. E. S. Gregson, S. J. Halse and Major M. H. Logan have been invited and have consented to serve on the Special Commission appointed to enquire into and report publicly upon the condition of "B" Company, British, Shanghai Volunteer Corps, and into the Regulations governing the S.V.C. generally.

### Police Force.

*Foreign Branch Quarters.*—The lease from Messrs. Brandt and Rodgers of No. 21 Tsongchow Road has been renewed for a further period of three years terminating on September 30, 1922.

### Municipal Buildings.

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—Plans have been approved for a fire station to be erected in the Yangtszepoo District on Lot No. 5027, purchased for this purpose in 1916. The estimated cost of the building is Tls. 60,000, and appropriations for part of this sum were included in the successive Budgets of 1917, 1918 and 1919, but hitherto it has been considered desirable to postpone the work and to go very closely into the question of the possibility of erecting a less expensive building, or to erect part only for the present, but finally the Council has arrived at the conclusion that it would be a mistaken policy to save a relatively small sum by constructing a building which would not be equal to modern requirements, having in view the rapid industrial development of the district in recent years, and the valuable mill, and residential property in the vicinity. Authority has, therefore, been given to proceed with the work, and tenders are invited for construction of the building.

The building proposed is to be of fire-resisting construction throughout, with reinforced concrete floors and roof. The external walls are to be of red brick, the ground floor of the main frontages to be faced with artificial stone, and to have stone dressings to windows, etc., on the upper floors.

### Municipal Properties.

*Fearon Road Electricity Station.*—Arrangements have been concluded for the purchase of a piece of unregistered land required for this site, measuring Mow 0.993, for the sum of Tls. 12,600.

*Public School for Girls, Boone Road.*—Correspondence with the Board of Trustees of the Soochow University on the subject of a right of way through the school property from Boone Road:—

Shanghai, June 23, 1919.

Dear Sir,—We, the undersigned, have been appointed by the Board of Trustees of the Soochow University, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, to request the Municipal Council to sell to the Mission a strip of land about ten feet wide off the eastern end of the lot on which the Public School for Girls on Boone Road is located. We wish to obtain a right of way from our lot of land, situated at 18 and 19 Quinsan Road, to Boone Road. We are willing to pay a reasonable price for the strip of land, which we think can be settled by negotiation. This right of way would be a great convenience to us in developing our land, and we trust the Municipal Council can see their way clear to accede to our request. We beg to remind the Council that when, several years ago, they desired us to let them have a strip of our land on the north side of the Public School, at the corner of Chapoo Road and Young Allen Terrace, we yielded to their request and let them have the land at the price they named. We venture to think that in considering the request that we now make they will, in view of our action under similar circumstances, look upon it favourably and agree to our proposal.

Awaiting your reply which we trust will be a favourable one.

Yours faithfully,

A. P. Parker,

W. B. Burke.

N. O. Liddell, Esq.,

Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, September 19, 1919.

Gentlemen,—In reply to your letter of June 23, requesting that the Council will grant you a right of way, about 10 ft. wide, on the Eastern side of the property known as the Public School for Girls in Boone Road, I am directed to state that the Council willingly acquiesces in your request to obtain this right of way, without payment, provided you will give the Council an equivalent area at the North side of the same lot so as to leave more room for light and air between the school buildings and your property, and provided that you will at your own expense set back the shed which at present stands on piece of land which you desire

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant

E. S. B. Ro

*Assistant Secre*

Rev. Dr. A. P. Parker, and others,

for the Soochow University.

### Road Extensions and Wideni

*Whashing and Yangchow R*

—Negotiations have been concl with Mr. Tam Wa for the surre of the scheduled area of Lots and 2987 on the terms contain the following correspondence:-

Shanghai, July 16, 1

Dear Sir,—Sometime in 1916 you wrote to enquire wh I am prepared to make free render of three strips of land B.C. Lots 4085 and 4125; in I regret to say that I cannot a and wish to point out that wit gard to B.C. Lot 4125 the la only suitable for building a p class of Chinese dwelling h and therefore, a 40 ft. road wou quite ample, and by having a road it would not enhance value of the lot, however, I s suggest that I will surrender the land required for making 40 ft. road, and the Council pay for the extra 10 ft. strip a assessed value.

With regard to B.C. Lot 40 agree to surrender free the coloured pink, measuring Mow and since this lot has a road age of over 100 ft. on the W ing Road, I don't see the val having another frontage on Yangchow Road, and therefor cannot surrender free the lan quired for making up this road am prepared to surrender ag payment at the assessed valu

Yours faithfully,

Tam

C. Harpur, Esq.,

Acting Engineer and Survey

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Council Roo

Shanghai, September 19,

Sir,—I am directed to refe your letter of July 16 on the ject of the surrender for Whashing and Yangchow Roa the scheduled strips of Lots and 2987.

In reply thereto I am to i you that the Council accepts offer to surrender free the wh the land required from Lot 29 the Whashing Road meas Mow 0.115, and such of the of Lot 2987 as is required for ing a 40 ft. road. The rema of the scheduled strip of the named lot consists of a 5 ft. not a 10 ft. strip, since the 10 ft. width must be divided e between yourself and the own the opposite side of the road.

In these circumstances, I directed to inform you that Council's offer for the req surrenders is as follows:—

Whashing Road—Lot 2987—A 5 ft. strip, i.e. Mow 0.115 at Tls. 1,000 per mow

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| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Yangchow Road—Lot 2986 Mow 0.4 less Mow 0.010 (being the area of the corner which can be incorporated in your lot) i.e. Mow 0.390 at Tls. 800 per mow | 312 |
| Less 1/3rd for betterment | 104 |
| | Tls. 208 |
| Plus 10% | 21 |
| | 229 |
| | Tls. 344 |

I am Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. S. B. Rowe,

*Assistant Secretary.*

Tam Wa, Esq.

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Shanghai, September 22, 1919.

Sir,—In reply to your letter of September 19, I beg to state that I accept the Council's offer for the surrender of the scheduled strips of Lots 2986 and 2987.

Yours faithfully,

Tam Wa.

E. S. B. Rowe, Esq.,

Assistant Secretary,

Municipal Council.

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*Hungjao Road.* — Arrangements have been concluded with the native owners concerned for acquisition of the unregistered land required to widen this road to 60 ft., from Warren Road to Rubicon Road a total area of Mow 36.797, at a cost of Tls. 9,413.

### Public Lighting.

*Moulmein Road.*—The recommendation of the Engineer has been approved to erect four 60 C. P. lamps on this road at a cost of Tls. 132 per annum.

### Traffic.

The Kashing Road Bridge will be closed to traffic, during repairs, from Tuesday, September 30, to Thursday, October 9, inclusive.

### Transport.

With reference to the paragraph on this subject published in the Gazette of April 17, the Engineer reports that it is now ascertained that the transport of materials by means of motor lorries can be carried out at a cost of Tls. 0.69 per fong per mile, which would be still further reduced with a reduction in the price of petrol. The cost of transport by wheelbarrows at the rates for labour obtaining to-day approximates Tls. 0.88 per fong per mile, and this rate tends to increase still further.

The budget appropriation for motor wagons this year is Tls. 6,000 only, whereas the amount already expended is Tls. 11,790; at the same time the number of lorries available for departmental use is far from being sufficient, with the result that an average of Tls. 1,300 per month is still being expended on wheelbarrow labour. In the circumstances and having regard to the increasing economy effected by this means of transport, the Engineer's recommendation has been approved to purchase two Stewart 2-ton lorries, one 3-ton trailer and one 1½-ton trailer at an additional cost of Tls. 7,600.

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20.

*Police Force.*—Constable J. F. Gabbutt was transferred to the Detective Branch on July 1, 1915.

Japanese Interpreter M. Nakai is dismissed the Force from September 8.

Long leave is granted to the following from November 1:—

Inspector, M. Fitzgibbon.

Sergeant, W. Jones.

Sergeant, J. Wilson.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. N. G. Pells is appointed Assistant Installation Inspector under an agreement terminable at three months' notice from September 8.

Long leave is granted to Mr. J. A. Smallbones, Clerical Assistant, from October 1.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. S. E. Taylor is appointed temporarily as Music Mistress in the Public School for Girls, from September 8.

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, September 21, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 27 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 4 | 1 |
| Acute Diarrhoea | — | 7 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 194 |

Arthur Stanley,

*Health Officer.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 174 | Foochow | G. O. Wootten | | | altns. |
| 43 | Hankow | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | addns. |
| 64 | Soochow | Credit Foncier d'Extreme-Orient | | | addns. |
| 2 | N. Soochow | Zee Shan Kee | | 1 | |
| 2253 | Baikal | Tong Chih Kee | | | wall & gates |
| 1070 | Broadway East | Yih Van Shing | | 2 | watchmen's lodges |
| Unreg. N of 5200 | Pingliang | Dong Kee & Co. | | 1 | |
| Unreg. N of 898 | E. Yalu | Zung Seng Tai | | | workshop & offices |
| Unreg. E of 1870 | Chengtu | Ying Fong Tai | | 1 | |
| 4841 | Ichang | S. J. Powell | | | transformer house |
| 3520 | Markham | Yang Yuen Kee | | | watchman's lodge |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 497 | Tientsin | Chun Wei Ping | 15 | | |
| Unreg. W of 1680 | Tongshan | China Dye Works, Ld. | 2 | | |
| Unreg. N of 898 | E. Yalu | Zung Seng Tai | 3 | | |
| Unreg. E of 1870 | Chengtu | Ying Fong Tai | 4 | | |
| Unreg. N of 5495 | Gordon | Brandt & Rodgers | 3 | | |
| 4390 | Moji Ext. | Woo Mei Kee | 1 | | |
| Unreg. N of 4546 | Tonquin | H. M. Cumine | 43 | | |

### Public Band.

During the month of October the public performances of the Band will be discontinued as in previous years.

*Band Tariff.*—The Council has sanctioned minor alterations in the tariff of charges for the Band, the chief modification being that in future one free rehearsal will be allowed only in cases of engagement of the full or half-Band, all other rehearsals being charged for at one-third the tariff rate, instead of one-half as heretofore; that discounts shall be allowed only on engagements of the full and half Band, and shall be 20 per cent. after three performances and 40 per cent. after eight performances during a season, and that the double rates charged for performances on Sundays, or for marching, be abolished.

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Details of the revised Band tariff are as under:—

The charge for the services of the Band is Tls. 40, and of a Half-Band, consisting of not less than three European and twelve Manila musicians, Tls. 25 per hour or part of an hour.

The services of a smaller number of musicians may be engaged at the rate per hour or part thereof of Tls. 3 for European, and Tls. 1.50 for Manila musicians. In a group numbering less than a Half-Band, the following charge is made for the services of the piano player:—

| per hour or part thereof | |
|---|---|
| European | Manilaman |
| Tls. 1.50 | Tls. 1.00 |

Where not less than a Half-Band is engaged, one rehearsal is permitted without fee, all other rehearsals are charged for at one-third of the above rates.

For the services of a soloist an additional fee of Tls. 25 is charged, inclusive of such rehearsals as are necessary.

Discounts during a season shall be allowed on Full and Half-Bands as follows:—

after 3 performances 20%
,, 8 ,, 40%

Discounts are not allowed on groups of less than a Half-Band or on rehearsals.

The cost of conveyance of musicians for distances beyond a radius of 1 mile from the Municipal Offices, Kiangse Road, must be defrayed by the persons engaging them.

The European musicians are allowed to give private music lessons, with the Conductor's permission obtained in each case.

Applications for engagements and cancellations should be addressed to the Assistant Secretary of Council, Municipal Offices, not less than 24 hours notice should be given in each case. Inquiries concerning details as to performances, music required, etc., may be made of the Condcutor direct (Telephone North 175).

**Summary of Revenue for August.**

| Description | Estimate for 1919 | 1919 | | | 1918 | | | 1917 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 |
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,054,630 | — | 146,967.92 | 774,073.26 | — | 170,775.11 | 747,141.49 | — | 120,403.12 | 586,291.42 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 795 850 | — | 111,863.63 | 513,479.25 | — | 69,181.79 | 461,996.24 | — | 66,282.35 | 434,716.17 |
| Chinese | 1,182,460 | — | 79,229.67 | 604,523.48 | — | 80,927.79 | 699,814.48 | — | 81,264.50 | 685,024.94 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | 11.20 | 1,302.00 | — | — | 1,283.40 | — | 57.80 | 1,306.10 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 220,000 | — | — | 110,335.46 | — | — | 91,870.55 | — | — | 97,600.20 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | 6 | 389.50 | 11,683.50 | 4 | 281.70 | 12,461.70 | 2 | 180.00 | 13,788.00 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 24,000 | 3 | 175.00 | 18,262.50 | 2 | 100.00 | 17,575.00 | 4 | 262.50 | 17,548.96 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 400 | — | — | 424.00 | 1 | 3.00 | 299.00 | — | — | 375.00 |
| Eating House | 9,000 | 26 | 219.82 | 6,783.37 | 476 | 1,201.75 | 6,556.15 | 462 | 1,336.18 | 4,160.56 |
| Chinese Club | 4,500 | 5 | 104.20 | 3,820.90 | 2 | 50.00 | 2,991.70 | 3 | 66.70 | 3,341.70 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13,000 | 1 | 20.00 | 9,045.50 | 1 | 7.00 | 9,480.00 | — | — | 10,096.00 |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36,000 | 11 | 70.50 | 26,525.00 | 734 | 5,780.90 | 26,751.60 | 611 | 4,697.20 | 26,442 42 |
| Tea-shop | 16,000 | 645 | 1,369.00 | 11,113.00 | 663 | 1,342.50 | 10,617.50 | 676 | 1,446.00 | 11,498.25 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 6,500 | 10 | 47.23 | 5,174.54 | 36 | 237.49 | 4,676.84 | 217 | 1,559.55 | 4,823.29 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,000 | 12 | 495.00 | 3,898.00 | 11 | 412.50 | 2,752.50 | 20 | 600.00 | 4,420.00 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 19 | 729.00 | 5,672.00 | 15 | 615.00 | 5,125.00 | 20 | 795.00 | 6,082.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 2,500 | 14 | 294.00 | 2,098.00 | 14 | 220.00 | 1,486.00 | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 29,000 | — | — | 15,982.77 | — | — | 15,601.21 | — | — | 14,655.58 |
| Exchange Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Opium-shop | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 45,390.00 |
| Tobacco Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,000 | 834 | 527.48 | 4,217.77 | 757 | 486.40 | 4,149.42 | 756 | 439.54 | 3,931.04 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,100 | 62 | 90.02 | 744.70 | 63 | 91.10 | 754.58 | 64 | 91.90 | 723.62 |
| Launch | 3,300 | 26 | 52 00 | 2,611.00 | 24 | 48.00 | 2,325.00 | 39 | 72.00 | 2,334.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,802 | 429.91 | 2,916.21 | 1,524 | 357.67 | 2,741.53 | 1,725 | 378.48 | 2,853.24 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 64 | 46.40 | 609.68 | 55 | 39.57 | 593.91 | 81 | 58.21 | 673.72 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 11,500 | P. 16 C. 14 | 56.01 | 7,822.88 | P. 35 C. 23 | 101.89 | 8,547.84 | P. 20 C. 20 | 79.77 | 9,139.22 |
| Livery Stable | 12,000 | P. 401 C. 249 | 1,012.86 | 8,333.63 | P. 410 C. 259 | 1,041.13 | 8,057.34 | P. 399 C. 249 | 1,002.80 | 8,210.92 |
| Motor Car & Motor Bicycle | 45,000 | 139 | 2,198.93 | 36,570.07 | 83 | 606.78 | 28,929.58 | 47 | 274.78 | 21,980.28 |
| Cart | 31,500 | 2,046 | 2,918.00 | 23,797.00 | 1,842 | 2,474.00 | 20,998.00 | 1,595 | 2,275.00 | 20,511.00 |
| Private Ricsha | 55,000 | 494 | 905.94 | 42,239.20 | 420 | 816.45 | 38 935.72 | 168 | 254.75 | 35,590.96 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,618.00 | 92,869.90 | 8,000 | 11,489.10 | 92,166.02 | 8,000 | 11,489.90 | 90,958.86 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 3 | 7.62 | 91.07 | 3 | 8.65 | 100.37 | 5 | 10.77 | 121.03 |
| Wheel-barrow | 50,000 | 8,065 | 4,037.04 | 33,209.56 | 2,231 | 4,119.75 | 32,319.92 | 8,192 | 4,102.17 | 33,217.67 |
| Firearms | 500 | — | — | 150.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 225.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 375.00 |
| Dog | 3,500 | 259 | 940.40 | 5,373.45 | 144 | 207.77 | 3,224.50 | 240 | 344.89 | 3,351.53 |
| RATE OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 111,240 | 6,171 | 9,675.10 | 73,239.44 | 6,180 | 9,605.73 | 71,353 78 | 5,898 | 9,039.63 | 60,339.16 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | — | 410.00 | — | — | 390.00 | — | — | 130.00 |
| Firemen's Quarters | 3,100 | — | — | 805.50 | — | 291.00 | 1,662.00 | — | 236.00 | 1,338.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 5,820 | — | 315.00 | 3,492.58 | — | 415.00 | 3,570.00 | — | 400.00 | 3,560.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 313.43 | 1,473 82 | — | 45.28 | 1,198.57 | — | 13.31 | 260.08 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 33,700 | — | 187.50 | 26,003.60 | — | — | 32,362.34 | — | 258.06 | 33,252.57 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | — | 500.00 | — | — | 500.00 | — | — | 500.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co. Ld. | 7,380 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 5,332.00 |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 50,000 | — | — | 26,759.81 | — | — | 22,947.40 | — | — | 21,940.03 |
| Electricity Department | 242,000 | — | — | 242,000.00 | — | — | 364,000.00 | — | — | 27,640.00 |
| Convict Labour | 12,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concrete ware Manufactory | 10,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 5,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,296,530 | | 377,317.31 | 2,767,768.90 | | 363,456.80 | 2,867,864.68 | | 309,847.86 | 2,355,824.52 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Superintendent of Revenue.*

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## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.

Aerated waters and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water, or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and fly proof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Concreteware Manufactory.

The following is the price list of drain pipes and other articles manufactured. The prices quoted are ex Depôt in Fearon Road near Range Road. Applications for delivery orders should be made at the Public Works Office, 7A The Bund.

| Size | Length | Description | Price in Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12″ | 2′0″ | Pipes (machine made) | 0.80 |
| 9″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.60 |
| 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.40 |
| 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.28 |
| 12″ x 9″ | 2′0″ | Junctions | 1.60 |
| 12″ x 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.45 |
| 12″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.35 |
| 9″ x 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.15 |
| 9″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.05 |
| 6″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 0.80 |
| 6″ | | Knuckle Bends 90° | 0.50 |
| 4″ | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| 6″ | | Bends (long) 45° | 0.50 |
| 4″ | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. A. (without cover) | 0.40 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Yard Gullies Fig. B. (without cover) | 1.25 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.25 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.60 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. C. (without cover) | 0.45 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Revolving Top Gullies incl. C.I. cover | 0.75 |
| 3′ 0″x2′0″ | 3′0″ | Egg-shaped Tubes | 4.50 |
| 2′ 3″x1′6″ | 3′0″ | ,, ,, | 3.10 |
| 1′ 6″x1′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, ,, | 1.70 |
| 3′ 0″ | 3′0″ | Circular Tubes } Price on application | |
| 4′ 6″ | 4′0″ | ,, ,, } | |
| | 3′0″ | Inverts for 12″ pipes | 0.80 |
| 3′ 0″x2′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 2.20 |
| 2′ 3″x1′6″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 1.75 |
| 1′ 6″x1′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 0.85 |
| 3′ 0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Circular Tubes | 4.10 |
| 2′ 0″x2′0″ | 1′0″ | Manhole shafts (large) | 3.00 |
| 2′ 0″x2′0″ | 6″ | ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| 1′ 5″x1′5″ | 6″ | ,, Top Frames | 2.55 |
| 3′10″x1′4″ | 5¾″ | ,, Slabs (large) | 2.90 |
| 3′ 0″x1′5″ | 2¾″ | ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| | | ,, Bricks No. 34a | 0.03½ |
| | | ,, ,, 34b | 0.03½ |
| | | Blind manhole cover (large) | 2.50 |
| | | Blind manhole cover (small) | 1.00 |
| 1′ 6″x1′4″ | 12″ | Street Pot Gullies (bottom) } | 6.50 |
| | | Street Pot Gullies (top) } | |
| 5″ x 2″ | 4′0″ | Kerbs | 0·90 |
| 5″ x 4″ | 4′0″ | Channels | 0·90 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 3′3″ | Pavement Tubes | 1.20 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 2′3″ | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4″ | 9″ | ,, Sockets | 0.38 |
| 3″ | 9″ | ,, ,, | 0.38 |
| 4′0″ x 2′0″ | | Kitchen Sinks | 5.50 |
| 2′6″ x 2′0″ | | ,, ,, | 4.00 |
| 12″ x 4″ | 3′0″ | Boundary Stones | 2.65 |
| | 2′ | M. C. R. Stones | 0.85 |
| | 4′ | ,, ,, | 1.00 |
| 4′0″ x 1′6″ | | Grave Slabs per set of 6 | 9.00 |
| 4′0″ x 1′0″ | | ,, ,, 2 | 2.10 |
| | 18′ | Bearing Pile } Prices on application | |
| | 14′ | ,, ,, } | |
| | 10′ | Sheet Pile } | |
| | 7′6″ | ,, ,, } | |
| | | Fence Post } | |
| | | Ridge Tile | 0.27 |
| | | Square Tile | 0.05½ |
| | 2′5¾″ | Sidewalk Slab } Prices on application | |
| | 1′11¾″ | ,, ,, } | |
| | 0 11¾″ | ,, ,, } | |

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一 所有承攬各項本局認定自有權利承攬本局認定公平價值

二 所有未行估定價值必准攬價目認承辦本局如是極低亦有權不承辦本局付人自亦

三 擇定之後人人遵承攬本款承辦者須覓妥人辦理

四 所有以承攬之人之信合同及保證人之報酬須付人之知悉價

五 本局有取消登載之權所有各款項內錢數必須單付人之信登錄

六 所有承攬人之信用須在西江路十號二十工部局辦理之後仍將該款一律退還

明所收之錢數在此若有賞罰

後將其錢數單內錢之賞罰

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# The Municipal Gazette

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

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Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24s Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2649.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

WITH a view to the provision of facilities for accumulating savings for periodical investment in Municipal Debentures, the Council has sanctioned the establishment of a Municipal Investment Bank.

Deposits will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24s Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balances remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 2, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2650.**

**TRANSFER OF DEBENTURES REGISTERED IN CHINESE NAMES.**

THE Council has approved acceptance by the Finance Department of Chinese holders' "chops" in lieu of their signatures on all transfers of Debentures, upon the following conditions:—

(*a*) Holders must signify their wishes in writing and must forward two specimens of their "Chop" to the Treasurer for registration.

(*b*) "Chops" must in every case be witnessed.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 4, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2653.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Wednesday and Friday, October 8 and 10, 1919.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 2, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Band Committee held on Friday, September 26, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon, there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Howard (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
O. M. Green

The meeting adjourned at 12.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, October 1, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Rangoon Road and Surplus Land.*—Arrangements have been concluded for the straightening of the road by the purchase of Mow 0.996 of land at Tls. 1,200 per mow, Tls. 1,195.

This arrangement will result in leaving in the Council's hands a small piece of surplus land which, with part of the old road land, will measure Mow 1.361.

### Municipal Service Club.

The premises at No. 34 Whangpoo Road, utilized by the above mentioned Club, having become unsuitable and the necessity of obtaining other accommodation evident, negotiations have been concluded with the Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. for the lease of premises at No. 8B Peking Road, for three years, terminating on August 31, 1922.

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### Public School for Girls.

*Kindergarten.*—The lease from Mr. J. Ambrose of No. 24 Kungping Road has been renewed for a further period of two years terminating on November 30, 1921.

### Public Lighting.

*Bubbling Well Road.* — The Engineer's recommendation has been approved, to erect two 60 C.P. lamps on the section of this road between Tifeng and Siccawei Roads, at a cost of Tls. 66 per annum.

### Hongkong University Scholarships.

With reference to the offer of Mr. Edward I. Ezra, late Chairman of the Chinese Educational Committee, to provide scholarships at the Hongkong University for two pupils from the Public School for Chinese and for one pupil from the Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, the Council has learnt with pleasure of the success of Mr. Zung Foh-nyeu, a pupil at the Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, in passing the Matriculation Examination of the above mentioned University. Accordingly the Council has offered and Mr. Zung Foh-nyeu has signified his acceptance of the scholarship set apart for the successful pupil at the Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese.

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling House | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 258 | Hankow & Honan | H. M. Cumine | | | canopy |
| 40 | Szechuen | Palmer & Turner | | | latrine |
| 25 | N. Soochow | do. | | | addns. |
| 894 | Dent Ext. | J. Noble | | | servants' quarters |
| 871 | do. | M. C. Yeh | | | addns. |
| 1999 | Muirhead | G. C. Chia | | | 3 work-sheds |
| 2620 | Yangtszepoo | S. J. Powell | | | car shed |
| 261 | B'bling Well | Brandt & Rodgers | 1 | | |
| 15 | do. | China Realty Co., Ld. | | | altns. |
| 4319 | Markham | Hong Yue Cotton Mill Co., Ld. | | | boiler house |
| 4836 & 4841 | W. Soochow | S. J. Powell | | 2 | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 80[illegible] | Chekiang | Foo Chong | | | addns. |
| 486[illegible] | Tientsin | Cheng Ching Chee | | | addns. |
| Unreg. S of 1641 | Alcock | Wha Tuck Printing Co. | 5 | | |
| 871 | Dent Ext. | M. C. Yeh | 3 | | |
| Unreg. E of 5200 | Lay | Zee Tsze Shing | 5 | | |
| Unreg. N of 1830 | Weihaiwei | Cheng Ching Chee | 8 | | |

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, September 28, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 873,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 14 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 6 | 2 |
| Acute Diarrhoea | — | 9 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 10 | 187 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27.

*Police Force.*—The Council has authorised the institution of the rank of Superintendent of Police, immediately above that of Chief Inspector.

Chief Inspector J. Ramsay is appointed Superintendent of Police with effect from September 1.

Long leave is granted to Sergeant E. C. Rock from October 23.

*Health Department.*—Miss A. M. Donald is re-engaged temporarily as Assistant Nurse from October 1.

Assistant Nurse A. Harding, returned from war service, resumed duty on September 1.

Inspector C. Houghton, returned from war service, resumed duty on August 1.

*Public Works Department.* — Henceforward the official designation of Mr. C. H. Godfrey, Engineer & Surveyor, will be Commissioner of Public Works.

Mr. C. Harpur will be known as Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

The appointment of Assistant Inspector J. E. Morgan, is confirmed under agreement from October 1, terminable at three months' notice.

*Electricity Department.*—Long leave is granted to Miss A. M. Guttierez, Stenographer and Typist, and Mr. J. A. Smallbones, Clerical Assistant, from September 29 and October 1, respectively.

*Public Band.* — Temporary Musician F. C. West is dismissed the service.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. H. G. Whitcher is appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Chinese from September 15.

Mrs. J. B. Grant temporary Assistant Mistress in the Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, was permitted to terminate her service on August 31.

### Traffic.

The Urga Road Bridge will be closed to traffic, during repairs, from Thursday, October 9, to Saturday, October 18, inclusive.

### Fire Brigade Report for August.

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 26, as against 23 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 15,550 (Foreign, Tls. 1,000; Chinese, Tls. 14,550), as against Tls. 87,575 (Foreign, Tls. 70,000; Chinese, Tls. 17,575 during August 1918. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 645,000 (Foreign, Tls. 500,000; Chinese, Tls. 145,000), as against Tls. 715,000 (Foreign, Tls. 525,000; Chinese, Tls. 190,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 16, Watch Towers 9 and Police 1.

The district call was given on 6 occasions, the remaining 20 being station calls.

These calls proved to be 13 small fires, 1 chimney fire, 5 false alarms (3 of which appeared to be malicious) and 7 fires outside the Settlement.

The supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Spontaneous combustion | 2 |
| Candle left burning on goods | 1 |
| Candle upset | 1 |
| Arson | 1 |
| Sparks from chimney | 1 |
| Defective flue | 1 |
| Charcoal iron upset | 1 |
| Gasolene vapour ignited by matches | 1 |
| Unknown | 4 |

The premises affected were:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Foreign buildings | 1 |
| Chinese buildings | 14 |

Of these eight houses were more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The water used at fires during the month was 161,300 gallons.

The Brigade was occupied 239 hours and 5 minutes at fires, or supposed fires.

The fires of note during the month were:—

*Q 193 Tientsin Road, August 5, at 3.26 a.m.*—This was a piece goods godown attached to, and at the back of, No. G 465 Fokien Road, which was found to be in flames. The fire had obtained a very strong hold—however the Central and Sinza Divisions practically confined the damage to the godown, cutting the fire off at the doorways on the ground and first floors of the shop, and in doing so effected a good stop.

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It is interesting to note that although the fire was a severe one, the damage to the godown was but Tls. 11,000 and there was only Tls. 400 damage to the contents of the shop.

*PA 80 off Tsepoo Road, August 6 at 2.04 p.m.*—The upper portion of No. PA 80 off Tsepoo Road was found to be well alight, and there was an unusually large quantity of black smoke emitting from the premises, which was suspicious. For this and other reasons, as soon as the room could be entered, a minute examination was made, and it was found that the place had been set on fire. Practically all the goods had been piled in the centre of the room, and soaked with kerosene. Another outbreak had been started on the verandah.

A man was arrested by the Police, and admitted that he had set the premises on fire for spite. He was charged at the Mixed Court, but was found to be mentally deficient, and was sent to his Native home by the Chinese Authorities.

*Off Robison Road, August 32 at 10.10 p.m.*—The east end of a godown under construction at the Edison Lamp Works was found to be well alight, and the sparks and flame were being driven right across to the two godowns on the south. The Sinza Division had to lay a long line of hose down from the factory. Particular attention was paid to some building materials, which were alight between the godowns in question, and the fire cut off from the western portion of the godown. Additional lines of hose were laid from Robison Road, and with a section of Central, the Sinza Division were successful in confining the fire to the east end of the godown, and undoubtedly saved the two other godowns, which contained merchandize, etc., to the value of Tls. 500,000.

*O 287-8 Kiukiang Road, August 27 at 4.25 a.m.*—This fire endangered the Wing On Extension, under construction, and the Central Division were hampered in their operations, by the ground valve of the nearest hydrant being fenced in. Apart from this at the time of the outbreak there was a stiff south easterly wind, and a number of tins of turpentine, etc., in the building, and several of the Brigade had narrow escapes. The Dar Woo Dah Theatre was also endangered, however the Central and Sinza Divisions practically confined the fire to where it was found, Nos. 287-8, a brass smith's shop, which was badly damaged.

Attention must be drawn to the dangerous practice, which is new as far as this Department is concerned, i.e. the giving of malicious false alarms, such as were received on August 22, 23 and 30 when in each case telephone messages were, received from certain buildings, stating there was a fire on the premises. On arrival of the Brigade it was found that the call had absolutely no foundation, and that such messages had not been sent from the premises in question.

M. W. Pett,
*Chief Officer.*

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call | | Alarm given | Locality | District | | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Time of | How received | | | Municipal | Fire | | | Hours | Minutes | |
| August 1 | 9.06 a.m. | Telephone | Station | off Nantao Bund | Outside | | | | 2¾ | | |
| 3 | 3.27 p.m. | Central Tower | " | Pakhoi/Yunnan Roads | Central | 5 | | | | 15 | False alarm |
| 4 | 4.47 p.m. | Sinza Tower | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | 1¼ | | |
| 4 | 9.37 p.m. | Telephone | District | B 4-7 Sinza Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | 1 damaged | 16 | | |
| 5 | 3.26 a.m. | Central Tower | " | Q 193 Tientsin Road | Central | 6 | Chinese Hong | 1 " | 21 | | |
| 6 | 2.04 p.m. | Telephone | " | PA 80 off Tsepoo Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Dwelling | 3 " | 22 | | |
| 8 | 2.20 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | Station | Chapei | Outside | | | | | 30 | |
| 17 | 2.30 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Chapei | " | | | | | 20 | |
| 18 | 12.02 a.m. | Central Tower | " | Tientsin/Fokien Roads | Central | 3 | | | | 10 | False alarm |
| 18 | 3.54 p.m. | Telephone | " | off Siccawei Road | Outside | | | | | 40 | |
| 21 | 8.19 a.m. | " | " | 122A Bubbling Well Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | | | 15 | |
| 22 | 3.04 p.m. | " | " | P 117-8 Nanking Road | Central | 3 | Chinese Shop | | 4 | | |
| 22 | 4.04 p.m. | " | " | Shanse/Foochow Roads | " | 4 | | | | 10 | Malicious False alarm |
| 23 | 3.16 a.m. | " | " | PB 342 off Purdon Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Shop | | 8 | | |
| 23 | 3.36 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | N. Szechuen Rd Extension | Outside | | | | | 15 | |
| 23 | 6.49 p.m. | Telephone | " | Foochow/Kwangse Rds. | Central | 5 | | | | 15 | Malicious False alarm |
| 23 | 10.10 p.m. | " | District | off Robison Road | Western | 7 | | | 43 | | |
| 24 | 2.58 p.m. | " | Station | off Ferry Road | Outside | | | | 26 | | |
| 24 | 9.41 p.m. | " | District | off Robison Road | Western | 7 | | | | 25 | |
| 24 | 11.57 p.m. | Sinza Police | Station | P 302 Tatung Road | " | 7 | Chinese Coal Yard | | 17 | | |
| 25 | 11.49 a.m. | Central Tower | " | S 377A Ningpo Road | Central | 6 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 15 | Chimney |
| 27 | 4.25 a.m. | Central Tower | District | O 287-8 Kiukiang Road | " | 5 | Chinese Shop | 2 damaged | 16 | | |
| 28 | 1.52 a.m. | Telephone | Station | O 28 -8 Kiukiang Road | " | 5 | Chinese Shop | | 46 | | |
| 28 | 11.31 a.m. | " | " | PE 1003 Elgin Road | Northern | 8 | Chinese Shop | | | 15 | |
| 28 | 11.19 p.m. | " | " | Y 1100 North Szechuen Rd | " | 2 | Chinese Garage | 1 damaged | 12 | | |
| 30 | 8.20 p.m. | " | " | Sinza/Changsha Roads | Western | 7 | | | | 20 | Malicious False alarm |

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二 所有承攬價目能否承認之准否本局亦有不承認之權

三 行使權之後本局亦有不承認之權

四 人到局保證金之後方能承攬本局之信用及承攬人之信譽

五 所有取閱說明書者須付錢一角方能領取

六 所有承攬人公報牌上所載之價目以後登入本局公報牌上所載之價目

漆面寫明投標字樣並注明所承攬之項目及所取之錢款一律退還

二部局總辦處須在西江路二十四號內設置投標箱

二時前送到本局收發處

信內必須寫明所承攬之項目

信上必須加蓋火漆封印

信送來最後一天下午十二時

信內所有承攬之項目及所取之錢款一律退還

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單發給

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road** | | |
| 135 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31 |
| 136 | 100 „ „ „ „ „ 2 „ | — | do. |
| 137 | 2.400 „ „ „ „ „ 3 „ | — | do. |
| 138 | 2,000 „ „ „ „ „ 4 „ | — | do. |
| 139 | 7,000 „ „ Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 140 | 900 „ Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 Thin | — | do. |
| 141 | 400 „ „ „ „ „ 2 Medium | — | do. |
| 142 | 400 „ „ „ „ „ 3 Heavy | — | do. |
| 143 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 144 | 400 Brown „ 68 × 90 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before June 30, 1920. | — | do. |
| 145 | 2,000 Brown Blankets 84 × 60 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before December 31, 1919. | — | October 31 |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund** | | |
| 512 | Electric Wiring, Central Offices | Tls. 50 | October 5 |
| 513 | Painting at Maternity Ward | — | October 3 |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 511

Erection of the Yangtszepoo Fire Station

| | | Time |
|---|---|---|
| Joe Ming Kee | Tls. 48 500 | 9 months |
| Zee Shan Kee | 45.920 | 14 „ |
| Wong Kor Sung | 45.800 | 8 „ |
| Sin Jin Kee | 44,500 | 11 „ |
| *Yue Chang Tai | 40,000 | 10 „ |
| Chang Fook Kee | 36,300 | 14 „ |

*Accepted (Vide time required)

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Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2649.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

WITH a view to the provision of facilities for accumulating savings for periodical investment in Municipal Debentures, the Council has sanctioned the establishment of a Municipal Investment Bank.

Deposits will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balances remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, September 2, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2654.**

**MOTOR CAR OR OTHER MOTOR VEHICLES.**

THE following additional licence conditions will be enforced with effect from October 20:—

10A.—That the driver furnish to the Police the earliest information possible regarding any suspicious conduct or movements of any person whilst being driven by him.

10B.—That the licensee of public motor cars keep a register wherein shall be entered the name and address of any person hiring a car whether the hirer pays cash or not for the hire, which register shall at all times be open for inspection by the Police.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, October 9, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, October 3, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
L. E. Canning
W. D. McCallum
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mr. A. Brooke Smith
Mrs. D. Henman

*Absent:*

Mrs. C. F. Remer
Messrs. T. Ibukiyama
S. C. Lin

The meeting adjourned at 7.10 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Tuesday, October 7, 1919, at 5 o'clock p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
W. P. Lambe
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Messrs. J. H. Dollar
H. A. J. Macray

The meeting adjourned at 6.25 p.m.

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**Council for 1919.**

Mr. Wm. P. Lambe has accepted the Council's invitation to fill the vacancy in the membership caused by the recent resignation of Mr. Ed. White. He will serve on the Watch and Health Committees.

**Volunteer Corps.**

Letter from the General Officer Commanding, China Command, forwarding copy of a letter from the War Office, with Council's reply:—

Hongkong, September 17, 1919.

SIR,—The General Officer Commanding, China Command, has much pleasure in communicating the enclosed letter of August 1, 1919 from the War Office.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

CHAS. WHITE, *Major,*
*Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quarter-Master General, China Command.*

CHAIRMAN,
Shanghai Municipal Council.

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(*Enclosure.*)

August 1, 1919.

SIR,—With reference to your No. C.R. 8029 'G', dated May 15, 1919, I am commanded by the Army Council to inform you that the report of the inspection of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps by Colonel J. R. Young, Chief Engineer, China Command, has been read with great interest.

I am to request that you will convey to the Commandant the appreciation of the Army Council of the high standard of training and *esprit de corps* reported.

I am to add that every assistance possible will be given in arming the Corps with more modern weapons, particularly in the way of guns and machine guns.

18-pounder guns will be supplied to replace the 15 pounders as soon as shipping is available. It is considered that 4.5″ howitzers would be too heavy, and there is no prospect of there being sufficient 3.7″ mountain howitzers for at least two years. Later pattern machine guns will also be supplied as soon as they are available.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
(Sd.) B. B. CUBITT.

The GENERAL OFFICER COMMANDING,
China Command, Hongkong.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 3, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of September 17, transmitting a communication received from the War Office, intimating the Army Council's appreciation of the high standard of training and the *esprit de corps* of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps, as evidenced in the inspection report of Colonel J. R. Young, Chief Engineer, China Command.

On behalf of myself and my colleagues, I have the honour to inform you that the Council is highly gratified with this expression of appreciation, as also to convey to you its sincere thanks for your kind representations which have resulted in the Army Council's ready and much valued promise of assistance in re-arming the Corps with more modern equipment.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

H. E. MAJOR-GENERAL F. VENTRIS,
Commanding H. M. Troops in
China, Hongkong.

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Letter from the Italian Consul-General with Council's reply:—

Shanghai, September 26, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that I have to-day handed over to the Shanghai Volunteer Corps two machine guns with accessories and ammunitions, which are loaned by the Italian Government to the Shanghai Municipal Council for use of the Italian Company of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps.

The conditions of the loan are those stated in Major Trueman's letter of May 23, 1919 to Mr. Chieri, with the exception of some details which can be settled between them.

A further supply of ammunitions and fifty rifles also for the armament of the Italian Company will arrive on the Italian Gunboat Caboto and will be then handed over to Mr. Trueman.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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May 23, 1919.

DEAR MR. CHIERI,—Referring to our conversation about the proposal made by the Italian Minister concerning the loan of two machine guns for the use of the Italian Company.

I have ascertained unofficially from the Chairman of the Council that the guns would be accepted by the Council on the following conditions:—

1.—The guns would be loaned to the Council as an addition to the armament of the Corps, in the same way as the British Government has loaned the battery of 15 pdr. guns to the Council.

2.—The machine guns would be manned by Italians now forming the Italian Company of Infantry, for the reason that, it is not now and probably never will be, possible to raise the strength of the Italian Company to that of an effective infantry unit.

3.—The machine guns would be provided with light field carriages for man handling.

4.—The calibre of the Italian machine guns is, I think, .256 (inches) while all our small arms ammunition is .303. It would therefore be necessary for the Italian Government to provide ammunition for the guns, and I would suggest, 200 rounds per month per gun for training and practice, and a reserve of 10,000 rounds not to be used except for service.

5.—The guns and ammunition would be stored at S.V.C. Headquarters and under the control of the Commandant of Volunteers.

6.—If the Italian Company should be disbanded, the guns would be returned to the Italian Minister.

I shall be glad to hear from you that it is possible for the guns to be loaned on the foregoing conditions.

Yours sincerely,
T. E. TRUEMAN,
*Major, Commandant, S.V.C.*

LIEUT. V. CHIERI,
Commanding Italian Co. S.V.C.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 3, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of September 26, on the subject of the loan by the Italian Government to the Council of two machine guns with accessories and ammunition for use by the Italian Company of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps.

In reply, I have the honour to convey to you an expression of my colleagues' sincere appreciation of this generous loan which they cordially accept upon the conditions stated in Major Trueman's letter to Mr. Chieri, dated May 23, 1919. I have also the honour to accept and thank you for the further supply of ammunition and fifty rifles which will shortly arrive on the Italian gunboat Caboto.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

G. DE ROSSI, Esq.,
Consul-General for Italy.

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## Chinese Education.

*Public School for Chinese.*—Certificate of having completed the curriculum and passed the sixth form examination has been issued to Mr. Zung Fu-gee (陳福祺). This pupil has also passed the Matriculation Examination of the University of Hongkong.

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, October 6, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 678,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 15 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 2 |
| Acute Diarrhoea | — | 6 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 169 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Health Officer's Report for September.

The epidemic of choleraic diarrhoea, which commenced at the beginning of July and reached its maximum in the first week of August, exhausted itself earlier than expected, comparatively few cases occurring in September. In previous epidemics the month of September has been almost as deadly as August. This rapid flare up and early termination is probably accounted for by the long period of comparative immunity since 1912 when choleraic diarrhoea last assumed epidemic proportions. Previous to 1912 there was, in recent

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years, a very severe epidemic in 1907 followed by a lessened though still epidemic incidence in 1909 and 1910. In all these years except the present the epidemic was severe in September. During the present epidemic the number of Chinese deaths during July, August and September was 296, 283 and 69. During the weeks ending September 7, 14, 21 and 28 the number of deaths among Chinese from all forms of acute diarrhoea was 29, 18, 7 and 9.

No new features, not touched upon in the reports for July and August, were observed during the month under review.

Amoebic Dysentery has shown its customary prevalence. There has been a considerable incidence of Beri-beri among the Japanese community.

Towards the end of the month there were signs of a commencing special prevalence of Paratyphoid fever among both foreigners and Chinese. Those who have neglected to follow the recommendations of the Public Health Notice as to vaccination against the Typhoid fevers in May of each year are advised to obtain this protection without further delay. During the first few years of residence in China Typhoid Vaccination should be repeated annually. In order to avoid interference with work it is advised to have the first injection on Saturday and the second on the following Saturday. In this way the slight indisposition following the first vaccination may be mitigated by a quiet lie off during the week end. It saves time and inconvenience to have Smallpox vaccination done at the same time. These vaccinations have practically wiped out Typhoid fever and Smallpox from armies where done systematically. A much stricter routine of life is called for in China than at home in order to keep well. The best time for vaccination against Smallpox is the present so as to be forearmed against its inevitable recurrence during the early winter months.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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DEATHS.

| | Foreign. Resident | Foreign. Non-resident. | Chinese. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 4 | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 4 | 1 | 100 |
| Beri-beri | 8 | 3 | 16 |
| Dysentery | 3 | 0 | 14 |
| Acute Diarrhoea | 4 | 0 | 69 |
| From all causes | 36 | 8 | 902 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cholera | 1 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 5 |
| Diphtheria | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 |
| Dysentery | 15 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases Admitted—Diphtheria | 3 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 2 | 0 |
| Other Diseases | 10 | 30 |
| Discharged | 12 | 49 |
| Died | 1 | 1 |
| Remaining last day of month | 10 | 9 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 2,090 |
| Bacterial " " | 138 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 7 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 569 |
| Analyses | 53 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted. | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 39 | 5 |
| Surgical | 21 | 0 |
| Maternity | 7 | 2 |
| Mental | 4 | 0 |
| Total | 71 | 7 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 257 | 516 | 205 | 373 | 1451 |
| Rats plague infected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation | 800 | 1000 | 750 | 200 | 2750 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 989 | 1369 | 670 | 366 | 3394 |
| Poisoned baits laid | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier | 0 | 0 | 208 | 0 | 208 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen | 1,935 | 2 | 1,935 | 0 | 0 |
| Sheep | 2,729 | 0 | 2,729 | 10 | 0 |
| Calves | 356 | 0 | 356 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs | 382 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.

Sample received September 9, 1919.

Report sent out October 3, 1919.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.

Physical Characters.—Yellowish green colour with considerable opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 16.4 |
| (a) Volatile | 6.0 |
| (b) Fixed | 10.4 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 11.4 |
| (a) Temporary | 6.4 |
| (b) Permanent | 5.0 |
| Chlorine | 2.9 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0630 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0019 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0019 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |

Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° C. 0.0330.

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° C. and 37° C. showed an average of 100 and 52 microbes per cubic centimetre respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in quantities of 2.25 c.c.'s and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Shows satisfactory filtration.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 0 | 6 | 9 | 13 | 28 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 49 | 100 | 145 | 45 | 339 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 85 | 110 | 144 | 380 | 719 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 916 | 870 | 1160 | 2,442 | 5,388 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 22 | 97 | 382 | 149 | 650 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Defective drainage amended | 26 | 19 | 48 | 8 | 101 |
| Insanitary wells abolished | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 1 | 6 | 3 | 4 | 24 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 31 | 4 | 3 | 10 | 48 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 0 | 1 | 682 | 683 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 10 | 14 | 0 | 24 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| Offensive trade processes amended | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 11 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 17 | 22 | 5 | 16 | 60 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 83 | 65 | 101 | 27 | 276 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 11 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Notices of intention to proceed served | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 0 | 13 | 14 | 20 | 47 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 40 | 790 | 1640 | 276 | 2,746 |
| Outside hawkers licensed | 653 | 728 | 605 | 390 | 2,376 |
| Food prosecutions | 0 | 47 | 12 | 12 | 71 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 0 | 28 | 11 | 5 | 44 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 0 | 2 | 69 | 0 | 71 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,765 | 3,246 | 2,790 | 3,044 | 12,845 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 7,176 | 4,613 | 2,455 | 1,972 | 16,216 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 1,875 | 339 | 189 | 137 | 2,540 |

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENT

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 凡承攬人須遵照本局所開之條件辦理

三 本局有權將任何承攬事件全部或一部分拒絕之

四 本局不必承認最低或任何承攬人所有之開支

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2655.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

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2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

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5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balances remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

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(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2654.**

**MOTOR CAR OR OTHER MOTOR VEHICLES.**

THE following additional licence conditions will be enforced with effect from October 20:—

10A.—That the driver furnish to the Police the earliest information possible regarding any suspicious conduct or movements of any person whilst being driven by him.

10B.—That the licensee of public motor cars keep a register wherein shall be entered the name and address of any person hiring a car whether the hirer pays cash or not for the hire, which register shall at all times be open for inspection by the Police.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 9, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2656.**

THE public is reminded that licence fees on private vehicles for the December Quarter are now due.

Residents owning Motor Cars, Carriages, Ricshas, Ponies, etc., are therefore requested to take out the necessary licences without delay, for which purpose application must be made at the Revenue Office, accompanied in every instance by the amount of the licence fee. The owners of any vehicles, etc., found to be unlicensed are liable to prosecution under Land Regulations XIII and XIV.

Mafoos or coolies in charge of vehicles, etc., are required to produce the licence card when called upon to do so by the Police.

Dog owners who have not yet taken out licences for the current year are requested to make application for the same at the Revenue Office.

All Dogs must be licensed and muzzled.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Permanent Education Committee held on Thursday, October 9, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Rev. Dr. F. L. Hawks Pott (*Chairman*)
Messrs. E. C. Pearce
R. F. C. Master
Dr. R. S. Ivy

The meeting adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, October 10, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
L. E. Canning
W. D. McCallum
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mr. A. Brooke Smith
Mrs. D. Henman
Mrs. C. F. Remer

*Absent:*
Messrs. T. Ibukiyama
S. C. Lin

The meeting adjourned at 7.10 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, October 15, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
W. P. Lambe
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Messrs. J. H. Dollar
H. A. J. Macray

The meeting adjourned at 5.35 p.m.

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### Volunteer Corps.

*Volunteer Corps Commission.*—Mr. J. Quin has accepted the Council's invitation to serve on this Commission, in the place of Mr. A. C. Clear, resigned.

### Traffic.

Tongshan Road, between Singkeipang Road and Chaoufoong Road, will be closed to vehicular traffic from Friday, October 17, and until further notice, to permit of the culverting of the Singkeipang Creek.

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, October 12, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 22 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 3 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 154 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11.

*Fire Brigade.*—Mr. G. B. Thompson is appointed Supervising Fireman on three months' probation from August 27.

*Police Force.*—Warder J. Reynolds is invalided from September 27.

Sikh Constable No. 188, Soocha Singh, is discharged, invalided, from October 2.

Long leave is granted to Mr. K. J. McEuen, Commissioner, from October 25.

Sergeant E. C. Rock is permitted to terminate his service on December 31.

E. Bouvier, having served the probationary period, is confirmed in the rank of Warder from October 1.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Sikh Cook Sant Singh from October 15.

The temporary service of Nurse M. Hisako terminated on July 31.

Miss Abe Wae is re-engaged temporarily as nurse from August 1.

Miss M. L. Vial, candidate from an appointment as Probationer Nurse, was permitted to terminate her service, under medical certificate, on September 30.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. H. F. Stoneham is appointed temporarily as Clerical Assistant from September 22.

Mr. M. G. Brawley is appointed temporarily as Assistant in the Meter Department from September 1.

*Educational Department.*—Mr. P. W. Bennett is appointed Assistant Master in the Public School for Boys from August 24.

Mrs. E. Box, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Chinese, was permitted to terminate her service on September 30.

Mr. H. S. Bartley is appointed Assistant Master in the Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese under an agreement from October 5.

*Secretariat.*—Mr. R. F. Barff, Assistant in the Secretariat, returned from war service, resumed duty on September 27.

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 36 | Bund | Chartered Bank of India, Australia & China | | | water-closet |
| 141 | Kiangse | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | block offices |
| 249 | Nanking | P. Tilley | | 1 | |
| 540 | Szechuen | Maitland & Co., Ld. | | | water-closet |
| 2390 | Chinwangtao | F. Hooley | | 1 | |
| 7293 | Seoul | Hou Sung Cotton Mill Co., Ld. | | 1 | |
| 3780 | Whashing | Brandt & Rodgers | | | addns. |
| 2426 | Yangtszepoo | New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works, Ld. | | | addns. |
| 4163 | Haiphong | Hong Yue Cotton Mill Co., Ld. | 1 | | |
| 1457 | Mohawk | Davies & Brooke | | | 9 blocks stables, wall & latrines |
| 4608 & 4610 | Mokanshan | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | 1 | |
| 4600 Unreg. W of 2755 | W. Soochow Yuyuen | Tong Chih Kee Zee Shan Kee | 1 | | addns. |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 531 | Hoopeh | Yang Yuen Kee | | | altns. |
| 616 | Lloyd | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | 12 | | |
| 191 | Peking and Shantung | Tong Wai Kee | 4 | | |
| 1074 | Fearon | Yeang Tung Ling | | | addns. |
| 2351 | Baikal | Van Sung Kee | 2 | | |
| 435 | Sawgin | King Kee | | | |
| Unrg. E of 1943 | Ward | S. V. Chen | 3 | | addns. 3 workshops |
| 435 | Wuchow | Tsin Kee | 1 | | |
| 4163 | Haiphong | Hong Yue Cotton Mill Co., Ld. | | 1 | |
| 591 | Sinza | Tong Van Kee | 5 | | |

### Report of Commissioner of Police for September.

Strength of the Force on September 30.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 185 | |
| Japanese | 26 | |
| Sikhs | 604 | |
| Chinese | 1,486 | |
| | | 2,310 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 79 | |
| Followers | 223 | |
| | | 302 |
| | Total | 2,612 |

The decision reached by the Central Government in the early part of September to send another Peace Delegation to Shanghai caused a considerable stir in political circles here. Despite the often expressed desire of the Southerners for peace, the decision of Peking was the signal for a campaign in the Kuomintang press against the personnel of the Northern Delegation, and threats were loudly made that the South would not consent to treat with them. Undaunted by these fulminations Mr. Wong Ih-tang, who had been appointed Chief of the Northern Peace Delegation, arrived here on September 19, having been preceded by the other Northern delegates. Seven of the latter had called on Mr. Tang Shao-yi, Chief of the Southern Peace Delegation, the previous day. Learning from them that Mr. Wong would not change his decision to come to Shanghai, Mr. Tang shifted his ground somewhat. Instead of refusing to consider an interview with Mr. Wong because of his personality, Mr. Tang was now prepared to meet him under certain conditions, and once more had resort to the present Anti-Japanese feeling to find an excuse for declining to resume the conference. Mr. Tang told the Northern delegates that he would not receive Wong Ih-tang until the Central Government had published all its agreements with Japan, and issued a full statement of China's financial obligations to Japan.

Mr. Wong has not seen his way to comply with this demand, but he has remained in Shanghai and his presence here is causing considerable discomfiture to the Southern party which fears a popular clamour for the resumption of the Peace Conference. The Kuomintang press is already anticipating this eventuality by spreading reports that the Northern delegation is bribing loafers to carry on an artificial agitation for peace. Whether Mr. Wong Ih-tang is successful in inducing the Southerners to meet him or not, his mission is likely to hasten peace in so far as it will have convinced the people of the desire of the Northerners to end the civil strife and the anxiety of the Southerners to perpetuate it.

The Street Union Leaders have been active during September trying to perfect their organization. They have formed a Central Association and have entered into an alliance with the Students' Union. They suffer at present from lack of funds, and popular support is on the wane.

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They are, however, likely to persevere, for the leaders realize that their present positions give them the chance of becoming the leaders of any popular agitation which may arise.

The Unions are still made use of by political agitators. At a meeting which they held at No. 22 Bubbling Well Road, the office of the National Press Association, on September 22, they decided to ask residents to display posters expressing their opposition to Mr. Wong Ih-tang, Chief Northern Peace Delegate. Several shops acted on their request and exhibited such posters between September 23 and 26.

Nobody has so far been appointed to fill the post of Military Governor of Shanghai rendered vacant by the departure of General Lu Yung-ziang who was promoted successor to Tuchun Yang of Chekiang who died on August 13, 1919. The position has not been left vacant through lack of candidates of whom there seems to be a superfluity. Different cliques are, however, pulling the strings to secure the appointment of their nominees, and the Central Government seems to avoid making the appointment through fear of offending any of those conflicting interests. There is no reason to doubt the ability of the temporary occupant of the post, but it would seem desirable in the interests of peace and good order that a permanent Military Governor be appointed as soon as possible. Dangerous elements are already beginning to take advantage of the present unsettled state of affairs. The Anti-Japanese agitators, who were prohibited by General Lu from holding public demonstrations since July 1, held meetings in the Public Recreation Ground, near St. Catherine's Bridge, on September 7 and 21. The "Wheel" gang has also made bold to resume gambling at No. 28 North Honan Road Extension, in the immediate vicinity of the house where they operated formerly. The new place is called the "Auction Bridge Club" and was opened during the first week of September.

Korean nationalists in Shanghai have been active during the past month. They seem to have made the Western part of Frenchtown their headquarters. They have been publishing a newspaper in Korean since August 21 which appears thrice weekly. It prints criticisms of Japanese rule in Korea, and talks outspokenly about freedom and self-determination. An announcement appeared in this paper on September 11 saying that Shanghai had been chosen as the seat of the provisional Government of the so-called Korean Republic.

*Robberies.*—No report of armed robbery was received during the month.

One case of attempted armed robbery occurred, in the Wayside district in which one person was arrested who after trial was remitted to the Court of the Shanghai Military Governor.

Two cases of unarmed highway robbery from the person were reported. One occurred in Bubbling Well, and one in the Central district. One person was arrested in connexion with the former report, the case against him being eventually dismissed.

Seven persons were arrested during the month in connexion with robberies committed prior to September 1, 1919. Six of these after trial at the Mixed Court were remitted to the Court of the Shanghai Military Governor and the case against the other was dismissed.

Four persons were also arrested on a charge of being in possession of firearms. Three were sentenced to imprisonment in the Municipal Gaol and the case against the other was dismissed.

Eight persons were arrested for being concerned in armed robberies committed outside the Settlement limits. They were charged at the Mixed Court and handed over to the Court of the Military Governor.

The person referred to as being under remand at the end of August 1919 on a charge of armed highway robbery was, after trial at the Mixed Court, handed over to the Court of the Shanghai Military Governor.

Of the two persons referred to as being under remand at the end of August 1919 on charges of robbery, one was remitted to the Court of the Military Governor, and the other was sentenced to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol.

The charge against the person referred to as being under remand at the end of August 1919 for being a member of a gang of robbers was amended to that of loitering and he was sentenced to imprisonment in the Municipal Gaol.

The total number of persons handed over to the Court of the Military Governor for the month of September was eighteen, one being charged with murder, thirteen with armed robbery, and four with armed robbery and murder.

*Arrests in Connexion with Bomb Cases.*—In the report for the month of July 1919, reference was made to the arrest of ten persons charged in connexion with the sending of threatening letters and bombs to various places in the Settlement during the year. The charge against four of these persons was withdrawn by the prosecution. Of the remaining six, one was sentenced to three years' imprisonment and five were expelled from the Settlement for a period of three years.

*Murder.*—In connexion with the two cases of murder referred to in last month's report wherein arrests were made in both cases, five men were arrested and convicted in the Yangtzepoo case, one being remitted to the Court of the Shanghai Military Governor and four sentenced to various terms of imprisonment. In the East Seward Road case four men were charged. These men, together with three associates, were remitted to the Court of the Military Governor.

*Reports of Property Stolen.*—During the month a total of two hundred and thirty-six reports of property stolen were made at the various stations. Inquiries were made with successful results in eighty-one of these cases.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 557 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 173 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 204 records were received from the French Police out of which number 93 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| For identification | 761 | |
| Identified | 266 | |
| Percentage | 35 | |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | | 8 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | | 27 |
| | | 35 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 7.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 327 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 57 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 70 | *Second offenders.* |
| 39 | *Third offenders.* |
| 4 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 60 | *Habitual offenders* (serious) |
| 557 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for September.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed for the Public Works Department | Tls. | Nil. |
| *Less.* | " | " |
| Total | Tls. | Nil. |
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the Public Works Department | Tls. | 1,142.98 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | | 552.64 |
| Total | Tls. | 590.34 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. | 590.34 |

**Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.**

K. J. McEuen,
*Commissioner of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

1.—*Offences against the person:*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Assault | 2 |
| Causing grievous bodily harm | 1 |
| Suicide, attempted | 1 |

2.—*Offences Against Property:*—

| | |
|---|---|
| False pretences | 1 |
| Housebreaking | 1 |

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3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:—*

*Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Motor Cars | 4 |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:—* | |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 2 |
| In possession of opium | 2 |
| Total | 14 |

| *Not Charged:* | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 2,240 | 2,240 |
| Others | 39 | 828 | 867 |
| Total | 39 | 3,068 | 3,107 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cautioned | 2 |
| Dismissed | 1 |
| Fined | 4 |
| Imprisonment | 1 |
| " and Expulsion | 1 |
| " and Fined | 3 |
| Remanded | 1 |
| Ordered to return to Korea | 1 |
| Total | 14 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on September 30.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 6 |
| Louza Station | 12 |
| Hongkew Station | 9 |
| Harbin Road Station | 1 |
| West Hongkew Station | 5 |
| Wayside Station | 9 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 2 |
| Sinza Station | 7 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 1 |
| Gordon Road Station | 1 |
| Gaol | 1,526 |
| Reformatory | 82 |
| Total | 1,661 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 812 | 234 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 812 | 234 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN August 30 and September 26.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 32,848.38 |
| Recovered | 23,494.48 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 31. 8. 19. | 30 | 333 |
| Captured | 303 | |
| Returned | 77 | 333 |
| Killed | 214 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 2 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 40 | |

## Report of Commissioner of Public Works for September.

It frequently happens that letters affecting matters that come under the control of the Public Works Department are addressed to other Departments. This often leads to delay which can be obviated if all communications with regard to the following are addressed direct to the Public Works Department, viz:—

Construction, Maintenance, Cleansing and Watering, and Lighting of Public Roads.

Construction and Maintenance of Sewers.

Construction and Maintenance of Bridges and Culverts.

Conservancy of Creeks and Waterways, including Bunding works and Landing Accommodation.

Permits for New Buildings and for alterations or additions to Buildings.

Acquisition of land for new roads and for road improvement works.

Matters relating to Parks and Open Spaces and Roadside Trees.

The survey and preparation of Official Plans of all Consular lots and their recording on the Municipal Plans and in the Municipal Cadastral Registers.

The defining by stones of all Municipal roads and properties.

All communications should be addressed to the Commissioner of Public Works, and not to individuals.

Good progress has been made during the month with the construction of asphaltic concrete roads, work having been completed in Peking Road from Fokien Road to Chekiang Road and in Kiukiang Road from Kiangse Road to The Bund. A commencement was also made towards the end of the month on the reconstruction of Peking Road west of the Bund, but the rainy weather that set in at about that time delayed its progress.

*Roads.*—The widening of Bubbling Well Road immediately east of Hardoon Road has been completed and similar work is in progress between Hart Road and Siccawei Road and also east of Love Lane.

The ballasting and metalling of the roadway adjoining the Wayside Public Wharf is completed.

Liping Road is being widened between Yangtszepoo Road and Pingliang Road.

Linching Road is being raised and formed between Yangtszepoo Road and Pingliang Road.

Moulmein Road has been ballasted and metalled for a width of 12 feet south of Bubbling Well Road.

Yochow Road has been ballasted and metalled for a width of 12 feet east of Kungping Road.

Kirin Road is being ballasted and metalled for a width of 12 feet east of Thorburn Road.

The following roads are being surfaced with asphaltum:—

Ward Road from Whashing Road to Lay Road.

Lay Road from Yangtszepoo Road to Ward Road.

Tongting Road south of Yangtszepoo Road.

Wetmore Road south of Yangtszepoo Road.

Gordon Road from Bubbling Well Road to Sinza Road.

Sinza Road from Carter Road to Gordon Road.

Kiaochow Road from Connaught Road to Yuyuen Road.

Avenue Edward VII from Shantung Road to Thibet Road.

*Bridges.*—Both abutments for the new bridge at Brenan Road have been completed and the main girders have been placed in position. The position of the old timb bridge has been changed slightly that it can continue to carry tl traffic whilst the steelwork for tl new bridge is being erected. It w necessary to close the bridge vehicular traffic for three days carry out this operation.

Extensive repairs are being ca ried out to East Kashing Roa Kashing Road and Urga Roa Bridges.

*Bundings.*—The construction c the concrete bunding at Wencho Road has been completed.

The construction of the dwa timber bundings in Brenan Roa and Lay Road has been completed.

*Landing Accommodation.*—Thre of the old timber jetties frontin North Soochow Road are being re placed by the standard type of re inforced concrete jetties.

*Drainage.*—The laying of th 1-ft. 6-in. by 1-ft. 0-in. eggshape sewer in Peking Road has been com pleted westwards as far as Kwei chow Road.

A 12-in. diameter sewer is bein laid in Ningkuo Road south o Ward Road.

The culverting of the Bubbling Well Road Creek has been com pleted.

The culverting of the Gordon Road Creek from Connaught Road to Sinza Road has been completed for about one-half of its length.

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

*Central Offices.*—All the breeze brick partitions in the West Block have been erected and plastering is proceeding.

*Fire Brigade Workshops at Hongkew Fire Station.*—A tender has been accepted for the erection of these Workshops and the work is about to commence. The Building, which will be of brick construction with reinforced concrete columns and roof, is one storey in height, but is designed so that an additional storey can be added at any time should additional accommodation become necessary.

*Gaol.—Deport Block.*—Progress on this work is being satisfactorily maintained.

*Isolation Hospital.*—The alterations to the East Block are now completed. The conversion of the Quarters formerly occupied by the 2nd Assistant Health Officer into Quarters for Nurses is proceeding.

*Riverside Power Station.*—The concrete arch for the support for the north turbine in the new Turbine House has been completed.

*Whashing Road Substation.*—All reinforced concretework excepting that for the roof has been completed.

*Park Road Substation.*—Construction has been completed to the level of the second storey.

*Fearon Road Substation.*—A concrete floor has been laid in the entrance court.

*Tonquin Road Substation.*—The foundations have been completed and portion of reinforcing steel and centering for the first storey erected.

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*Pingchiao Quarry.*—875 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected cartloads | 4,409 |
| Used for raising land | 539 |
| Water used for street watering | 8,112,200 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,609 |
| Artisans | 387 |
| Foremen | 240 |
| Mafoos | 159 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 8,619 pieces |
| Machine made | 1,330 ,, |
| | 9,949 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 67 admissions during the month and 177 bundles of wood chopped.

### *New Buildings.*

Summary of work done during the month:—

| *Description of Work.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 385 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 109 |
| Plans approved | 67 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 3,043 |
| Boundary walls erected | 430 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadway | 6 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 20 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 1 |
| Applications for licence dealt with | 22 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 57 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

### *Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by Public Works Department | 1 |
| First intimation notices issued | 1 |

### *Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 68 |
| Boundary stone certificates issued | 66 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 29 |
| New lots put under taxation | 7 |
| The assessed value of the land placed under taxation is Tls. 57,009 | |
| Official plans prepared | 49 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 240 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 131 |
| Surveys made in connexion with Road Widenings and/or Extensions | 47 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 68 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Central District | 2 |
| Eastern ,, | 20 |
| Western ,, | 16 |

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

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### Parks Report for August.

| | |
|---|---|
| *Roadside Trees—* | |
| Trees pruned | 2,453 |
| ,, fastened | 1,905 |
| ,, staked | 369 |
| Tree-borers destroyed | 61 |
| *Road Widenings—* | |
| Trees transplanted | 4 |
| *Nurseries—* | |
| Shrubs transplanted | 920 |
| Various cuttings inserted | 500 |
| SPORTS. | |
| *Hongkew Recreation Ground—* | |
| Golf | 1,111 |
| Lawn Bowls | 374 |
| Baseball | 450 |
| Total number of players | 1,935 |
| ,, ,, non-players | 16,803 |
| ,, ,, Visitors | 18,738 |
| *Plants bedded out—* | |
| Reserve Garden | 1,305 |
| Public Garden | 2,406 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 20,094 |
| Wayside Park | 1,100 |
| | 24,905 |

*Trees fastened and staked—*

| | Fastened | Staked |
|---|---|---|
| Victoria Nursing Home | 13 | 2 |
| Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese | 16 | 5 |
| | 29 | 7 |

Lawns mowed at Reserve and Public Gardens; Hongkew and Public Recreation Grounds; Jessfield, Wayside and Studley Parks; The Point Garden; Bund and Soochow Road foreshores; Quinsan Square; Cathedral compound; Bubbling Well and Wayside Carriage Turns; Hart, Yuyuen, Brenan and Warren Road Pieces; Victoria Nursing Home; Isolation Hospital; Municipal Reformatory and Gaol; Secretariat; Public School for Boys, for Girls and for Chinese; Hanbury School for Boys; Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese; Kungping Road Public School; Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese; Public School for Girls in Western District and playground; Sinza, Louza, Bubbling Well, Hongkew, Yangtszepoo, Wayside, Harbin and Gordon Road Police Stations; Carter Road, No. 209 Bubbling Well and No. 79 Yangtszepoo Road Police Quarters.

*Turf laid* at Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese—600 fong.

W. H. ETTERLEY,
*Assistant Superintendent.*

Contersigned:
CHAS. H. GODFREY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

### Public Library.

The Library, situated at the north-west corner of the Town Hall, is open *To the Public* without charge as a Reading Room from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. To *Subscribers* for the exchange of books from 9 a.m to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

The subscription is as follows:—

$16 per year
9 ,, half-year.
5 ,, quarter.
2 ,, month.

Subscribers are entitled to the loan of four books at a time and in addition certain magazines are provided for circulation, of which one at a time is allowed to each subscriber.

It contains about 14,250 volumes, of which some 7,500 are devoted to Fiction; 2,600 to Travel and History; 1,720 to Biography and the rest to Scientific and General subjects. Additions to these are made constantly.

Residents desirous of subscribing should communicate with the Librarian at the Town Hall.

### Public Band.

*Band Tariff.*—The Council has sanctioned minor alterations in the tariff of charges for the Band, the chief modification being that in future one free rehearsal will be allowed only in cases of engagement of the full or half-Band, all other rehearsals being charged for at one-third the tariff rate, instead of one-half as heretofore; that discounts shall be allowed only on engagements of the full and half Band, and shall be 20 per cent. after three performances and 40 per cent. after eight performances during a season, and that the double rates charged for performances on Sundays, or for marching, be abolished.

Details of the revised Band tariff are as under:—

The charge for the services of the Band is Tls. 40, and of a Half-Band, consisting of not less than three European and twelve Manila musicians, Tls. 25 per hour or part of an hour.

The services of a smaller number of musicians may be engaged at the rate per hour or part thereof of Tls. 3 for European, and Tls. 1.50 for Manila musicians. In a group numbering less than a Half-Band, the following charge is made for the services of the piano player:—

per hour or part thereof

| European | Manilaman |
|---|---|
| Tls. 1.50 | Tls. 1.00 |

Where not less than a Half-Band is engaged, one rehearsal is permitted without fee, all other rehearsals are charged for at one-third of the above rates.

For the services of a soloist an additional fee of Tls. 25 is charged, inclusive of such rehearsals as are necessary.

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Discounts during a season shall be allowed on Full and Half-Bands as follows:—

after 3 performances 20%
" 8 " 40%

Discounts are not allowed on groups of less than a Half-Band or on rehearsals.

The cost of conveyance of musicians for distances beyond a radius of 1 mile from the Municipal Offices, Kiangse Road, must be defrayed by the persons engaging them.

The European musicians are allowed to give private music lessons, with the Conductor's permission obtained in each case.

Applications for engagements and cancellations should be addressed to the Assistant Secretary of Council, Municipal Offices, not less than 24 hours notice should be given in each case. Inquiries concerning details as to performances, music required, etc., may be made of the Conductor direct (Telephone North 175).

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bona fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局有權承攬之工程

二 所有承攬本局有權承攬之工程

三 擬定之價目表行之已久本局亦有權更改之

四 人員之工資及其他各項開支

五 所有承攬人之姓名及其他各項開支

六 所有承攬人之姓名及其他各項開支

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單費最善用此次概免交

信送廠以後送信送信一律有效期內寄到

二時繳纏送何項工程定期二十四小時內

部駕總辦至江西路日上午十一時

函寫明承攬人之姓名及其他各項開支

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2655.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balances remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2654.**

**MOTOR CAR OR OTHER MOTOR VEHICLES.**

THE following additional licence conditions will be enforced with effect from October 20:—

10A.—That the driver furnish to the Police the earliest information possible regarding any suspicious conduct or movements of any person whilst being driven by him.

10B.—That the licensee of public motor cars keep a register wherein shall be entered the name and address of any person hiring a car whether the hirer pays cash or not for the hire, which register shall at all times be open for inspection by the Police.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 9, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2656.**

THE public is reminded that licence fees on private vehicles for the December Quarter are now due.

Residents owning Motor Cars, Carriages, Ricshas, Ponies, etc., are therefore requested to take out the necessary licences without delay, for which purpose application must be made at the Revenue Office, accompanied in every instance by the amount of the licence fee. The owners of any vehicles, etc., found to be unlicensed are liable to prosecution under Land Regulations XIII and XIV.

Mafoos or coolies in charge of vehicles, etc., are required to produce the licence card when called upon to do so by the Police.

Dog owners who have not yet taken out licences for the current year are requested to make application for the same at the Revenue Office.

All Dogs must be licensed and muzzled.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2657.**

**PUBLIC RECREATION GROUND.**

CLUBS desirous of securing playing space within the racecourse for the coming winter season are requested to make application to the Hon. Secretary, 14 Medhurst Road.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 23, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, October 17, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Mr. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
Mrs. D. Henman
Mr. T. Ibukiyama
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Messrs. L. E. Canning
S. C. Lin

The meeting adjourned at 5.35 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, October 22, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 6.10 p.m.

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### Consular Body.

A letter from Mr. T. Raaschou, Consul-General for Denmark, informs the Council that during his temporary absence from Shanghai, Mr. T. Knudtzon, acting Consul-General for Norway, will be in charge of the Consulate-General.

A letter from Mr. J. Schuurman, Consul for the Netherlands, informs the Council that he has now taken over charge of the Consulate-General upon recovery from illness.

### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Chekiang Road and Avenue Edward VII.*—The claim of Mr. J. Ambrose has been accepted for the surrender from Lot 700 of the area required for the widening of these roads at the rate of Tls. 20,000 per mow, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, or a sum of Tls. 20,746 for Mow 0.943.

### Rifle Range.

The recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works, to execute certain repairs to the wooden shield on top of the Stop Butt, at an estimated cost of Tls. 2,768, has been approved.

### Bunding and Jetty.

Upon the recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works, it has been decided to construct a bunding and jetty at Kwanghsin Road at an estimated cost of Tls. 4,837.

### Chou Wai Guild and Shanghai Benevolent Industrial Association.

Deed of Trust in respect of land, premises and debentures transferred to be held on trust for the Institution:—

THIS INDENTURE made the Twenty-third day of September One thousand nine hundred and nineteen Between THE CHOU WAI GUILD (潮惠會館) a Guild of Chinese Merchants carrying on business at Shanghai China (hereinafter called "the Guild") of the first part THE SHANGHAI BENEVOLENT INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTION—P'IN ERH CHIAO YUNG YUAN (貧兒教養院) established at Shanghai aforesaid (hereinafter called "the Institution") of the second part and EDWARD CHARLES PEARCE as Chairman of the Municipal Council for the International Settlement at Shanghai and NORMAN OSWALD LIDDELL as Secretary of the same Council (who and their successors in office as such Chairman and Secretary of the said Council are hereinafter called "the Trustees") of the third part WHEREAS the Guild are the beneficial owners of certain land situate on or near Connaught Road Shanghai more particularly described in the first Schedule hereto which was purchased out of moneys subscribed by members of the Guild in order that it might be for ever thereafter used and enjoyed for charitable purposes and that a school for poor Chinese boys to be erected and maintained out of moneys to be subscribed by members of the Guild should be erected thereon AND WHEREAS the said land is registered in the books kept for the registration of land at His Britannic Majesty's Consulate General Shanghai in the names of the Chairman or Acting Chairman and the Secretary or Acting Secretary of the said Municipal Council for the International Settlement at Shanghai who hold the said land in Trust for the Guild upon the terms of a Trust Deed dated the 1st day of August One thousand nine hundred and sixteen and made between the Guild of the one part and the said Edward Charles Pearce Chairman of the said Council and John Bernard Anthony Mackinnon Secretary of the said Council of the other part AND WHEREAS the Guild are the beneficial owners of certain land and premises situate on the Chengtu, Mandalay and Chungking Roads Shanghai more particularly described in the second Schedule hereto AND WHEREAS the said land is registered in the books kept for the registration of land at His Britannic Majesty's Consulate General at Shanghai in the names of the Trustees AND WHEREAS the Trustees hold the said land and premises in Trust for the Guild upon the terms of a Trust Deed dated the 19th day of March One thousand nine hundred and seventeen and made between the Guild of the one part and the Trustees of the other part AND WHEREAS the Trustees stand registered as the holders of Taels One hundred thousand (Tls. 100,000) Shanghai Municipal Debentures more particularly described in the third Schedule hereto which debentures were purchased out of moneys subscribed by the Guild AND WHEREAS the Guild are desirous of transferring all their interest in the land and premises specified in the first and second Schedules hereto and in the Debentures specified in the third Schedule hereto unto the Institution absolutely so that the same shall in the future be held by the Trustees for and on behalf of the Institution upon such terms as the Institution may from time to time determine and direct AND WHEREAS the Guild are desirous of cancelling and revoking the hereinbefore mentioned Trust Deeds of the first day of August One thousand nine hundred and sixteen and the nineteenth day of March One thousand nine hundred and seventeen and of substituting these Presents therefor NOW THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH that the Guild hereby assigns and transfers by way of gift to the Institution FIRST ALL and SINGULAR the lands and premises set forth and more particularly described in the first and second Schedules hereto TO HOLD the same UNTO and TO THE USE of the Institution in perpetuity AND SECONDLY ALL those Taels One hundred thousand (Tls. 100,000) Shanghai Municipal Debentures set forth and more particularly described in the third Schedule hereto TO HOLD same UNTO and TO THE USE of the Institution absolutely AND THIS INDENTURE FURTHER WITNESSETH that the Guild hereby direct the Trustees as registered holders of same to hold the said lands premises and debentures in Trust for the Institution and subject to their directions AND FURTHER the Institution hereby direct the Trustees to hold and the Trustees hereby declare that they hold the land specified in the first Schedule hereto in Trust for the Institution to be used and enjoyed for ever hereafter as the site for and for the purposes of the hereinbefore mentioned school for poor Chinese boys AND the Trustees hereby declare that they hold the said land and premises particulars whereof are specified in the Second Schedule hereto and the Taels One hundred thousand (Tls. 100,000) Shanghai Municipal Debentures more particularly specified in the third Schedule hereto in Trust for the Institution or as the Committee thereof shall direct AND the Institution hereby direct and authorize the Trustees to endorse for payment and hand over to the Honorary Treasurer of the Institution for the time being the Interest Warrants in respect of the said Debentures as and when received AND the Guild and the Institution hereby undertake to keep or cause to be kept the Trustees indemnified against all costs charges and expenses in connexion with the said Trust or in connexion with anything they may be called upon to do in the execution thereof and until paid the same shall be a charge upon the Trust premises and carry interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent. per annum It being the intention of the Guild and the Institution that the land specified in the first Schedule hereto shall be used and enjoyed for ever hereafter for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned It is hereby agreed and declared that the Trustees will not transfer the said land or any part thereof to any person firm or corporation except under the directions and authority of an order of a Court of Competent Jurisdiction It is expressly agreed and declared that the responsibility of the Trustees is confined to the holding of the said land specified in the first Schedule hereto in their names as such Trustees as aforesaid until required to transfer the same or any part thereof by the Order of a Court of Competent Jurisdiction and that they are not concerned with the erection maintenance or management of the said intended school or with the use to which the said land is put by the Institution or otherwise howsoever AND it is hereby further Provided and Declared that if at any time hereafter it is desired to sell the said land and premises specified in the second Schedule hereto or the Debentures specified in the third Schedule hereto or any part thereof the Trustees shall be entitled to transfer the land and Debentures so desired to be sold upon the following terms and conditions, namely:—

(1) There shall be furnished to the Trustees the consent in writing to such sale and the request to the Trustees to transfer the land premises or debentures so desired to be sold signed by all the persons who for the time being shall constitute the Committee of the Institution;

(2) The net proceeds of sale of the land premises or debentures so

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sold after payment of all expenses attending the sale shall be reinvested in the names of the Trustees in or upon the purchase of other land with or without buildings thereon and in the erection of buildings on any land so purchased and otherwise in the development thereof or in or upon such debentures, mortgages or other securities as the said Committee of the Institution shall in writing unanimously direct;

(3) Provided always and it is expressly agreed and declared that the Trustees shall not be bound to see or enquire into the sufficiency or propriety of any security in or upon which they are authorised and requested to invest the said proceeds of sale and they shall not be liable for any loss that may arise by reason of any such investment being made in pursuance of the authorization hereinbefore contained It is expressly agreed and declared that the responsibility of the Trustees is confined to the holding of the said land specified in the second Schedule hereto and the said Debentures in their names as such Trustees as aforesaid and that they are not concerned with the collection or application of the income arising from the said land premises or debentures or the purposes for which it is employed or with the preservation maintenance or erection of any buildings on the said land or the leasing thereof or otherwise howsoever AND THIS INDENTURE FURTHER WITNESSETH that the hereinbefore mentioned Trust Deeds of the first day of August One thousand nine hundred and sixteen and the nineteenth day of March One thousand nine hundred and seventeen are hereby cancelled and revoked.

IN WITNESS whereof the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

All those ten lots of land containing a total area as per Title Deeds of 39m. 0f. 1l. 4h. situate in the Western District of the International Settlement at Shanghai and registered in the Books kept for the Registration of land at H. B. M. Consulate General at Shanghai as under:—

| | *Number of Lot.* | *Area as per Title Deed.* m. | f. | l. | h. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | 5077 | 13 | 5 | 5 | 4 |
| (2) | 5161 | 3 | 8 | 9 | 8 |
| (3) | 5162 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 8 |
| (4) | 5208 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 4 |
| (5) | 5348 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| (6) | 5369 | 1 | 9 | 3 | 4 |
| (7) | 5376 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 9 |
| (8) | 5758 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 8 |
| (9) | 6037 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| (10) | 7051 | 6 | 0 | 8 | 8 |
| | Total Area as per Title Deeds | 39 | 0 | 1 | 4 |

THE SECOND SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

FIRST ALL that lot or piece of land known and registered in the books for the registration of land kept at H. B. M. Consulate General Shanghai as Lot No. 2591 measuring in area according to the title deed thereof 9m. 9f. 4l. 2h. and situate on or near the Mandalay and Chungking Roads in the Western District of Shanghai and SECONDLY ALL that lot or piece of land known and registered in the same books as Lot No. 8118 measuring in area according to the title deed thereof 3m. 2f. 1l. 4h. and situate on or near the Chengtu Road in the Western District of Shanghai, Together with ALL messuages erections and buildings thereon respectively and easements and appurtenances thereto belonging or therewith at any time occupied or enjoyed.

THE THIRD SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

Shanghai Municipal Debentures Certificates Numbered: 20036 to 20135 and dated April 24, 1919 each for Tls. 1,000.

The Official Seal of THE CHOU WAI GUILD was affixed hereto by 鄭陳郭潮 培芝子惠 之初彬館 in the presence of:— 軒樂郭

The Official Seal of THE SHANGHAI BENEVOLENT INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTION was affixed hereto by HERBERT CHATLEY in the presence of:—

GEO. B. FRYER.

SIGNED SEALED AND DELIVERED by the said EDWARD CHARLES PEARCE in the presence of:— E. C. PEARCE

REGINALD MASTER,
Solicitor, Shanghai.

SIGNED SEALED AND DELIVERED by the said NORMAN OSWALD LIDDELL in the presence of:— N. O. LIDDELL

E. T. NASH.

## Sanitary Station.

Shanghai, October 15, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to hand you, enclosed, a statement of Receipts and Payments in connexion with the Sanitary Station at Woosung for the September Quarter, 1919.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

The CHAIRMAN, Municipal Council.

| RECEIPTS. | *Haikwan Taels* | |
|---|---|---|
| Balance from June Quarter 1919 | — | |
| Foreign Municipal Council's Contribution | 1,346.50 | |
| French Municipal Council's Contribution | 471.27 | |
| Superintendent's Contribution | 2,693.00 | |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 1,198.91 | |
| Advance repaid: Petty Cash Account | 66.67 | |
| Gain by Exchange | 38.60 | |
| *Interest on Mortgage A/c | 448.83 | |
| | | 6,263.78 |
| Total Receipts | | 6,263.78 |

| EXPENDITURE. | | |
|---|---|---|
| Salaries, Foreign Staff | 2,877.20 | |
| " Chinese " | 1,087.00 | |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 1,135.99 | |
| Maintenance Account | 237.77 | |
| Advertisements, Telegrams, etc. | 24.91 | |
| Coal and Stores for Tender | 1,469.26 | |
| Loss by Exchange | — | |
| Total Expenditure | 6,832.13 | |
| Balance due on June 30, 1919 | 11,369.81 | |
| | | 18,201.94 |
| Debit Balance on Sept. 30, 1919 | | 11,938.16 |

*Total interest received to date Hk. Tls. 1,795.32

Prepared by
J. STEINBERG,
*District Accountant.*

L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, October 19, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 22 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 5 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 153 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18.

*Police Force.*—Warder W. C. Grant and Sergeant C. E. Beale, returned from war service, resumed duty on October 5.

Warder No. 29, Sugna Singh, is discharged, invalided, from October 10.

3rd Class Sergeant Gisabura Motomura is promoted to be 2nd Class Sergeant from October 1.

Long leave is granted to Sergeant T. J. Fitzpatrick from October 27.

*Health Department.*—Major F. G. C. Walker, M.C., Assistant, returned from war service, resumed duty on October 5.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. W. A. L. Pardoe, 2nd Assistant Engineer, from October 20.

Three months' leave is granted, under special circumstances to Mr. H. E. Jones, Clerk-of-Works, from October 17.

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Inspector A. T. Gray, returned from war service, resumed duty on October 5. He is appointed Clerk-of-Works from September 19, 1917, the date of renewal of his agreement.

*Electricity Department.*—Major F. G. Payne, D.S.O., Chief Mechanical Assistant in the Electricity Department, returned from war service, resumed duty on September 22.

*Educational Department.*—Mr. H. B. Lobb is appointed Assistant Master in the Public School for Chinese under agreement from October 12.

Mrs. M. J. Gibson, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, is permitted to terminate her service on October 23.

**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 29 | Nanking | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | 1 | |
| 628 | do. | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | altns. |
| 894 | Dent Ext. | J. Noble | | | addns. |
| 871 | Dent | M. C. Yeh | | 1 | |
| 6590 | Hochien | B. Barchet | | 1 | |
| Unreg. E of 2067 | Ward | Kao Ning Kee | | | 4 work-sheds |
| 2446 | Yangtzepoo | P. Tilley | | 1 | |
| 4709 | Macao | Naigai Wata Kaisha | | | addns. |
| 4836 & 4841 | W. Soochow | S. J. Powell | | 1 | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 950 | Range | Wong Kor Sung | 3 | | |
| Unreg. E of 960 | Hailar | King Kee | 12 | | |
| Unreg. S of 1809 | Lungmen | Chang Foo Kee | 14 | | |
| 3462 | Medhurst & Wuting | Moorhead & Halse | 24 | | |

**Mixed Court Report for September.**

The Mixed Court has been notified of the appointment of Mr. Loh Zau-tsoong (陸紹宗) to fill the vacancy occurring through the death of Assistant Magistrate Wong Chia-hsi (王嘉熙), and the appointment of Mr. J. E. Jacobs as Assessor sitting in Chinese Civil Cases in place of Mr. C. J. Spiker transferred to Antung.

Contrary to expectations no errors in respect to time were made by the Chinese interested in litigation throughout the period that the Daylight Saving Scheme operated.

177 opium cases occupied the Court's attention during the month as against 87 in August.

17 persons were before the Court charged with keeping unlicensed and/or unmuzzled dogs as against 97 in August.

The undermentioned foreigner, who is not recognized by any consulate in Shanghai, was before the Court during the month on a criminal charge:—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| Jacob Greenfield | Jew | Wounding | 3 months' impt. and to be deported |

There were awaiting a first hearing at the end of the month 15 Foreign Civil Cases and 129 Chinese Civil Cases.

Two persons were charged with attempting to file a fraudulent security bond and were sentenced respectively to $100 fine or 2 months' imprisonment and $30 fine or 3 weeks' imprisonment.

The sub-tenant of a house in the West Hongkew District was sentenced to a fine of $3 or 2 days' imprisonment for Contempt of Court by breaking the Mixed Court Seals and removing his furniture. The sub-tenant satisfied the Court that he had paid rent to the tenant and had notified the landlord's shroff to this effect.

Here follow returns of Offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with, Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

M. O. SPRINGFIELD,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned:
K. J. McEUEN,
Commissioner of Police.

OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| **1.—Offences Against the Person:—** | |
| Abduction | 5 |
| Assault | 47 |
| Attempted Suicide | 4 |
| Intimidation | 3 |
| Malicious Prosecution | 1 |
| Murder and Attempted Murder | 7 |
| Rape, Attempted | 1 |
| Wounding (Causing grievous bodily harm) | 3 |
| **2.—Offences Against Property:—** | |
| Burglary | 6 |
| Cruelty to animals | 8 |
| Embezzlement | 4 |
| Extortion (Obtaining money by threats) | 12 |
| False Pretences | 1 |
| Fraud | 14 |
| House-breaking | 1 |
| Larceny | 189 |
| Receiving stolen property | 7 |
| Robbery | 23 |
| **3.—Offences of a Public Nature:—** | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 15 |
| Carts | 77 |
| Club | 1 |
| Dogs | 17 |
| Foodshops | 15 |
| Hawkers | 50 |
| Lodging Houses | 2 |
| Motor cars | 49 |
| Opium | 177 |
| Pawnshops | 13 |
| Ricshas | 1,314 |
| Tavern | 1 |
| Teashops | 4 |
| Wheel-barrows | 33 |
| Wine shop | 1 |
| Breach of Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| Arms | 6 |
| Dangerous Materials | 1 |
| Fireworks | 1 |
| House refuse | 48 |
| Illegal Arrest | 1 |
| Indecent Advertisements | 7 |
| Nuisances | 1,186 |
| Prostitutes | 12 |
| Straw | 1 |
| Traffic | 90 |
| Bribery | 1 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 4 |
| Contempt of Court | 2 |
| Disorderly conduct | 54 |
| Gambling | 70 |
| Libel | 1 |
| Loitering with intent | 24 |
| Obstructing the Police | 1 |
| Returning after expulsion | 12 |
| Smuggling | 2 |
| Vagrancy | 5 |
| **4.—Miscellaneous Cases:—** | |
| Insanity | 2 |
| Seeking protection of Door of Hope | 1 |
| Witness in Criminal Case | 4 |
| Various | 9 |
| TOTAL | 3,650 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2,635 |
| Cases withdrawn | 8 |
| Cautioned | 34 |
| Compensation | 1 |
| Dismissed | 79 |
| Expulsion | 27 |
| Fined | 561 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 1 |
| Imprisonment | 201 |
| Imprisonment and expulsion | 72 |
| Reformatory | 2 |
| Released on Security | 3 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 4 |
| Sent to Military Governor of Shanghai | 17 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 4 |
| Various | 1 |
| TOTAL | 3,650 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On September 1 | 46 |
| Received | 30 |
| Released | 32 |
| On September 30 | 44 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

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|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 224 |
| " served | 183 |
| Warrants issued | 75 |
| " executed | 27 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 8 |
| " executed | 6 |
| " withdrawn | 2 |
| Summonses issued | 31 |
| " served | 25 |
| " withdrawn | 5 |
| Persons apprehended on warrants | 6 |
| " summoned | 25 |
| Sealing orders issued | 57 |
| " " executed | 9 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 41 |
| " " withdrawn | 5 |
| " " pending | 2 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 11 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 80 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 40 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 67 |
| " heard | 87 |
| " in course of hearing | 3 |
| " concluded | 42 |
| " awaiting first hearing on Sept. 30, | 129 |
| Summonses issued | 73 |
| " served | 48 |
| " withdrawn | 10 |
| Warrants issued | 22 |
| " executed | 12 |
| " withdrawn | 11 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 12 |
| " summoned | 60 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 38 |
| Sealing orders issued | 37 |
| " " executed | 6 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 30 |
| " " pending | 1 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 7 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 80 |
| Bonds accepted | 55 |
| " rejected | 27 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On September 1 | 54 |
| Received | 27 |
| Released | 29 |
| On September 30 | 52 |



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SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ponds Extract Co. | American | Tsung Shing Hong Yoen Shing Laung Hong | Tls. 10,000 damages | Proceeding |
| Hugo Reiss | Brazilian | Waung Shu-piau | Tls. 17,680.37 | For plaintiff for Tls. 5,299.95 plus Tls. 500 |
| L. Amidani | Italian | Melchers & Co. | Execution of Judgment | Execution granted |
| Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. | British | Sung Ding-faung | Tls. 575 | Struck out |
| Dong Kong Transportation Co. | Spanish | Phoo Zung-hyi | $4,000 and interest | Proceeding |
| Olga Koltsoff | Russian | Vera Mayer | Rbls. 21,000 $3,900 and jewellery value $4,000 | Judgment for plaintiff for $4,500 |

## Parks Report for September.

*Roadside Trees—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Trees fastened | 1,218 |
| ,, staked | 104 |
| ,, pruned | 1,198 |
| Tree-borers destroyed | 877 |
| *Road Widenings—* | |
| Trees transplanted | 30 |
| *Nurseries—* | |
| Young trees pruned | 8,783 |
| Various cuttings inserted | 200 |

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,066 |
| Lawn Bowls | 112 |
| Baseball | 414 |
| Tennis (483 courts) | 2,894 |
| Total number of players | 4,486 |
| ,, ,, Non players | 10,484 |
| ,, ,, of Visitors | 14,970 |

*Plants bedded out—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Reserve Garden | 550 |
| Public Garden | 2,760 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 2,280 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 832 |
| Jessfield Park | 146 |
| Wayside Park | 1,146 |
| Quinsan Square | 1,080 |
| Secretariat | 220 |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | 330 |
| Public School for Girls | 260 |
| Public School for Chinese | 110 |
| Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese | 125 |
| Public School—Avenue Road | 100 |
| Victoria Nursing Home | 100 |
| Harbin Road Police Station | 75 |
| Bubbling Well Police Station | 70 |
| Hongkew Police Station | 110 |
| Sinza Police Station | 115 |
| Carter Road Police Quarters | 70 |
| | 10,479 |

*Turf laid* at Bubbling Well Road 17 fong

*Lawns Mowed* at Reserve Garden; Public Garden; Public and Hongkew Recreation Grounds; Jessfield, Wayside and Studley Parks; Bund and Soochow Road foreshores; The Point Garden; Cathedral compound; Quinsan Square; Wayside and Bubbling Well Carriage Turns; Hart, Yuyuen, Brenan and Warren Road Pieces; Victoria Nursing Home; Isolation Hospital; Municipal Gaol and Reformatory; Secretariat; Public School for Boys, for Girls and Chinese; Thomas Hanbury School for Boys; Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese; Kungping Road Public School; Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese; Public School for Girls in Western District and playground; Sinza, Louza, Hongkew, Bubbling Well, Yangtszepoo, Wayside, Gordon and Harbin Road Police Stations; Carter Road, No. 209 Bubbling Well Road and No. 79 Yangtszepoo Road Police Quarters.

W. H. ETTERLEY,
*Assistant Superintendent.*

Countersigned:
CHAS. H. GODFREY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

## Public Library.

The Library, situated at the north-west corner of the Town Hall, is open *To the Public* without charge as a Reading Room from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. To *Subscribers* for the exchange of books from 9 a.m to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

The subscription is as follows:—
$16 per year
9 ,, half-year.
5 ,, quarter.
2 ,, month.

Subscribers are entitled to the loan of four books at a time and in addition certain magazines are provided for circulation, of which one at a time is allowed to each subscriber.

It contains about 14,250 volumes, of which some 7,500 are devoted to Fiction; 2,600 to Travel and History; 1,720 to Biography and the rest to Scientific and General subjects. Additions to these are made constantly.

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| per hour or part thereof | |
|---|---|
| European | Manilaman |
| Tls. 1.50 | Tls. 1.00 |

Where not less than a Half-Band is engaged, one rehearsal is permitted without fee, all other rehearsals are charged for at one-third of the above rates.

For the services of a soloist an additional fee of Tls. 25 is charged, inclusive of such rehearsals as are necessary.

Discounts during a season shall be allowed on Full and Half-Bands as follows:—

after 3 performances 20%
,, 8 ,, 40%

Discounts are not allowed on groups of less than a Half-Band or on rehearsals.

The cost of conveyance of musicians for distances beyond a radius of 1 mile from the Municipal Offices, Kiangse Road, must be defrayed by the persons engaging them.

The European musicians are allowed to give private music lessons, with the Conductor's permission obtained in each case.

Applications for engagements and cancellations should be addressed to the Assistant Secretary of Council, Municipal Offices, not less than 24 hours notice should be given in each case. Inquiries concerning details as to performances, music required, etc., may be made of the Conductor direct (Telephone North 175).

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 幾份承攬各項本局自有權利承認全份標

二 所有承辦人員亦不准轉讓

三 挪行未定估定之價必須准予辦理

四 目所有以後承攬各人之遵照公告合同須知之實保證

五 所有取必須登記其錢數在此實驗明瞭後方得收款一律退還

六 本局所收之款項應付之信火

明所仍將該款項應付之信火

後所將該款項應付之信火

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單費

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部局總辦處須知

面寫明送至江西路二十四號工部局

漆寫承攬何項工料等物必加蓋

所有承攬信應實封固

信送前以須知信火

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清單費

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 135 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31 |
| 136 | 100 „ „ „ „ „ 2 „ | — | do. |
| 137 | 2,400 „ „ „ „ „ 3 „ | — | do. |
| 138 | 2,000 „ „ „ „ „ 4 „ | — | do. |
| 139 | 7,000 „ „ Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 140 | 900 „ Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 Thin | — | do. |
| 141 | 400 „ „ „ „ „ 2 Medium | — | do. |
| 142 | 400 „ „ „ „ „ 3 Heavy | — | do. |
| 143 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 144 | 400 Brown „ 68 × 90 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before June 30, 1920. | — | do. |
| 145 | 2,000 Brown Blankets 84 × 60 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before December 31, 1919. | — | October 31 |
| | **HEALTH DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Health Office, Honan Road | | |
| | Supply of the following for the Municipal Hospitals, Private Nursing Service, Sanatorium and Laboratory, etc., during 1920:— | | |
| 1 | Milk (per bottle of not less than 20 fl. oz.) 55,000 btls. more or less | — | November 19 |
| 2 | Butter (Best table) (per lb.) 3,800 lbs. „ | — | do. |
| | „ (Cooking—tinned) „ 1,200 „ „ | — | do. |
| 3 | Sugar (Best cube) „ 2,300 „ „ | — | do. |
| | „ (Granulated) „ 3,800 „ „ | — | do. |
| | „ (Soft moist) „ 4,800 „ „ | — | do. |
| 4 | Bread (Best quality) „ 20,000 „ „ | — | do. |
| 5 | Ice (Best machine made) „ 117,000 „ „ | — | do. |
| 6 | Jam (Assorted : in 1 lb. tins or jars) „ 2,400 „ „ | — | do. |
| 7 | Eggs (Fresh, for table use) per dozen 30,300 „ | — | do. |
| | „ (2nd quality, for cooking) „ 85,800 „ | — | do. |
| 8 | Tea (Best Ningchow) (per lb) 1,120 „ „ | — | do. |
| | „ (Good quality Ceylon or Indian) „ 400 „ „ | — | do. |
| 9 | Flour (Good quality Australian) (per 50-lb bag) 2,700 „ „ | — | do. |
| | „ (Best local (per 50 lb. bag) 2 000 „ „ | — | do. |
| 10 | Rice (Best grade) (per lb) 3,000 „ „ | — | do. |
| 11 | Potatoes (Best quality) „ 19,000 „ „ | — | do. |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 534 | Painting at Nanking Road Market | — | October 31 |
| 535 | Painting at West Hongkew Police Station | — | do. |
| 536 | Painting at Gaol | — | do. |
| 537 | Painting at Rifle Range Pavilions | — | do. |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 532

Painting at Isolation Hospital (Nurses Quarters)

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tuck Fong | Tls. 618 | Lien Yung Kee | Tls. 440 |
| Sing Kee | 610 | Wong Chin Kee | 435 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 495 | Ngan Zung Lee | 394 |
| Zung Shing | 464 | *Woo Lee Kee | 345 |

*Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 2647.

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 2655.

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balances remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 2656.

THE public is reminded that licence fees on private vehicles for the December Quarter are now due.

Residents owning Motor Cars, Carriages, Ricshas, Ponies, etc., are therefore requested to take out the necessary licences without delay, for which purpose application must be made at the Revenue Office, accompanied in every instance by the amount of the licence fee. The owners of any vehicles, etc., found to be unlicensed are liable to prosecution under Land Regulations XIII and XIV.

Mafoos or coolies in charge of vehicles, etc., are required to produce the licence card when called upon to do so by the Police.

Dog owners who have not yet taken out licences for the current year are requested to make application for the same at the Revenue Office.

All Dogs must be licensed and muzzled.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 2657.

**PUBLIC RECREATION GROUND.**

CLUBS desirous of securing playing space within the racecourse for the coming winter season are requested to make application to the Hon. Secretary, 14 Medhurst Road.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 23, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Chinese Educational Committee held on Friday, October 24, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. H. Phillips (*Chairman*)
A. Howard
Shen Tun-ho
Chicheh Nieh

The meeting adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, October 24, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
L. E. Canning
Mrs. D. Henman
Mr. T. Ibukiyama
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mr. S. C. Lin
Dr. F. Rawlinson

The meeting adjourned at 6.35 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, October 27, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. W. L. Merriman (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard

The meeting adjourned at 6.15 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Tuesday, October 28, 1919, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. P. Peebles (*Acting Chairman*)
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
S. B. Neill

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, October 29, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

## Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Canton Road.* — Arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. Davies and Brooke for the surrender from Lot 110 of the area required to widen this road at the assessed value, Tls. 45,000 per mow, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender and less one-third for betterment, or Tls. 1,683 for Mow 0.051.

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 649 | Foochow | Tong Shing | | | 2 kitchens |
| 41A | Kiukiang | C. Luthy | | 4 | watchman's lodge |
| 626 | Nanking | Chang Tai Kee | | | addns. |
| 616 | Thibet | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | 1 | |
| 7223 | Ningkuo | Seventh Day Adventists | | 3 | blocks servants' quarters |
| 7209 | Ward | S. J. Powell | | 1 | covered way |
| Unreg. S of 5006 | Ferry | Tong Wai Kee | | | culvert |
| Unreg. E of 1816 | Weihaiwei | W. A. Dalgarno | | | stable |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 534 | Foochow | Sing Woo Kee | | | altns. & addns. |
| 2351 | Baikal | Chew Zen Ka | 6 | | |
| Unreg. E of 1926 | Paoting | Eastern Construction Co. | 3 | | |
| Unreg. W of 4490 | Gordon | Wong Kwe Tsung | | | addns. |
| Unreg. W of 4422 | Penang | Nagai Wata Kaisha | 51 | | |
| Unreg. E of 1783 | Gt. Western | Chang Hung Fah | 5 | | |

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25.

*Police Force.*—Major K. M. Bourne, M.C., Cadet in the Police Force and Sergeant J. Ross, returned from war service, resumed duty on October 20 and October 21, respectively.

During the absence of Mr. K. J. McEuen, Commissioner of Police, on leave from October 25, Major A. Hilton-Johnson, Deputy Commissioner, will be in charge of the Police Force.

*Health Department.*—Probationer Nurse A. Berthet was permitted to terminate her service on October 14, the date of expiry of her agreement.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. W. D. Anderson and Mrs. W. Kinipple, temporary Assistant Mistresses in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, are permitted to terminate their service on October 31.

*Voluntary War Service.*—

*Educational Department.* — The Council has learnt with deep regret of the death of Mr. S. Rayner, Headmaster, Polytechnic Public School for Chinese. Mr. Rayner was reported missing on November 30, 1917, and as no further news has been received of him, the War Office has now assumed that his death took place on or about that date.

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, October 26, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 873,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 17 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 4 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 9 | 150 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## 7 per cent. Loan 1919.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed to the current year's loan, as on October 25, 1919:—

### FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | Tls. 50,000 | |
| Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. | 50,000 | |
| Canton Insurance Office, Ld. | 50,000 | |
| One Investor of | 47,000 | |
| Nippon Yusen Kaisha | 40,000 | |
| Yokohama Specie Bank, Ld. | 40,000 | |
| Osaka Shosen Kaisha | 20,000 | |
| Nisshin Kisen Kaisha | 20,000 | |
| South Manchuria Railway Co., Ld. | 20,000 | |
| Bank of Chosen | 20,000 | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 15,000 | 30,000 | |
| One Investor of | 14,300 | |
| One ,, | 14,000 | |
| Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha, Ld. | 13,000 | |
| Mitsubishi Bank, Ld. | 13,000 | |
| Shanghai Paper Mill | 13,000 | |
| One Investor of | 12,500 | |
| Estate of R. W. Shaw, deceased | 12,400 | |
| One Investor of | 12,000 | |
| H. L. Hayward | 11,000 | |
| One Investor of | 11,000 | |
| One ,, | 10,600 | |
| Shanghai Produce and Stock Exchange, Ld. | 10,000 | |
| C. Itoh & Co., Ld. | 10,000 | |
| International Savings Society | 10,000 | |
| Japan China Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. | 10,000 | |
| Nippon Menkwa Kabushiki Kaisha | 10,000 | |
| F. A. Kennedy | 10,000 | |
| Suzuki & Co. | 10,000 | |
| Mogi & Co. | 10,000 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | |
| | | Tls. 643,800 |
| 253 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 364,500 |
| 287 Foreign Investors | | Tls. 1,008,300 |

### CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Shanghai Benevolent Industrial Institution | Tls. 100,000 | |
| Yung Tsung King | 40,000 | |
| One Investor of | 25,000 | |
| Chek Sou Char | 15,000 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 15,000 | 30,000 | |
| Hangkee | 10,000 | |
| Sisson Nie and/or Mrs. Isabella Nie | 10,000 | |
| | | Tls. 230,000 |
| 43 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 93,600 |
| 51 Chinese Investors | | Tls. 323,600 |
| | | Total Tls. 1,331,900 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer.*

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| ,, 8 | ,, | 40% |

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The cost of conveyance of musicians for distances beyond a radius of 1 mile from the Municipal Offices, Kiangse Road, must be defrayed by the persons engaging them.

The European musicians are allowed to give private music lessons, with the Conductor's permission obtained in each case.

Applications for engagements and cancellations should be addressed to the Assistant Secretary of Council, Municipal Offices, not less than 24 hours notice should be given in each case. Inquiries concerning details as to performances, music required, etc., may be made of the Conductor direct (Telephone North 175).

### Smallpox.

FREE VACCINATION

will be done at the Branch Health Offices as follows:

FOR CHINESE.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 679 | Yangtszepoo Road | Mondays | 3.30 | p.m. |
| 1581 | Seward ,, | ,, | 2.30 | ,, |
| 2668 | ,, ,, | ,, | 2.15 | ,, |
| 534 | E. Hanbury ,, | ,, | 2.00 | ,, |
| | Hongkew Market | Tuesdays | 2.15 | ,, |
| 42 | Woosung Road | ,, | 2.00 | ,, |
| 797 | Purdon ,, | ,, | 2.30 | ,, |
| 567 | N. Fokien ,, | ,, | 2.45 | ,, |
| 200 | N. Thibet ,, | ,, | 3.00 | ,, |
| 462 | Fokien ,, | Thursdays | 2.30 | ,, |
| 23 | Hankow ,, | ,, | 2.00 | ,, |
| 1622 | Sinza ,, | Fridays | 2.45 | ,, |
| 385 | Mohawk ,, | ,, | 2.00 | ,, |
| 1019 | Markham ,, | ,, | 2.30 | ,, |

FOR FOREIGNERS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1581 | Seward Road | Mondays | 4 | p.m. |
| 42 | Woosung Road | Tuesdays | 4 | ,, |
| 23 | Hankow ,, | Thursdays | 3.15 | ,, |

DO NOT DELAY.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 所有承攬本項各局自辦者局承攬全份

三 擇行之准用款目錄承辦如有極低價

四 所人局估價必須付款之是利者

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## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | **Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road** | | |
| 135 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31 |
| 136 | 100 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 137 | 2,400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 ,, | — | do. |
| 138 | 2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 4 ,, | — | do. |
| 139 | 7,000 ,, ,, Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 140 | 900 ,, Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 Thin | — | do. |
| 141 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 Medium | — | do. |
| 142 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 Heavy | — | do. |
| 143 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 144 | 400 Brown ,, 68 × 90 5-lb. each | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before June 30, 1920. | | |
| 145 | 2,000 Brown Blankets 84 × 60 5-lb. each | — | October 31 |
| | To be delivered on or before December 31, 1919. | | |

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## TENDERS INVITED *(Continued)*

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Health Office, Honan Road

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Supply of the following for the Municipal Hospitals, Private Nursing Service, Sanatorium and Laboratory, etc., during 1920:— | | | |
| 1 | Milk (per bottle of not less than 20 fl. oz.) | 55,000 btls. more or less | — | November 19 |
| 2 | Butter (Best table) (per lb.) | 3,800 lbs. ,, | — | do. |
| | ,, (Cooking—tinned) ,, | 1,200 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| 3 | Sugar (Best cube) ,, | 2,300 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| | ,, (Granulated) ,, | 3,800 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| | ,, (Soft moist) ,, | 4,800 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| 4 | Bread (Best quality) ,, | 20,000 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| 5 | Ice (Best machine made) ,, | 117,000 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| 6 | Jam (Assorted : in 1 lb. tins or jars) ,, | 2,400 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| 7 | Eggs (Fresh, for table use) per dozen | 30,300 ,, | — | do. |
| | ,, (2nd quality, for cooking) ,, | 85,800 ,, | — | do. |
| 8 | Tea (Best Ningchow) (per lb) | 1,120 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| | ,, (Good quality Ceylon or Indian) ,, | 400 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| 9 | Flour (Good quality Australian) (per 50-lb bag) | 2,700 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| | ,, (Best local (per 50 lb. bag) | 2,000 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| 10 | Rice (Best grade) (per lb.) | 3,000 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| 11 | Potatoes (Best quality) ,, | 19,000 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| | Supply of the following sanitary stores during 1920:— | | | |
| 12 | Mosquito Mixture (as per formula) (per gall.) | 19,000 galls. more or less | — | December 1 |
| | Cross Oil or oil of similar nature ( do. ) | 9,000 galls. more or less | — | do. |
| 13 | Iron Doors and Lids for Cement Refuse Bins | * (per set) 800 sets | — | do. |
| 14 | Bamboo brooms | * (per 100) 15,000 | — | do. |
| | Bamboo baskets | * (per 100) 4,000 | — | do. |
| | *As per standard samples to be seen at Health Office. | | | |

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 514 | Supply of Road and Building Materials, during 1920 | — | November 24 |
| 515 | Supply of Various Hardwoods ,, | — | |
| 516 | Supply of Oregon Pine ,, | — | |
| 517 | Supply of Foochow Poles ,, | — | |
| 518 | Supply of Bamboo Ware ,, | — | |
| 519 | Supply of Portland Cement ,, | — | |
| 520 | Raising Land and Roads ,, | — | |
| 521 | Supply of Turf ,, | — | |
| 522 | Supply of Flower Pots ,, | — | |
| 523 | Construction of Private Drains ,, | — | |
| 524 | Transport of Material from Pingchiao Quarry ,, | — | |
| 525 | Barging Road Detritus ,, | — | |
| 526 | Wheeling Materials ,, | — | |
| 527 | Supply of Petrol and Various Oils ,, | — | |
| 528 | Supply of Iron and Brass Castings ,, | — | |
| 529 | Supply of Motor Car Tyres ,, | — | |
| 530 | Supply of Tungchow Road Workshop Stores ,, | — | |
| 531 | Supply of Coal and Coke ,, | — | |
| 534 | Painting at Nanking Road Market | — | October 31 |
| 535 | Painting at West Hongkew Police Station | — | |
| 536 | Painting at Gaol | — | |
| 537 | Painting at Rifle Range Pavilions | — | |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2659.**

**REGISTRATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.**

**(Cancellation of Permit Conditions Nos. 2 and 4).**

NOTICE is hereby given that Conditions Nos. 2 and 4 of the Permits issued to German and Austro-Hungarian subjects in pursuance of the provisions of Municipal Notification No. 2466 have been cancelled as from this date. Accordingly German and Austro-Hungarian subjects are no longer required to present themselves at the Police Stations of their Districts in order to have their Permits checked by the Police.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary*

Council Room,

Shanghai, November 5, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24s Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2655.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24s Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balances remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2657.**

**PUBLIC RECREATION GROUND.**

CLUBS desirous of securing playing space within the racecourse for the coming winter season are requested to make application to the Hon. Secretary, 14 Medhurst Road.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, October 23, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2658.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business during the race days, viz., Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, November 10, 11 and 12.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, November 6, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2660.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the parking of any vehicles on the section of the Whangpoo Road between the Astor Road and the Garden Bridge is prohibited. The vehicle stand in this vicinity is on the South side of the Whangpoo Road East of the Astor Road.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary*

Council Room,

Shanghai, November 6, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Band Committee held on Thursday, October 30, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Howard *(Chairman)*
C. M. Bain
O. M. Green

The meeting adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

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AT a meeting of the Watch and Works Committees held on Friday, October 31, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith *(Chairman)*
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman

The meeting adjourned at 7.10 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, October 31, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were :—

*Present:*

Messrs. Skinner Turner *(Chairman)*
L. E. Canning
Mrs. D. Henman
Mr. W. D. McCallum
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Messrs. T. Ibukiyama
S. C. Lin

The meeting adjourned at 7.10 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, November 5, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 5.55 p.m.

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**Chinese Educational Committee.**

The Rev. Dr. D. McGillivray has accepted the Council's invitation to serve on this Committee, in the place of the Rev. Dr. Hopkyn Rees, resigned.

**China's War Measures.**

Correspondence with the Senior Consul on the subject of the Enemy Subjects' Regulations issued by the Chinese Government :—

Shanghai, October 23, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to enclose herewith for your consideration the copy of a letter and a free translation thereof dated October 14 from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs concerning enemy subjects.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. SIFFERT,
*Senior Consul.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

(*Enclosure*)

*Translation of letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to the Senior Consul, dated October 14, 1919.*

The Commissioner is in receipt of a note from the Military Governor of Sungkiang and Shanghai intimating that he has received a despatch from the Military of War stating that the Kuo Wu Yuan (Parliament) stating that the Ministry of the Interior has suggested that as the War has come to an end certain of the regulations concerning the disposition of Enemy Subjects should be withdrawn and has asked for their (the Parliament's) consideration and decision in the matter. The Kuo Wu Yuan (Parliament) accordingly held a meeting when this matter was discussed and decision in the matter reached and a copy of the printed documents has been forwarded to the Ministry (of the Interior) for action. The Ministry (of the Interior) will address the several authorities concerned and it has forwarded a copy if these documents to the Military Governor (of Sungkiang and Shanghai) requesting his attention to them. The Governor has in turn sent a copy of these papers to the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs asking him to proceed according to their instructions. The Commissioner will act according to the instructions contained in these papers, at the same time he forwards herewith a copy of the documents to the Senior Consul asking that the Consular Body take note of the same.

The Enemy Subjects' Regulations, which shall be withdrawn, are as follows :—

1. Rules for dealing with enemy subjects :—

To be withdrawn :—Rule 4 relating to the removal of enemy subjects.

To be withdrawn :—Rule 6 prohibiting enemy subjects from travelling.

To be withdrawn :—Rule 7 prohibiting enemy subjects entering Chinese territory (Instead, the rule is amended to read "The subjects of Germany and Austria are prohibited from entering Chinese territory, except with the permission of the Chinese Government).

To be withdrawn :—Rule concerning the custody of enemy subjects.

2.—System of enforcing the rules for dealing with enemy subjects :—

To be withdrawn :—Rule 4 regarding special permission for the removal of enemy subjects. It is now stipulated that they shall report changes of residence to the local Authorities.

Rule 10 prohibiting enemy subjects from selling or dealing in books or printed matter. It is now stipulated that they may do so to some extent provided they abide by the conditions governing publication, etc.

3.—Arrangements for the registration of enemy subjects in various districts are withdrawn.

4.—Provisional relief arrangements are cancelled.

5.—Arrangements for the disposition of enemy subjects giving full details and conditions may be considered as things of the past and are, therefore, cancelled.

6.—If there are any other rules which the Ministry consider shall be withdrawn, notice will be given in due time.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 5, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 23 forwarding for the Council's consideration a copy and translation of a communication from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs in regard to certain amendments in the Enemy Subjects' Regulations issued by the Chinese Government, and in reply to inform you that the Council is issuing a notification in the terms of the copy enclosed notifying the cancellation of conditions Nos. and 4 of the Permits issued German and Austro-Hangari subjects in pursuance of Municip Notification No. 2466.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairm*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.

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**Consular Body.**

A letter from Mr. Thomas Sa mons, American Consul-Gener informs the Council that he h handed over charge of the Co sulate-General to Hr. E. S. Cu ningham, with effect from Octob 31.

**Volunteer Corps.**

Upon the recommendation of t Commandant, the promotion of t following to be Lieutenant authorized with seniority from t dates of first appointment :—

*Customs Co.*—2nd. Lieut. S. Mills.

*Light Horse.*—2nd Lieut. F. Foster.

*Italian Co.*—2nd Lieut. Bedoni.

*Shanghai Scottish.*—2nd Lie G. G. Turnbull.

*Customs Company.*—One yea leave is granted to Captain H. Hilliard from October 25.

**Motor Ambulance Service.**

Letter from the Secretary of t General Hospital with Counci reply :—

Shanghai, October 20, 1919

SIR,—I am directed to requ you to be good enough to info me whether the Council would prepared to guarantee a regu Motor Ambulance Service to available for the use of this Hos tal.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. H. MANCELL
*Secreta*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 29, 19

SIR,—In reply to your letter October 20, inquiring whether Council would be prepared to gu antee a regular motor ambula service for use of the Gene Hospital, I am directed to info you that provision for a sec ambulance car was included in Budget for the current year that, due to the non-delivery o suitable chassis, its construct has not up to the present been p ceeded with. It is expected, h ever, that this car will be comple early in 1920, when the Cou trusts that the two ambula then available will meet the quirements of all hospitals in Settlement.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDEL
*Secret*

A. H. MANCELL, Esq.,
Secretary, General Hospital.

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### Stray Children's Home.

To meet the temporary needs of this Institution the Council has decided to make itself responsible for the rent of the premises known as "The Cottage" situated at No. 25 Tongshan Road.

### Public School for Chinese.

A bequest by the late Mr. S. Rayner, formerly Assistant Master in the Public School for Chinese, and Headmaster, Polytechnic Public School for Chinese has been accepted in terms of the subjoined letter:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 23, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of August 27, notifying the Council that your son, Mr. Samuel Rayner, who volunteered for War Service in February, 1915 and who has been missing since November 30, 1917, is now presumed to be dead and stating that in a letter which came into your possession after his death, he requested that Tls. 300 from his estate be handed to the Committee of the Public School for Chinese: the interest on this sum to be used for the purpose of purchasing a prize annually for the best mathematician in the school.

In reply, I am directed to convey to you an expression of the sincere condolence of the Chinese Educational Committee and of the Council at your son's untimely end; and to express the members' deep appreciation of the above bequest, which will be devoted to the purpose mentioned and thus perpetuate the memory of one who was so highly esteemed by those with whom his duties brought him into contact.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

W. RAYNER, Esq.

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, November 2, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 873,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 2 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 13 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 7 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 10 | 138 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 55 | Bund and Canton | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | block offices |
| 43 | Bund | Bank of Communications | | | water-closet |
| 722 | Range | Tong Chih Kee | | | pavilion |
| 5545 | Lay | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | 2 latrines |
| 2510 | Wetmore | Yao Sing Kee | | | latrine |
| 3268 | Avenue | Lee Hoh Shun | | | addns. & watchman's lodge |
| 6200 | Kiaochow | Moorhead & Halse | | | dormitories, workshops, gymnasium, etc. |
| 3520 | Markham | Sung Yoong Tao | 1 | | |
| 6010 | Singapore | Fong Hsien Kee | | | greenhouse & servants' quarters |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| Unreg. N of 6055 | Ferry | Lee Yeh Chong | 4 | | |
| 6200 | Kiaochow | Moorhead & Halse | 4 | | |
| 1626, 1627 | Manila | Sung Kung Kee | 12 | | |
| 5760 | Penang | Chao Shun Kee | 73 | | |

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, NOVEMBER, 1.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Sergeant L. E. Todd from January 3, 1920 to August 2, 1920, the date of expiry of his agreement, whereupon his service will terminate.

*Public Works Department.*—Captain A. F. Gimson, M.C., Surveying Assistant in the Public Works Department, returned from war service, resumed duty on October 21. He is appointed District Engineer from May 5, 1919, the date of renewal of his agreement.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. H. Bough is appointed Assistant Distribution Engineer under agreement from October 13.

Long leave is granted to Mr. V. Olsen, Meter Engineer, from November 7.

*Educational Department.*—Miss D. Sothcott is appointed Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, under agreement from October 20.

The appointment of Bhai Gajjan Singh, Teacher of Hindustani in the School for Indian Boys, is confirmed under an agreement for five years from February 4, 1919.

Miss E. Allen and Miss M. Allen are appointed Assistant Mistresses in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls under agreement from October 20.

Mr. H. E. Jones, Assistant Master in the Public School for Chinese, returned from war service, was permitted to terminate his service on October 24.

*Secretariat.*—The appointment of Miss K. Walker, Stenographer, and Typist in the Secretariat, is confirmed under agreement from April 25.

### Electricity Department.

REPORT ON THE HALF-YEAR ENDING JUNE 30.

The result of the half-year's working will, I trust, be received by the Committee with satisfaction. The sales of electricity and profit therefrom shew a marked improvement as compared with the same period last year. The sales of electricity during the second half of the year are usually greater than in the first half, therefore it is reasonable to anticipate that the profits for the whole year will exceed the amount estimated.

A satisfactory increase has taken place in the units sold, and it will be noted that the lighting units have increased by over three-quarters of a million. This is a notable improvement over the first half of last year, when the units sold actually showed a decrease of 762,473 on the corresponding six months of 1917.

The power units have increased from 30,856,075 to 35,916,019.

An indication of the growing output of electricity may be gathered from the table below, which shows the total units generated from January to June in the years 1916 to 1919:—

| | 1916 | 1917 | 1918 | 1919 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 6,192,641 | 7,736,742 | 9,685,786 | 10,658,689 |
| Feb. | 5,125,220 | 7,588,358 | 7,064,410 | 8,841,254 |
| March | 5,919,855 | 8,580,384 | 8,898,713 | 10,382,030 |
| April | 5,550,294 | 7,805,295 | 8,490,604 | 9,723,958 |
| May | 5,522,714 | 7,630,668 | 8,453,117 | 9,962,837 |
| June | 5,432,203 | 7,193,411 | 7,685,562 | 8,998,918 |
| For the months of July, August and September this year the units generated were:— | | | | 10,530,427<br>10,729,927<br>11,263,522 |

The conditions under which the generating and distributing plant have been operating were, of course, not satisfactory owing to shortage of plant and distributing cables. The shortage of plant prevented examination and overhaul of the turbine plant, and the shortage of feeder cables meant a certain amount of overloading with consequent losses, but considering the circumstances under which the supply of electricity has, of necessity, been carried on, the results lend encouragement to the anticipation that when the new plant is

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working and there is a sufficient number of underground cables operating at 22,000 volts instead of 6,600, as at present, very marked economies should be effected with consequent saving in cost of production.

With regard to the plant ordered last year, a considerable amount of underground cable has arrived and already been laid and one cable is already in commission. Deliveries of other important contracts have also been made and generally speaking the deliveries, although not up to the contract time, have been made so that the preparatory work carried out locally has not been completed long before the arrival of the various items of plant.

T. H. U. ALDRIDGE,
*Engineer-in-Chief and Manager.*

COMPARATIVE TABLE FOR HALF-YEAR ENDING JUNE, 30.

| | 1918. | 1919. |
|---|---|---|
| Total lamps connected (equiv. 30 watts) | 651,775 | 732,852 |
| Lamps connected during half-year | —17,483 | 39,828 |
| Lamps connected during half-year (Heating) | —53,166 | —47,586 |
| House service connexions during half-year | 632 | 1,405 |
| Motors — horse power to date | 24,918 | 29,508 |
| Units generated | 50,278,193 | 58,567,296 |
| Units sold | 44,191,442 | 51,140,415 |
| Ratio between units generated and sold % | 87.89 | 87.32 |
| Private Lighting | 6,835,967 | 7,621,171 |
| Public Lighting | 554,251 | 580,990 |
| Heating | 593,410 | 556,774 |
| Power | 30,856,075 | 35,916,019 |
| Traction | 1,883,750 | 1,996,112 |
| Units accounted for | 3,467,989 | 4,469,349 |
| Coal tons | 57,431 | 58,269 |
| Coal per unit generated lbs. | 2.56 | 2.53 |
| Coal per unit sold lbs. | 2.91 | 2.9 |
| Oil gallons | 1,331 | 1,798 |
| Water " | 4,185,000 | 9,255,000 |

T. H. U. ALDRIDGE,
*Engineer-in-Chief & Manager*

## Fire Brigade Report for September.

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 24, as against 25 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 144,300 (Foreign, Tls. 136,050; Chinese, Tls. 8,250), as against Tls. 19,350 (Foreign, Tls 10,300; Chinese, Tls. 9,050 during September, 1918. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 4,370,500 (Foreign, Tls. 4,322,000; Chinese, 48,500), as against Tls. 546,500 (Foreign, Tls. 453,000; Chinese, Tls. 93,500) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 12, Watch Towers 8, Police 2, Street Alarm 1 and Staff 1.

The district call was given on 6 occasions, the remaining 18 being station calls.

These calls proved to be 1 large and 13 small fires, 1 chimney fire, 3 false alarms (2 of which were malicious) and 6 fires outside the Settlement.

The supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Dropped match or cigarette end | 4 |
| Lighted paper carelessly dropped amongst rags | 1 |
| Defective chimney | 1 |
| Belting overheated | 1 |
| Overheating of rollers of dust collecting machine | 1 |
| Electric wire in contact with gas pipe | 1 |
| Short circuit of electric wire | 1 |
| Child playing with fire | 1 |
| Naked light in contact with gasolene fumes | 1 |
| Unknown | 2 |

The premises affected were:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Foreign buildings | 5 |
| Chinese buildings | 13 |

Of these 2 buildings were destoyed by fire, and 11 others were more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The water used at fires during the month was 182,315 gallons.

The Brigade was occupied 408 hours and 45 minutes at fires, or supposed fires.

For the three quarters of the year ending September 30, 1919, the number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, was 194, as against 252 for the corresponding period last year. The estimated damage to property and contents was Tls. 360,875 (Foreign, Tls. 287,400; Chinese, Tls. 73,475), as against Tls. 320,075 (Foreign, Tls. 204,200, Chinese, Tls. 115,875) at fires within the Settlement limits during the same period last year, whilst the estimated risk was Tls. 8,145,200 (Foreign, Tls. 7,353,000; Chinese, Tls. 792,200), as against Tls. 6,231,400 (Foreign, Tls. 5,032,400; Chinese, Tls. 1,199,000) up to September 30, 1918.

It will be noticed that the Foreign loss has increased by approximately Tls. 80,000, whereas the Chinese loss has decreased by nearly Tls. 45,000 and moreover there is a considerable increase in the property at risk, i.e., nearly Tls. 2,000,000.

The fires of note during the month were:—

*Pootung, September 2, at 4.15 a.m.* Valuable assistance was rendered at a large fire in the village at the back of the Le Nee Du Wharf, where, but for the services of the Brigade, the whole village would have been wiped out, instead of there only being about 25 shops, etc., destroyed.

*B 1690/1 Sinza Road, September 7, at 4.44 a.m.*—The Sinza Division found Nos. B 1690/1 Sinza Road, a candle and cigarette shop, well alight. Owing to a late call and the inflammable nature of the contents the fire burnt with extraordinary fierceness. It was some considerable time before this fire was finally extinguished, as there was undoubtedly a quantity of gasolene on the premises, which for the some time defied all efforts to overcome it. One shop was practically destroyed and two others damaged.

*47/8 Szechuen Road, September 7, at 11.34 p.m.*—The Central Division by smart work prevented an exceedingly serious fire in the large office and godown block, at the junction of Foochow and Szechuen Roads mainly occupied by Messrs. Liddell Bros. The outbreak which was at the south-west corner of the building, on the second and third floors, was spreading rapidly and with a first aid line of hose was promptly extinguished with little damage. Another three or four minutes and the fire would have gained such headway that it is doubtful whether it would have been possible to save the godown.

*1998 Great Western Road, September 13, at 1.30 a.m.*—Another good stop was effected at 1998 Great Western Road, where a fire started in rather a dangerous position, namely in a cupboard under the staircase. The outbreak was mainly confined to the staircase.

*Chapei, September 21, at 11.10 a.m.*—Assistance was again rendered to the Chapei Brigade to rather a serious fire at Haining Road Extension some distance from the Settlement Boundary, where a conflagration took place.

*5 Mokanshan Road, September 22, at 10.05 p.m.*—A telephone message was received for a fire at No. 5 Mokanshan Road, and the No. 2 mill at the Fook Shing Flour Mill, a building about 90 feet high, was found to be in flames along the roof ventilator, the top floor and a portion of the third floor. A line of hose was laid across from Mokanshan Road from the nearest hydrant, some distance away up to the third floor to damp down the lower floors as much as possible, but the supply of water, even with the pump, was insufficient for such purposes. However the fire had obtained too good a hold above and worked down the shafts, etc., with such rapidity that some of the men had narrow escapes in getting down to the ground floor. The mill had no fire protection and the interior was constructed almost entirely of wood and in a dirty condition and was quickly a furnace. A number of explosions occurred. A pump worked from the creek, two other lines of hose were laid and the godowns which were in close proximity damped down, and carefully watched. Fortunately the Float arrived in time to render valuable aid in this work.

M. W. PETT,
*Chief Officer.*

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RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call | | Alarm given | Locality | District | | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Time of | How received | | | Municipal | Fire | | | Hours | Minutes | |
| Sept. 2 | 4.45 a.m. | Central Tower | Station | Pootung | Outside | | | | 7 | 15 | |
| 5 | 1.48 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | , | N. Szechuen & Haining Rds. | Northern | 2 | | | | 10 | False alarm |
| 7 | 4.44 a.m. | Telephone | District | B 1690 Sinza Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | 1 destroyed 4 damaged | 39 | | |
| 7 | 11.34 p.m. | ,, | Station | 47-8 Szechuen Road | Central | 4 | Foreign Godown | 1 ,, | 18 | | |
| 9 | 7.57 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Hankow Road | ,, | 5 | | | | 15 | Electric light pole on fire |
| 9 | 10.40 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Lloyd & Ningpo Roads | ,, | 6 | | | | 10 | Malicious False alarm |
| 10 | 12.44 a.m. | Sinza Tower | ,, | Chapei | Outside | | | | | 35 | |
| 12 | 6.51 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | District | J 332 off East Seward Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | 3 damaged | 4 | | |
| 13 | 1.30 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | 1998 Great Western Rd. | Western | 7 | Foreign Residence | 1 ,, | 18 | | |
| 13 | 8.03 p.m. | ,, | Station | U 891 Peking Road | Central | 6 | | | | 20 | Chimney |
| 16 | 2.54 a.m. | Street Alarm | ,, | U 1180 Peking Road | ,, | 3 | Chinese Shop | | 14 | | |
| 16 | 10.56 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | off Kiangwan Road | Outside | | | | | 30 | |
| 18 | 5.36 a.m. | Yangtszepoo Police | District | 87 Yangtszepoo Road | Eastern | 1 | Foreign Cotton Mill | | 6 | | |
| 21 | 11.10 a.m. | Central & Hongkew Tower | ,, | Chapei | Outside | | | | 1 | 10 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 10 | |
| 21 | 11.50 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | Chapei | ,, | | | | | | |
| 21 | 10.57 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | H 55-6 Hoopeh Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Chemist | | 16 | | |
| 22 | 4.38 p.m. | ,, | Station | Y 1852 North Szechuen Rd. | Northern | 2 | Chinese Tinsmith | 1 damaged | 7 | | |
| 22 | 10.05 p.m. | ,, | ,, | 5 Mokanshan Road | Western | 7 | Foreign Flour Mill | 1 destroyed | 261 | | |
| 23 | 9.24 p.m. | Hongkew & Central Tower | District | Chapei | Outside | | | | 1 | | |
| 24 | 12.25 p.m. | Telephone | Station | Off Markham Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | 1 damaged | | 35 | |
| 24 | 7.30 p.m. | Staff | ,, | North Soochow Road | Northern | 2 | | | | 10 | |
| 27 | 10.45 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | 14 The Bund | Central | 4 | Foreign Bank | | 13 | | |
| 29 | 11.03 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Thibet Road | ,, | 5 | | | | 10 | Malicious False alarm |
| 30 | 11.50 p.m. | Central Police | ,, | B 219 Kiangse Road | ,, | 4 | Chinese Shop | | | 15 | |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

## Public Band.

*Band Tariff.*—The Council has sanctioned minor alterations in the tariff of charges for the Band, the chief modification being that in future one free rehearsal will be allowed only in cases of engagement of the full or half-Band, all other rehearsals being charged for at one-third the tariff rate, instead of one-half as heretofore; that discounts shall be allowed only on engagements of the full and half Band, and shall be 20 per cent. after three performances and 40 per cent. after eight performances during a season, and that the double rates charged for performances on Sundays, or for marching, be abolished.

Details of the revised Band tariff are as under:—

The charge for the services of the Band is Tls. 40, and of a Half-Band, consisting of not less than three European and twelve Manila musicians, Tls. 25 per hour or part of an hour.

The services of a smaller number of musicians may be engaged at the rate per hour or part thereof of Tls. 3 for European, and Tls. 1.50 for Manila musicians. In a group numbering less than a Half-Band, the following charge is made for the services of the piano player:—

| per hour or part thereof | |
|---|---|
| European | Manilaman |
| Tls. 1.50 | Tls. 1.00 |

Where not less than a Half-Band is engaged, one rehearsal is permitted without fee, all other rehearsals are charged for at one-third of the above rates.

For the services of a soloist an additional fee of Tls. 25 is charged, inclusive of such rehearsals as are necessary.

Discounts during a season shall be allowed on Full and Half-Bands as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| after 3 performances | 20% |
| ,, 8 ,, | 40% |

Discounts are not allowed on groups of less than a Half-Band or on rehearsals.

The cost of conveyance of musicians for distances beyond a radius of 1 mile from the Municipal Offices, Kiangse Road, must be defrayed by the persons engaging them.

The European musicians are allowed to give private music lessons, with the Conductor's permission obtained in each case.

Applications for engagements and cancellations should be addressed to the Assistant Secretary of Council, Municipal Offices, not less than 24 hours notice should be given in each case. Inquiries concerning details as to performances, music required, etc., may be made of the Conductor direct (Telephone North 175).

## Smallpox.

FREE VACCINATION

will be done at the Branch Health Offices as follows:

FOR CHINESE.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 679 | Yangtszepoo Road | Mondays | 3.30 | p.m. |
| 1581 | Seward ,, | ,, | 2.30 | ,, |
| 2668 | ,, ,, | ,, | 2.15 | ,, |
| 534 | E. Hanbury ,, | ,, | 2.00 | ,, |
| | Hongkew Market | Tuesdays | 2.15 | ,, |
| 42 | Woosung Road | ,, | 2.00 | ,, |
| 797 | Purdon ,, | ,, | 2.30 | ,, |
| 567 | N. Fokien ,, | ,, | 2.45 | ,, |
| 200 | N. Thibet ,, | ,, | 3.00 | ,, |
| 462 | Fokien ,, | Thursdays | 2.30 | ,, |
| 23 | Hankow ,, | ,, | 2.00 | ,, |
| 1622 | Sinza ,, | Fridays | 2.45 | ,, |
| 385 | Mohawk ,, | ,, | 2.00 | ,, |
| 1019 | Markham ,, | ,, | 2.30 | ,, |

FOR FOREIGNERS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1581 | Seward Road | Mondays | 4 | p.m. |
| 42 | Woosung Road | Tuesdays | 4 | ,, |
| 23 | Hankow ,, | Thursdays | 3.15 | ,, |

DO NOT DELAY.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承辦全份底本局有保利益

二 所有承攬價目有權不承辦人自行之條款本辦法如有不准之條件本局公開之日期承攬人應繳保證金方准參與投標

三 挪定之後人到局之保證金及各人之信用及承攬人知悉之價目

四 所有承攬人應登報聲明本局所取之條件及本局公開之日期

五 所有取閱說明書若須付錢則須繳納清單內之款項本局有權拒絕一切投標

六 所有承攬信章封固加蓋火漆其承攬何項工程物料等必於信內註明工程名稱

部局處至西路二十號上午十時開標

面寫明送交工務處

二時之後仍將該款一律退還

部局處在定期日期內送到

信送來之前以信寫明

清單最善用此次概免交

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **HEALTH DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Health Office, Honan Road | | |
| | Supply of the following for the Municipal Hospitals, Private Nursing Service, Sanatorium and Laboratory, etc., during 1920:— | | |
| 1 | Milk (per bottle of not less than 20 fl. oz.) 55,000 btls. more or less | — | November 19 |
| 2 | Butter (Best table) (per lb.) 3,800 lbs. ,, | — | do. |
| | ,, (Cooking—tinned) ,, 1,200 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| 3 | Sugar (Best cube) ,, 2,300 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| | ,, (Granulated) ,, 3,800 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| | ,, (Soft moist) ,, 4,800 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| 4 | Bread (Best quality) ,, 20,000 ,, , | — | do. |
| 5 | Ice (Best machine made) ,, 117,000 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| 6 | Jam (Assorted : in 1 lb. tins or jars) ,, 2,400 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| 7 | Eggs (Fresh, for table use) per dozen 30,300 ,, | — | do. |
| | ,, (2nd quality, for cooking) ,, 85,800 ,, | — | do. |
| 8 | Tea (Best Ningchow) (per lb) 1,120 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| | ,, (Good quality Ceylon or Indian) ,, 400 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| 9 | Flour (Good quality Australian) (per 50-lb bag) 2,700 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| | ,, (Best local (per 50 lb. bag) 2,000 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| 10 | Rice (Best grade) (per lb) 3,000 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| 11 | Potatoes (Best quality) ,, 19,000 ,, ,, | — | do. |
| | Supply of the following sanitary stores during 1920:— | | |
| 12 | Mosquito Mixture (as per formula) (per gall.) 19,000 galls. more or less | — | December 1 |
| | Cross Oil or oil of similar nature ( do. ) 9,000 galls. more or less | — | do. |
| 13 | Iron Doors and Lids for Cement Refuse Bins * (per set) 800 sets | — | do. |
| 14 | Bamboo brooms * (per 100) 15,000 | — | do. |
| | Bamboo baskets * (per 100) 4,000 | — | do. |
| | *As per standard samples to be seen at Health Office. | | |

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## TENDERS INVITED *(Continued)*

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 514 | Supply of Road and Building Materials, during 1920 | — | November 24 |
| 515 | Supply of Various Hardwoods ,, | — | |
| 516 | Supply of Oregon Pine ,, | — | |
| 517 | Supply of Foochow Poles ,, | — | |
| 518 | Supply of Bamboo Ware ,, | — | |
| 519 | Supply of Portland Cement ,, | — | |
| 520 | Raising Land and Roads ,, | — | |
| 521 | Supply of Turf ,, | — | |
| 522 | Supply of Flower Pots ,, | — | |
| 523 | Construction of Private Drains ,, | — | |
| 524 | Transport of Material from Pingchiao Quarry ,, | — | |
| 525 | Barging Road Detritus ,, | — | |
| 526 | Wheeling Materials ,, | — | |
| 527 | Supply of Petrol and Various Oils ,, | — | |
| 528 | Supply of Iron and Brass Castings ,, | — | |
| 529 | Supply of Motor Car Tyres ,, | — | |
| 530 | Supply of Tungchow Road Workshop Stores ,, | — | |
| 531 | Supply of Coal and Coke ,, | — | |
| 533 | Painting at Hongkew Fire Station | — | November 14 |

### ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT

Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 189 | Coal for delivery at Riverside Power Station during 1920 | Tls. 5 | November 27 |
| 190 | Coal for delivery at Fearon Road Power Station during 1920 | Tls. 5 | do. |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 534

Painting at Nanking Road Market

| | |
|---|---|
| Joe Ming Kee | Tls. 1,645 |
| Wong Yue Chong | 867 |
| Ngan Zung Lee | 820 |
| Woo Lee Kee | 780 |
| Wong Chin Kee | 774 |
| Zung Shing | 694 |
| Tuck Foong | 680 |
| Sing Kee | 518 |
| *Lien Yung Kee | 480 |

Tender No. 535

Painting at West Hongkew Police Station

| | |
|---|---|
| Woo Lee Kee | Tls. 992 |
| Sing Kee | 964 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 885 |
| Wong Chin Kee | 824 |
| Ngan Zung Lee | 814 |
| Zung Shing | 760 |
| Tuck Foong | 736 |
| *Lien Yung Kee | 640 |

Tender No. 536

Painting at Gaol

| | |
|---|---|
| Woo Lee Kee | Tls. 1,150 |
| Ngan Zung Lee | 975 |
| Sing Kee | 964 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 865 |
| Zung Shing | 846 |
| Wong Chin Kee | 824 |
| Tuck Foong | 675 |
| *Lien Yung Kee | 600 |

Tender No. 537

Painting at Rifle Range Pavilions

| | |
|---|---|
| Ngan Zung Lee | Tls. 424 |
| Wong Yue Chong | 380 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 345 |
| Wong Chin Kee | 334 |
| Lien Yung Kee | 320 |
| Sing Kee | 294 |
| Tuck Foong | 294 |
| Woo Lee Kee | 248 |
| *Zung Shing | 220 |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2659.**

**REGISTRATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.**

**(Cancellation of Permit Conditions Nos. 2 and 4).**

NOTICE is hereby given that Conditions Nos. 2 and 4 of the Permits issued to German and Austro-Hungarian subjects in pursuance of the provisions of Municipal Notification No. 2466 have been cancelled as from this date. Accordingly German and Austro-Hungarian subjects are no longer required to present themselves at the Police Stations of their Districts in order to have their Permits checked by the Police.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary*

Council Room,

Shanghai, November 5, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2655.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balances remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2660.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the parking of any vehicles on the section of the Whangpoo Road between the Astor Road and the Garden Bridge is prohibited. The vehicle stand in this vicinity is on the South side of the Whangpoo Road East of the Astor Road.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary*

Council Room.

Shanghai, November 6, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2661.**

**ORDURE CONTRACT.**

*(Translation.)*

THE Council is prepared to receive tenders for the removal by boat of ordure from the Settlement from January 1, 1920. Tenderers should state the amount of money they are prepared to pay to the Council and send their tenders with "Tenders for Ordure Contract" marked thereon, to the undersigned not later than 4 p.m. on December 1, 1919. The Contractor whose contract is accepted will be required to deposit three months' money with the Council. An agreement for one year renewable for a further period of two years will be made provided the contractor performs his duties to the satisfaction of the Council, and in case he wishes to continue the work. Assignment of the contract will not be permitted. Further particulars may be obtained and conditions of agreement may be inspected upon application to the Health Office.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, November 12, 1919.

### Municipal Properties.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys—Site Extension.*—For extension of the school playground, the Council has approved the purchase for Tls. 10,100 of a strip of land measuring Mow 1.259, on the east of the school site, which is at present covered by a row of Chinese dwellings.

### Ricsha Shelters.

Correspondence with Mr. F. J. White on the subject of the provision of an additional shelter for ricsha coolies:—

Shanghai, October 28, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—There is no shelter of any kind for ricsha coolies at the end of the Yangtszepoo tram line. As a consequence, on bad nights the coolies go home and there is no one there to take people who

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wish to be taken down to our campus and other places, not to speak of the suffering that these coolies undergo by having to sit out in the rain.

Would it be possible for the Council to build a shelter for not exceeding ten coolies at this place?

Yours very truly,
F. J. WHITE,
*President,*
*Shanghai College.*

The SECRETARY,
Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 3, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 28, and in reply to your inquiry to inform you that one of the standard type of shelters will be erected for ricsha coolies at the end of the Yangtszepoo tramline.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

F. J. WHITE, Esq.,
President,
Shanghai College.

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## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8.

*Public Works Department.*—The appointments of Assistant Inspectors A. J. Pratt and P. MacManus are confirmed under agreements terminable at three months' notice from November 1.

Mr. D. E. Harbottle is appointed temporarily as Inspector from November 1.

*Electricity Department.*—The appointment of Mr. H. Meigan, House Service Mains Assistant, is confirmed under an agreement from June 2, terminable at three months' notice.

The appointment of Mr. J. F. G. Harris, Assistant Mains Foreman, is confirmed under an agreement from July 1, terminable at three months' notice.

The appointment of Mr. W. C. Fisher, Clerical Assistant, is confirmed under an agreement from October 1, terminable at three months' notice.

The appointment of Miss D. Davey, Stenographer and Typist, is confirmed under an agreement from September 3, terminable at three months' notice.

The appointment of Mr. R. B. Roach, Meter Department Assistant, is confirmed under an agreement from November 1, terminable at three months' notice.

Long leave is granted to the following Shift Engineers:—
Mr. J. Stoddart from April 1, 1920
Mr. R. Peden ,, May 28, 1920

Miss M. Cowen, Stenographer and Typist on probation, was permitted to terminate her service on September 30.

Mr. H. F. Stoneham, temporary Clerical Assistant, was permitted to terminate his service on October 31.

*Educational Department.*—The appointment of Miss T. M. Pierce, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Chinese, is confirmed under an agreement from September 8.

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, November 9, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 16 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 5 | 141 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 99 | Foochow | Tong Shing | | | 2 kitchens |
| 2698 | Dalny and Yulin | Oriental Engine Works, Ld. | | | wall |
| 7220 | Ward | C. Luthy | | 1 | laboratory |
| 2620 | Yangtszepoo | S. J. Powell | | | car shed |
| 2380 | B'bling Well | V. Zimmerman | | | water-closet |
| 4608 / 4610 | Mokanshan | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | 1 | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| Unreg. N of 372 | Urga | Yang Seng Tai | 4 | | |
| 435 | Wuchow | King Kee | 7 | | |
| 49 | Burkill | Brandt & Rodgers | 16 | | |

## Report of Acting Commissioner of Police for October,

Strength of the Force on October 31.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 10 | |
| Foreigners | 187 | |
| Japanese | 26 | |
| Sikhs | 586 | |
| Chinese | 1,481 | 2,290 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 81 | |
| Followers | 224 | 305 |
| | Total | 2,595 |

*Murder.*—The dead body of a Chinese was discovered in the country off Whashing Road on October 29. The murder had been committed with a chopper-like instrument. Police inquiries are proceeding.

*Stolen Property.*—During the month 285 reports of stolen property were made to the police. These included 31 cases of burglary: 49 cases of housebreaking: 10 cases of office breaking and 2 cases of godown breaking. Successful investigations were made in 99 cases.

*Robberies, etc.*—There were no armed robberies from premises during the month. One case of attempted armed robbery resulted in the arrest of seven persons. Five of them were already wanted on charges of armed robbery and murder and were handed over to the Chinese Authorities.

Only one case of armed highway robbery was reported. There were also two cases of highway robbery in which no arms were used. In connexion with these one Foreigner and two Chinese were arrested and are on remand.

Two persons were arrested for armed robberies occurring in previous months and were handed over to the Chinese Authorities. Two others, arrested for armed robberies committed outside limits, were also handed over to the Chinese Authorities.

*Bombs.*—During the month there were four bombs found in the Settlement. No persons were injured. A noticeable feature of all threatening letter cases which are followed by bombs is the almost entire unwillingness of the persons concerned to give any assistance to the police.

*Executions.*—During the month 14 persons who were convicted of armed robbery in the Settlement were executed by the Chinese Authorities at Loongwha.

*Pocket-picking, etc.*—Pocket-picking on tramcars and the operations of three-card tricksters are on the increase.

*Opium.*—The traffic in opium is still carried on in spite of a considerable number of raids and seizures by the police. It enters the Settlement by rail and by ship from the North, and from abroad by European and Japanese steamers. Little more can be done than is at present being done to prevent this smuggling so long as anyone has free access to wharves, jetties and landing stages, and so long as people from ships and boats are able to land without passing a Customs barrier.

*Morphia.*—On October 11 the police seized smuggled morphia to the value of $40,000 on the Seward Road. The Japanese smuggler in this case was arrested.

*Gambling.*—The gang of foreigners running "The Wheel" at No. 28 North Honan Road Extension is still permitted to carry on its operations unhindered by the authorities.

*Political Notes.*—The principal political feature of the month was the successful celebration of the anniversary of the inauguration of the Republic on October 10. In Shanghai there was a great display of enthusiasm among all classes.

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The question of internal peace is still engrossing the attention of the Chinese press and public. Both the Northern and Southern Delegations still remain in the Settlement, but they appear to be no nearer an understanding than they were a month ago. Latterly it is reported that some of the principal Southern leaders have entered into direct negotiations with the North, which may possibly result in a settlement. Both sides are engaged in a strenuous propaganda campaign, Mr. Wang Ih-tang, the Chief Northern Delegate, in particular being subjected to constant personal abuse by the organs of the Kuomintang. On October 19 a bomb was found in Hardoon's Garden which was supposed to have been placed there by his enemies in order to expedite his return to the North.

There is little doubt that the presence of the Peace Delegations, and more especially of the Southern Delegation, tends seriously to disturb the peace and good order of the Settlement. The intended Conference has naturally attracted to Shanghai numerous political agitators to whose initiative may be traced the activities of many undesirable elements.

During the month the various Street Unions formed a central controlling body known as "The Amalgamated Association of Street Unions." The inaugural meeting of the new organization took place in the Chinese Chamber of Commerce on October 26.

The boycott of Japanese goods is still alive although it has lost much of its former vigour.

During October no less than eight strikes occurred in the Settlement, while others were narrowly averted by employers granting an increased rate of pay. About 700 red wood carpenters were on strike between October 2 and 14. About 300 scavenging coolies of the P.W.D. struck work for half a day on October 7. The coolies at the San Sing Cotton Mill struck work from October 12 to 15. The employes of the Shanghai Cotton Mill went on strike for one day on October 15. About 1,500 furniture painters struck work between October 18 and 24. The red wood sawyers were on strike between October 20 and 24. Sawyers of common wood were on strike between October 23 and 30. About 100 employes of bean-curd shops, who struck work on October 27, were still out at the end of the month.

On October 18 the French Municipal Police closed the offices of the Korean Provisional Government at No. 321 Avenue Joffre, and suppressed its official organ, the "Dog-nip," which had hitherto been published in an alleyway off Rue Amiral Bayle.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 511 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 174 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 174 records were received from the French Police out of which number 98 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For Identification | 685 |
| Identified | 272 |
| Percentage | 40 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 9 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 31 |
| | 40 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 16.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 267 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 70 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 59 | *Second offenders.* |
| 39 | *Third offenders.* |
| 5 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 71 | *Habitual offenders* (serious). |
| 511 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for October.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. | Tls. 6,020.97 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 3,373.37 |
| Total | Tls. 2,647.60 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. 2,647.60 |

**Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.**

A. HILTON JOHNSON,
*Acting Commissioner of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:*— | |
| Assault | 8 |
| Causing grievous bodily harm | 1 |
| 2.—*Offences Against Property:*— | |
| Forgery | 1 |
| Larceny | 1 |
| Misappropriation | 1 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:*— | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:*— | |
| Billiards | 1 |
| Dogs | 2 |
| Motor Car | 1 |
| Taverns | 2 |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:*— | |
| Nuisance | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 8 |
| Morphia, In possession of | 1 |
| 4.—*Miscellaneous Cases:* | 1 |
| Total | 29 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,802 | 1,802 |
| Others | 28 | 930 | 958 |
| Total | 28 | 2,732 | 2,760 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Case Withdrawn | 1 |
| Cautioned | 3 |
| Fined | 14 |
| Handed over to Naval Authorities | 3 |
| Imprisonment | 4 |
| " and Expulsion | 1 |
| Remanded | 3 |
| Total | 29 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on October 31.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 5 |
| Louza Station | 9 |
| Hongkew Station | 13 |
| Harbin Road Station | 2 |
| West Hongkew Station | 6 |
| Wayside Station | 5 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 2 |
| Sinza Station | 3 |
| Gaol | 1,545 |
| Reformatory | 75 |
| Total | 1,665 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 689 | 1,211 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 689 | 1,211 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN September 27 and October 31.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 47,455.75 |
| Recovered | 10,855.00 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 30. 9. 19. | 40 | 318 |
| Captured | 278 | |
| Returned | 58 | 318 |
| Killed | 212 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 3 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 45 | |

## Smallpox.

FREE VACCINATION

will be done at the Branch Health Offices as follows:

FOR CHINESE.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 679 | Yangtszepoo Road | Mondays | 3.30 p.m. |
| 1581 | Seward " | " | 2.30 " |
| 2668 | " " | " | 2.15 " |
| 534 | E. Hanbury " | " | 2.00 " |
| | Hongkew Market | Tuesdays | 2.15 " |
| 42 | Woosung Road | " | 2.00 " |
| 797 | Purdon " | " | 2.30 " |
| 567 | N. Fokien " | " | 2.45 " |
| 200 | N. Thibet " | " | 3.00 " |
| 462 | Fokien " | Thursdays | 2.30 " |
| 23 | Hankow " | " | 2.00 " |
| 1622 | Sinza " | Fridays | 2.45 " |
| 385 | Mohawk " | " | 2.00 " |
| 1019 | Markham " | " | 2.30 " |

FOR FOREIGNERS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1581 | Seward Road | Mondays | 4 p.m. |
| 42 | Woosung Road | Tuesdays | 4 " |
| 23 | Hankow " | Thursdays | 3.15 " |

DO NOT DELAY.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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**Summary of Revenue for September.**

| Description | Estimate for 1919 | 1919 | | | 1918 | | | 1917 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 |
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,054,630 | — | 133,397.88 | 907,471.14 | — | 79,809.03 | 826,950.52 | — | 115,695.61 | 701,987.96 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 795 850 | — | 69,081.61 | 582,560.86 | — | 15,550.66 | 477,546.90 | — | 20,467.70 | 455,183.87 |
| Chinese | 1,182,460 | — | 157,113.18 | 761,636.66 | — | 36,529.30 | 736,343.78 | — | 27,238.47 | 712,263.41 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | 18.40 | 1,320.40 | — | 28.05 | 1,311.45 | — | 21.25 | 1,327.85 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 220,000 | — | 76,257.54 | 186,593.00 | — | 49,684.78 | 141,555.88 | — | 54,547.47 | 152,147.67 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | — | — | 11,683.50 | 2 | 120.00 | 12,581.70 | 1 | 14.00 | 13,802.00 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 24,000 | — | — | 18,262.50 | 2 | 100.00 | 17,675.00 | 2 | 75.00 | 17,623.98 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 400 | — | — | 424.00 | — | — | 299.00 | — | — | 375.00 |
| Eating House | 9,000 | 14 | 65.74 | 6,849.11 | 11 | 44.61 | 6,600.76 | 40 | 104.43 | 4,264.99 |
| Chinese Club | 4,500 | — | — | 3,820.90 | 1 | 25.00 | 3,016.70 | — | — | 3,341.70 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13,000 | 1 | 15.00 | 9,060.50 | 2 | 50.00 | 9,530.00 | 1 | 3.00 | 10,099 00 |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36 000 | 16 | 36.60 | 26,561.60 | 7 | 14.90 | 26,766.50 | 27 | 108.12 | 26,550 54 |
| Tea-shop | 16,000 | 640 | 1,458.50 | 12,571.50 | 656 | 1,382.50 | 12,000.00 | 680 | 1,888.00 | 12,836.25 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 6,500 | 2 | 6.09 | 5,180.63 | 2 | 4.91 | 4,681.75 | 17 | 122.12 | 4,945.41 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,000 | 20 | 723.00 | 4,621.00 | 11 | 435.00 | 3,187.50 | 22 | 530.00 | 4,950.00 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 19 | 729.00 | 6,401.00 | 18 | 685.00 | 5,810.00 | 13 | 655.00 | 6,737.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 2,500 | 12 | 229.00 | 2,327.00 | 12 | 234.00 | 1,720.00 | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 29,000 | 303 | 8,719.12 | 24,701.89 | 305 | 6,590.67 | 22,191.88 | 301 | 6,007.90 | 20,663.48 |
| Exchange Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Opium-shop | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 45,390.00 |
| Tobacco Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,000 | 1,004 | 625.68 | 4,843.45 | 997 | 559.71 | 4,709.13 | 952 | 546.46 | 4,477.50 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,100 | 63 | 92.61 | 837.31 | 67 | 97.95 | 852.53 | 64 | 91.78 | 815.40 |
| Launch | 3,300 | 26 | 52.00 | 2,663.00 | 28 | 56.00 | 2,381.00 | 38 | 76.00 | 2,410.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,748 | 414.58 | 3,330.79 | 1,530 | 366.77 | 3,103.30 | 1,481 | 351.91 | 3,205.15 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 140 | 102.04 | 711.72 | 150 | 109.41 | 703.32 | 154 | 110.58 | 784.30 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 11,500 | P. 8 C. 8 | 20.49 | 7,843.37 | P. 14 C. 12 | 51.78 | 8,599.62 | P. 10 C. 10 | 25.13 | 9,164.35 |
| Livery Stable | 12,000 | P. 400 C. 248 | 1,011.31 | 9,344.94 | P. 409 C. 258 | 1,051.58 | 9,103.92 | P. 397 C. 245 | 989.67 | 9,200.59 |
| Motor Car & Motor Bicycle | 45,000 | 78 | 293.06 | 36 863.13 | 52 | 222.26 | 29,151 84 | 51 | 213.56 | 22,193.84 |
| Cart | 31,500 | 2,132 | 3,006.50 | 26,803.50 | 1,739 | 2,449.00 | 23,447.00 | 1,603 | 2,272.00 | 22,783.00 |
| Private Ricsha | 55,000 | 132 | 123.24 | 42,362.44 | 110 | 109.45 | 39 045.17 | 88 | 74.00 | 35,664.96 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,587.60 | 104,457.50 | 8,000 | 11,640.80 | 103,806.82 | 8,000 | 11,491.20 | 102,450.06 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 4 | 5.87 | 96.94 | 3 | 2.19 | 102.56 | 1 | 2.87 | 123.90 |
| Wheel-barrow | 50,000 | 9,088 | 4,547.56 | 37,757.12 | 8,251 | 4,131.74 | 36,451.66 | 8,081 | 4,046.57 | 37,264.24 |
| Firearms | 500 | 1 | 75.00 | 225.00 | — | — | 225.00 | — | — | 375.00 |
| Dog | 3,500 | 58 | 211.35 | 5,534.80 | 69 | 100.61 | 3,325.11 | 76 | 109.16 | 3,460.69 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 111,240 | 6,245 | 9,820.10 | 83,059.54 | 6,158 | 9,701.39 | 81,055 17 | 5,976 | 9,241.79 | 69,580.95 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | — | 410.00 | — | — | 390.00 | — | — | 130.00 |
| Firemen's Quarters | 3,100 | — | — | 805.50 | — | 112.00 | 1,774.00 | — | 241.00 | 1,579.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 5,820 | — | 476.20 | 3,968.75 | — | 415.00 | 3,985.00 | — | 445.00 | 4,005.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 20.00 | 1,493.82 | — | 85.00 | 1,283.57 | — | 75.72 | 335.30 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 33,700 | — | — | 26,003.60 | — | — | 32,362.34 | — | — | 33,252.57 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | 250.00 | 750.00 | — | 250.00 | 750.00 | — | 250.00 | 750.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co. Ld. | 7,330 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 5,332.00 |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 50,000 | — | 15,088.19 | 41,846 00 | — | 12,484.51 | 35,431.91 | — | 11,332.54 | 33,272,57 |
| Electricity Department | 242 000 | — | — | 242,000.00 | — | — | 364,000.00 | — | 18,820.00 | 41,460.06 |
| Convict Labour | 12,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concreteware Manufactory | 10,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 5,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,296,530 | | 495,672.04 | 3,263,440.94 | | 285,285.56 | 3,103,150.24 | | 282,785.01 | 2,638,609.58 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Superintendent of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局有權認定自願承攬本局有權認定必須承辦之准許認可目錄承辦本局有權認定必須承辦之准許認可目錄承辦本局有權認定必須承辦之准許認可目錄承辦

## TENDERS INVITED *(Continued)*

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

**Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 514 | Supply of Road and Building Materials, during 1920 | — | November 24 |
| 515 | Supply of Various Hardwoods ,, | — | |
| 516 | Supply of Oregon Pine ,, | — | |
| 517 | Supply of Foochow Poles ,, | — | |
| 518 | Supply of Bamboo Ware ,, | — | |
| 519 | Supply of Portland Cement ,, | — | |
| 520 | Raising Land and Roads ,, | — | |
| 521 | Supply of Turf ,, | — | |
| 522 | Supply of Flower Pots ,, | — | |
| 523 | Construction of Private Drains ,, | — | |
| 524 | Transport of Material from Pingchiao Quarry ,, | — | |
| 525 | Barging Road Detritus ,, | — | |
| 526 | Wheeling Materials ,, | — | |
| 527 | Supply of Petrol and Various Oils ,, | — | |
| 528 | Supply of Iron and Brass Castings ,, | — | |
| 529 | Supply of Motor Car Tyres ,, | — | |
| 530 | Supply of Tungchow Road Workshop Stores ,, | — | |
| 531 | Supply of Coal and Coke ,, | — | |
| 533 | Painting at Hongkew Fire Station | — | November 14 |

### ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT

**Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 189 | Coal for delivery at Riverside Power Station during 1920 | Tls. 5 | November 27 |
| 190 | Coal for delivery at Fearon Road Power Station during 1920 | Tls. 5 | do. |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2659.**
**REGISTRATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.**
**(Cancellation of Permit Conditions Nos. 2 and 4).**

NOTICE is hereby given that Conditions Nos. 2 and 4 of the Permits issued to German and Austro-Hungarian subjects in pursuance of the provisions of Municipal Notification No. 2466 have been cancelled as from this date. Accordingly German and Austro-Hungarian subjects are no longer required to present themselves at the Police Stations of their Districts in order to have their Permits checked by the Police.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 5, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2647.**
**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**
**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2655.**
**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2660.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the parking of any vehicles on the section of the Whangpoo Road between the Astor Road and the Garden Bridge is prohibited. The vehicle stand in this vicinity is on the South side of the Whangpoo Road East of the Astor Road.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 6, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2661.**
**ORDURE CONTRACT.**
*(Translation.)*

THE Council is prepared to receive tenders for the removal by boat of ordure from the Settlement from January 1, 1920. Tenderers should state the amount of money they are prepared to pay to the Council and send their tenders with "Tenders for Ordure Contract" marked thereon, to the undersigned not later than 4 p.m. on December 1, 1919. The Contractor whose contract is accepted will be required to deposit three months' money with the Council. An agreement for one year renewable for a further period of two years will be made provided the contractor performs his duties to the satisfaction of the Council, and in case he wishes to continue the work. Assignment of the contract will not be permitted. Further particulars may be obtained and conditions of agreement may be inspected upon application to the Health Office.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 12, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Health Committee held on Thursday, November 13, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. H. A. J. Macray (*Chairman*)
S. J. Halse
W. P. Lambe

*Absent:*
Drs. J. W. Jackson
R. J. Marshall

The meeting adjourned at 6.25 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Watch Committee held on Monday, November 17, 1919, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were;—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray

The meeting adjourned at 1.05 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Volunteer Corps Commission held on Tuesday, November 18, 1919, at 5 o'clock p.m., there were:

*Present:*
Rev. J. R. Hykes (*Chairman*)
Messrs. R. E. S. Gregson
S. J. Halse
Major M. H. Logan
Mr. C. G. S. Mackie

The meeting adjourned at 6 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, November 19, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
T. Ibukiyama
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 6.20 p.m.

**Consular Body.**

A letter from Mr. T. Raaschou, Consul-General for Denmark, informs the Council that he has resumed charge of the Danish Consulate-General, with effect from November 17.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*Volunteer Corps Commission.*—Mr. C. G. S. Mackie has accepted the Council's invitation to serve on this Commission, in the place of Mr. J. Quin, resigned, owing to his contemplated absence from Shanghai.

*American Company.*—Six months leave is granted to Lieutenant V. Olsen from November 8.

**Case of Illegal Detention.**

Further correspondence with Mr. M. L. Heen and the Senior Consul in continuaton of that published in the Gazette of September 18:—

Shanghai, September 17, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—Referring to previous correspondence, I have been instructed by the wife of Yu Tshung-ling to inquire if there is any likelihood of her husband being released from the custody of Shun Pan Ting at an early date.

Yours faithfully,
M. L. HEEN.

The SECRETARY,
Municipal Council.

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 25, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to refer to the letter of August 29 addressed to yourself by the Vice-Chairman of Council on the subject of the irregular detention in the native city by the Chinese Civil Magistrate of one Yu Tshung-ling, a resident of this Settlement, and to request, in view of further representations made on this subject, that you will be so good as to inform my colleagues and myself of the result of the steps taken for release of this man.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul

Shanghai, September 30, 1919.

SIR,—With reference to your letters of August 29 and September 25 on the subject of the irregular detention by the Chinese Authorities of a resident of this Settlement named Yu Tshung-ling (尤春霖), I have the honour to enclose herewith for your consideration the copy of the Chinese text and a free translation of a letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. SIFFERT,
*Senior Consul.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council

*Translation of letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to the Senior Consul dated September 26, 1919.*

The Commissioner received the Senior Consul's letter of September 18 informing him of the detention of Yu Tshung-ling in the City without a preliminary hearing at the Mixed Court and asking him to address the City Civil Court with a view to the release of this man and the institution of legal proceedings at the Mixed Court by the complainant in this case. He has written to the City Court re this matter and has received a reply to the effect that the City Civil Court has heard the case of Chen King-yuen *vs.* Yu Tshung-ling in re payment for goods. The defendant Yu Tshung-ling has stated that he is a native of Wuhsien (Soochow) and that he resides in the Tsin Shiu Road in the City, which is Chinese territory, but this statement is contrary to that contained in the Senior Consul's letter as to a resident of the Settlement named Yu Tshung-ling. The fact is they have not detained a resident of the Settlement of this name. The City Court also states that when the parties to the suit were brought up for hearing on July 31 they agreed to an amicable settlement of the case. The City Court, therefore, asks the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to reply to the Senior Consul's letter giving him the above facts.

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 2, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to send you herewith enclosed, a copy of a letter from the Senior Consul, dated September 30, with a translation of the enclosure thereto on the subject of the detention in the Shun Pan Ting in the Chinese City, of your client Yu Tshung-ling, a resident of this Settlement.

You will note therefrom that the City Court now sets up the contention that Yu Tshung-ling is not a resident of this Settlement, that he has stated that he is a native of Wuhsien (Soochow), and that he resides in the Tsin Shiu in the City, and further that at a hearing of the City Court on July 31, the parties concerned agreed on an amicable settlement of the case.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

M. L. HEEN, ESQ.

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 15, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of September 30, transmitting for the Council's information copy of the Chinese text and translation of a letter received from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs on the subject of the irregular detention by the Chinese Authorities of a resident of this Settlement named Yu Tshung-ling.

In reply thereto, I have the honour to forward for your information the enclosed copy of a report in comment thereon by the Commissioner of Police, from which it will be noted that the contention set up by the City Court that Yu Tshung-ling is not a resident of this Settlement has no foundation in fact.

I have, accordingly, the honour to request the Consular Body to make a further earnest endeavour to obtain the release and rendition to the Settlement of the unfortunate man concerned.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

(*Enclosure*)

Further enquiries have been made into the matter of the detention of Yu Tshung-ling, a resident of the Settlement, by the Chinese Authorities, and Yu Wong-sz (尤王氏), the wife, and Zung Chih-tsoo (鄭旭初) the brother-in-law, of Yu Tshung-ling (尤春霖) have again been questioned and they insist that Yu is a resident of the Settlement and has no home in the Chinese City.

Zung Chih-tsoo (鄭旭初) insists that Yu was arrested at his, Zung's, house while on a visit there.

A statement has been taken from Wong Zoong-ziang (黃仲祥) a co-defendant of Yu Tshung-ling in the civil actions at the Mixed Court. Zung asserts positively that he has known Yu Tshung-ling for five years and that during that time he has always lived in the International Settlement.

Yu Wong-sz (尤王氏), wife of Yu Tshung-ling has been taken to Taku Road and asked to point out the house where they formerly lived. She pointed out No. 609 Mo Tuh Lee alleyway (馬德里), Taku Road.

Enquiries were then made at No. 609 Mo Tuh Lee, and the wife of the occupant Yeu Choeh-sung (尤菊生) states that Yu Tshung-ling and his wife and two children rented the upper part of the house at a rental of $7 per month for three years, leaving about March of this year. This agrees with the statements of the various other people concerned.

The records of the Mixed Court show that the case was tried there both criminally and civilly and dismissed, and that the complainants' lawyer applied for leave to appeal. The application not having been lodged within the stipulated fourteen days, leave to appeal was refused.

Chen King-toong (陳鏡蓉) complainant in the Chinese City, was certainly not the complainant in the Mixed Court. He is said to be related to the master of the Tsz Woo Cotton Hong. That Hong is now closed, but enquiries made have elicited the information that Chen was employed there as a broker.

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In this connexion it may be stated that a Mixed Court petition and a Chinese petition served on Yu Tshung-ling in the Chinese City Court, prove beyond doubt that the case for which he is now under detention in the Chinese City is one that has already been tried in the International Mixed Court, and that the judgment given in the City Court reverses the Mixed Court decision.

The City Magistrate's assertion that Yu Tshung-ling resides at Tsin Shui Road is according to all the evidence, wrong. It is not denied that he was arrested there, but it was while he was visiting Zung Chih-tsoo (鄭旭初), his relative. He has been in the habit of paying occasional visits to the Chinese City and it appears that the complainant being aware of this had him watched with the result that he was arrested at his relative's house.

Despite the fact that Yu visited the City frequently and that he had a sweetheart outside the West Gate, there is no doubt that his home is at 56 Tsepoo Road where his wife and two children are now staying.

The Chinese Authorities' assertion that the defendant agrees to the judgment of the City Court, may be quite true, but I have to suggest that it has no effect on the matter in dispute and that the City Authorities were wrong in arresting and trying the defendant and have no right to detain him.

K. J. McEuen,
*Commissioner of Police.*

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

Sir,—I am directed to refer to my letter of October 2, forwarding a copy of a letter from the Senior Consul dated September 30, further on the subject of the detention in the Shun Pan Ting in the Chinese City, of your client Yu Tshung-ling, a resident of this Settlement, and to send you herein for your information, copy of a Police Report on the letter from the Senior Consul above referred to, and copy of a further letter from the Council to the Senior Consul on October 15.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. Liddell,
*Secretary.*

M. L. Heen, Esq.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 3, 1919.

Sir,—I have the honour to refer to the letters addressed to you by the Vice-Chairman of Council and myself on August 29, and September 25 respectively, on the subject of the detention by the Chinese Authorities of a resident of this Settlement named Yu Tshung-ling, and to transmit herein enclosed for your information and consideration a copy of a further letter received by the Council from Mr. M. L. Heen, counsel for the said Yu Tshung-ling.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. Pearce,
*Chairman.*

D. Siffert, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

(*Enclosure*)

Shanghai, October 25, 1919.

Dear Sir,—I write to thank you for your letters of October 2 and October 16 informing me of the progress made in connexion with the case of my client Yu Tshung-ling who is still in detention in the Shun Pan-ting in the Chinese City. I have been instructed to confirm the accuracy of the details contained in the report by the Commissioner of Police and to add thereto a statement by my client communicated to me by his wife to the effect that there is no truth in the assertion of the City Court that my client admitted he was a resident in the Chinese City and that he agreed to an amicable settlement. What actually happened was that after a brief hearing of the case during which my client pleaded res adjudicata and gave notice that he was a resident of the International Settlement, the Magistrate pronounced judgment and ordered my client to sign a document, which he understood contained the judgment of the Court and which he felt he had to sign as a matter of course. His attention was not directed to the contents of the document nor did he read it. It seems unlikely that my client was a willing party to any amicable arrangement of matters which had already been definitely settled in his favour by the Mixed Court. On the other hand the circumstances rather point to an unwarrantable exercise of coercion in view of the fact that the arrest, hearing, rendition of judgment and order of detention, all occurred on one and the same day, thus depriving my client of the opportunity to engage counsel.

It is particularly noticeable that the City Court in its communication transmitted through the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs refrained from making any comment upon the facts which transpired in connection with the Mixed Court proceedings. It would be highly interesting to know what view the City Court takes regarding the contention that my client is the same person who was defendant in the Mixed Court proceedings and that the matters presented for adjudication in both Courts are identical.

Yours faithfully,
M. L. Heen.

N. O. Liddell, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, November 4, 1919.

Sir,—With reference to your letter of October 15, on the subject of the irregular detention by the Chinese Authorities of a resident of this Settlement named Yu Tshung-ling (尤春霖), I have the honour to enclose herewith for your consideration and reply the copy of the Chinese text and a free translation of a letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. Siffert,
*Senior Consul.*

E. C. Pearce, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

(*Enclosure.*)

*Translation of letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to the Senior Consul, dated October 31, 1919.*

The Commissioner for Foreign Affairs acknowledges receipt of the Senior Consul's letter of October 18 in re the case of Yu Tshung-ling (尤春霖), enclosing a copy of report by the Commissioner of Police contending that Yu Tshung-ling is a resident of the Foreign Settlement and that the City Court's contention is not correct; it is requested that steps be taken to secure the release of this man. He has accordingly written to the City Court and a reply has been received stating that in regard to the case of Chen King-yung (陳鏡蓉) *vs.* Yu Tsung-ling (尤春霖) re payment for goods the Court received the plaintiff's petition on July 26 last and issued a summons on July 28, at the same time fixing a date for the hearing of the case, at the same time forwarding a copy of the petition to Yu Tsung-ling (尤春霖) who signed his name in person. When the hearing of the case took place on July 31 Yu Tsung-ling (尤春霖) stated that he is 38 years old, a native of Wu-Hsien and resides in the Chin-siu Road in the native city. There is no doubt that at the time Chen King-yung (陳鏡蓉) instituted legal proceedings Yu Tsung-ling (尤春霖) was not a resident of the International Settlement. With regard to the contention of the Commissioner of Police that Yu Wong Ze (尤王氏) had pointed out that No. 609 Muh-teh-li (馬德里) was the former residence of Yu Tsung-ling (尤春霖) and the landlord Yu Chuh-sung (尤菊生) occupier of these premises had also remarked that these premises were occupied by Yu Tsung-ling (尤春霖) for 3 years before his removal in March last, and further that Yu's present address is actually at No. 56 Tsepoo Road, the Court points out that the proceedings in the said case began on July 26, and even if the statements of Yu Wong-ze (尤王氏) and Yu Chuh-sung (尤菊生) were correct these must have happened before July of this year and as to his present address in Tsepoo Road it is very clear that he took up residence there about 2 months after the City Court had ordered an amicable settlement of the suit. As to the summons issued by the Court it was actually received by Yu Tshung-ling (尤春霖) in person who attended the hearing voluntarily, on the day fixed for the hearing but that he was not arrested by the Court. The Court has, therefore, to present these facts for transmission to the Consular Body as to Yu Tshung-ling (尤春霖) actually residing in the (native) city at the time and that he was not arrested by the Court.

The Commissioner for Foreign Affairs has accordingly to forward these facts for the Senior Consul's information.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 13, 1919.

SIR,—Pending report by the Acting Commissioner of Police, I am directed to forward herein for your information copy of a letter and enclosure from the Senior Consul on the subject of the irregular detention by the Chinese Authorities of Yu Tshung-ling, a resident of this Settlement.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

M. L. HEEN, Esq.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 19, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of November 4 forwarding copy and translation of a communication from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs on the subject of the irregular detention by the Chinese Authorities of a resident of this Settlement named Yu Tshung-ling, and in reply to transmit herein enclosed copy of a report in comment thereon by the Acting Commissioner of Police.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 19, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to refer to my letter to you of November 13 forwarding for your information copy of a letter and enclosure from the Senior Consul on the subject of the irregular detention by the Chinese Authorities of Yu Tshung-ling, a resident of this Settlement, and to send you herein enclosed copy of a report by the Acting Commissioner of Police thereon. A copy has been forwarded to the Senior Consul.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

M. L. HEEN, Esq.

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(*Enclosure.*)

I forward the following report, dated November 13, made as the result of further investigations into this case.

"The Judge of the Sung Pang Ting (審判廳) in his letter contends that if Yu Tshung-ling resided in the International Settlement it was prior to July 26 last when proceedings were instituted on a complaint laid by Chen King-young (陳鏡蓉).

"I respectfully beg to point out that an examination of the charge book at Sinza Police Station proves that on May 8 Yu Tshung-ling was charged on a Mixed Court warrant for that he:—

"On April 1, 1919 at 234 Fokien Road did maliciously defraud complainants by remitting as exchange of goods a cheque for Tls. 387.50 drawn on the Ih Tong Bank, when he had no longer an account there. The complainant failed to appear and the case was dismissed.

"Further an examination of the Mixed Court records proves that two civil claims were lodged for the sums of Tls. 387.50 and 587.50. The claims were heard by Mr. Grant Jones, British Assessor, on June 19 and July 3. Both parties were represented by lawyers and both claims were dismissed.

"The two petitions attached prove that the case for which Yu Tshung-ling is detained in the City is the same case for which he was previously tried in the International Mixed Court, and the dates of the Mixed Court trials, viz.,—May 9, June 19 and July 3 prove that at that time he was recognized by the complainant as a resident of the Settlement.

"With regard to the Judge's contention that the family of the defendant took up residence at 56 Tsepoo Road two months after the date (July 31) on which the City Court ordered an amicable settlement, that is obviously inaccurate. Mr. Heen's letter complaining of the illegal detention is dated August 12, a Police report was submitted on August 20 and a letter was sent to the Consular Body on August 29, all inside one month from the date of the trial in the City Court.

"Unfortunately Yu Tshung-ling has only occupied part of the houses in which he has lived so that rent receipts to prove his residence are not available. I beg to suggest that the alleged debt was incurred at 234 Fokien Road, in the International Settlement, and the International Mixed Court is the only tribunal competent to try the case.

"As regards Yu Tshung-ling being summoned to attend the City Court and signing the petition three days before the hearing, I beg to state that on November 6 I went with an interpreter to the City Police Headquarters and asked for permission to interview Yu Tshung-ling. I was informed that they had no power over the Sung Pang Ting. I then went to the Sung Pang Ting and requested an interview with the detained man, and was told that the responsible official was away in Soochow, and that no one there could grant my request. I then drew up a list of questions and instructed a Police agent to visit the Sung Pang Ting and put them to Yu Tshung-ling. I was not present at the interview but I believe the answers are substantially accurate. The list of questions and answers is attached."

A. HILTON JOHNSON.
*Acting Commissioner of Police.*

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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

What is your name?
Yu Tshung-ling.
Were you arrested or were you summoned to the Court and went there voluntarily?
Arrested.
Where were you arrested?
San Zen Lee alley. Zing Sien Road, Chinese City.
Did you receive a summons previous to your arrest?
No.
Who arrested you?
Two City Court runners and an assistant and an apprentice from complainant's firm.
In whose house were you arrested?
My relative Zung Chih-tsoo's house.
How long had you been at that house?
One day.
Where is your home?
56 Tsepoo Road.
How long have you lived there?
Since April last.
Where did you live immediately before that?
609 Sing Mo Tuh Lee alley, Taku Road.
How long did you live there?
3 years.
Have you ever lived in the Chinese City?
No.
Have you any home in the Chinese City or in Chinese territory?
No.
In connexion with what case are you detained?
A civil claim brought by the Tsz Woo Cotton Yarn Co.
Has that case been tried in the International Mixed Court?
Yes.
Criminally or civilly?
Criminally and civilly.
What was the result?
All dismissed.
Is that the offence for which you are now detained?
Yes.
Did you agree to the Chinese City Magistrate's Judgment?
Yes.
At the time of the trial in the Sun Pan Ting did you protest that the Court had no power as you are a resident of the International Settlement?
Detained man says that he did not protest but told the Judge that the case had already been decided in the International Mixed Court.

**Public Band.**

*Public Performances.*—On Sunday next, November 23, an orchestral concert will take place in the Town Hall, beginning at 5 o'clock p.m., and thereafter performances will be given in the Town Hall every Sunday at the same hour. The public is reminded that at these concerts the doors will be closed during the playing of each number on the programme and that children under 10 years of age are not admitted.

On Sunday, November 23, the programme will be as follows:—

FIRST CONCERT:
"SYMPHONIC PROGRAMME"

1. Fifth Symphony (C minor) Beethoven
   (*a*) Allegro con brio
   (*b*) Andante con moto
   (*c*) Allegro (Scherzo)
   (*d*) Finale: Allegro-Presto.

2. Serenade "In the Far West" for Strings only Granville Bantock
   (*a*) Lento - Animato - Cantabile - Animato
   (*b*) Andante con espressione
   (*c*) Scherzo: Vivo, quasi presto
   (*d*) Finale: Con brio.

3. Peer Gynt Suite I Grieg
   (*a*) Morning
   (*b*) Ase's Death
   (*c*) Anitra's Dance
   (*d*) In the Hall of the Mountain King

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

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## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Inspector J. O'Toole and Sergeant-Major and Drill Instructor W. E. Fairbain, from December 8 and 16, respectively.

*Fire Brigade.*—Mr. W. J. Josephs is appointed Supervising Fireman on three months' probation from November 1.

*Educational Department.*—Long leave under special circumstances is granted to Mrs. E. J. O'Toole, Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, from December 6.

Miss L. Hiron is re-engaged temporarily as Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, from December 1.

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
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| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 7 | Museum & Soochow | Moorhead & Halse | | | altns. |
| 7 | do. | Shahmoon Bros. & Co. | | | water-closet |
| 695 | Yunnan, Avenue Edward VII & Thibet | Wong Chi Ju | 2 | | |
| 1017 | N. Soochow | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | altns. |
| 1013 | Woochang | M. Mishima | | | gate-house |
| 3810 | Thorburn | Lin Tai & Co. | | 1 | |
| 1743 | Avenue Edward VII | Moo Yue Tai | | | addns. |
| 2205 | B'bling Well | Brandt & Rodgers | 1 | 1 | conservatory |
| 3872 | Gordon | Kung Sing | | | servants' quarters |
| 3520 | Markham | Z. T. Seng | | | green-house |
| 4632, 4633, 4635 & 4638 | Mokanshan | H. M. Cumine | | 3 | |
| 2219 | Weihaiwei & Moulmein | T. J. Pei | 1 | | watchman's lodge & wall |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 531 | Hoopeh | Yang Yuen Kee | | | altns. |
| 695 | Yunnan, Avenue Edward VII & Thibet | Wong Chi Ju | 62 | | |
| 973 | N. Szechuen | Zung King Kee | | | addns. |
| Unreg. E of 5180 | Lay | Chow Yuen Kee | 2 | | |
| Unreg. E of 1330 | E. Yalu | Wah Seng | 6 | | work-shed |
| 2205 | B'bling Well | Brandt & Rodgers | | 1 | |
| Unreg. W of 2588 | do. | Seng Yeng Long | 5 | | |
| Unreg. E of 5965 | Ferry | Woo Pun Shan Yong | 5 | | |
| Unreg. W of 1783 | Gt. Western | Tse Ding Fu | 5 | | |

## 7 per cent. Loan 1919.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed to the current year's loan, as on November 15, 1919:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | Tls. 50,000 | |
| Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. | 50,000 | |
| Canton Insurance Office, Ld. | 50,000 | |
| One Investor of | 47,000 | |
| Nippon Yusen Kaisha | 40,000 | |
| Yokohama Specie Bank, Ld. | 40,000 | |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, Ld. | 40,000 | |
| Osaka Shosen Kaisha | 20,000 | |
| Nisshin Kisen Kaisha | 20,000 | |
| South Manchuria Railway Co., Ld. | 20,000 | |
| Bank of Chosen | 20,000 | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 15,000 | 30,000 | |
| One Investor of | 14,300 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 14,000 | 28,000 | |
| Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha, Ld. | 13,000 | |
| Mitsubishi Bank, Ld. | 13,000 | |
| Shanghai Paper Mill | 13,000 | |
| One Investor of | 12,500 | |
| Estate of R. W. Shaw, deceased | 12,400 | |
| One Investor of | 12,000 | |
| H. L. Hayward | 11,000 | |
| One Investor of | 11,000 | |
| One ,, | 10,600 | |
| Shanghai Produce and Stock Exchange, Ld. | 10,000 | |
| C. Itoh & Co., Ld. | 10,000 | |
| International Savings Society | 10,000 | |
| Japan China Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. | 10,000 | |
| Nippon Menkwa Kabushiki Kaisha | 10,000 | |
| F. A. Kennedy | 10,000 | |
| Suzuki & Co. | 10,000 | |
| Moji & Co. | 10,000 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | |
| | | Tls. 685,800 |
| 266 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 389,300 |
| 301 Foreign Investors | | Tls. 1,075,100 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Shanghai Benevolent Industrial Institution | Tls. 100,000 | |
| Yung Tsung King | 40,000 | |
| One Investor of | 25,000 | |
| Chek Sou Char | 15,000 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 15,000 | 30,000 | |
| Hangkee | 10,000 | |
| Sisson Nie and/or Mrs. Isabella Nie | 10,000 | |
| | | Tls. 230,000 |
| 45 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 105,600 |
| 53 Chinese Investors | | Tls. 335,600 |
| | | Total Tls. 1,410,700 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer.*

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, November 16, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 15 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 3 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 136 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Mixed Court Report for October.

The following foreigners who are not recognised by any consulate in Shanghai were before the Court during the month on criminal charges:—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| Abraham Nadler | Roumanian | Fraud | 2 weeks impt. and to pay compensation of $45 and Rbls. 1,000 |
| Wm. Frederick | German | Attempting to import opium | 6 weeks impt. and fined $150 |
| J. Rjukho Frivo Merisoles | Finn Finn | Stabbing Assault | 4 months impt. Fined $10 |

19 Foreign Civil Petitions were filed during the month. Of 16 Foreign Civil Cases before Court during the month 7 were concluded.

The affairs of two Chinese business concerns, namely, the Dzung Meu Oo Flour Mill (鄭茂和麵粉廠) and the Sing Fah Jewellery Shop (陞發號) which have engaged the attention of the Court since the early part of this year have been liquidated. In the first named, liabilities amounted to Tls. 104, 293.25 and the assets were Tls. 41,957.15.

63 Chinese Civil Cases await a first hearing as against 129 in September. 200 cases were heard during the month as against 87 in September.

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Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with, Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

M. O. SPRINGFIELD,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
A. HILTON JOHNSON,
Acting Commissioner of Police.

OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| **1.—Offences Against the Person :—** | |
| Abduction | 2 |
| Allowing Children in Brothels | 1 |
| Assault | 35 |
| Attempted Suicide | 4 |
| Intimidation | 2 |
| Wounding (Causing grievous bodily harm) | 4 |
| **2.—Offences Against Property :—** | |
| Arson (or Criminal Negligence) | 2 |
| Burglary | 18 |
| Cruelty to animals | 15 |
| Embezzlement | 6 |
| Extortion (Obtaining money by threats) | 13 |
| False Pretences | 4 |
| Forgery | 5 |
| Fraud | 15 |
| House-breaking | 2 |
| Larceny | 210 |
| Malicious Damage | 2 |
| Receiving stolen property | 6 |
| Robbery | 11 |
| **3.—Offences of a Public Nature :—** | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 29 |
| Carts | 52 |
| Club | 1 |
| Dogs | 21 |
| Foodshops | 4 |
| Hawkers | 70 |
| Laundry | 1 |
| Lodging Houses | 4 |
| Motor cars | 70 |
| Opium | 57 |
| Rickshas | 1,427 |
| Bakery | 1 |
| Tea-shops | 8 |
| Wheel-barrows | 81 |
| Wine shop | 1 |
| Breach of Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following :— | |
| Arms | 3 |
| Buildings | 10 |
| Fireworks | 5 |
| House refuse | 62 |
| Indecent Advertisements | 1 |
| Nuisances | 1,071 |
| Prostitutes | 30 |
| Straw | 1 |
| Traffic | 77 |
| Bribery | 2 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 4 |
| Disorderly conduct | 71 |
| Gambling | 53 |
| Gaol-breaking | 2 |
| Loitering with intent | 21 |
| Obstructing the Police | 1 |
| Returning after expulsion | 8 |
| Smuggling | 1 |
| Vagrancy | 1 |
| **4.—Miscellaneous Cases :—** | |
| Husband and Wife | 1 |
| Insanity | 1 |
| Seeking protection of Door of Hope | 4 |
| Stray Children | 2 |
| Various | 4 |
| TOTAL | 3,619 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2,705 |
| Cases withdrawn | 10 |
| Cautioned | 28 |
| Dismissed | 81 |
| Expulsion | 5 |
| Fined | 481 |
| Imprisonment | 201 |
| Imprisonment and expulsion | 77 |
| Imprisonment and fined | 1 |
| Reformatory | 2 |
| Released on Security | 3 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 9 |
| Sent to Military Governor of Shanghai | 7 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 9 |
| TOTAL | 3,619 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On October 1 | 44 |
| Received | 24 |
| Released | 23 |
| On October 31 | 45 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 209 |
| " served | 242 |
| Warrants issued | 33 |
| " executed | 32 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 26 |
| " served | 24 |
| " withdrawn | 2 |
| Persons summoned | 32 |
| Sealing orders issued | 62 |
| " " executed | 7 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 35 |
| " " withdrawn | 19 |
| " " pending | 1 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 12 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 80 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 30 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 65 |
| " heard | 200 |
| " in course of hearing | 12 |
| " concluded | 120 |
| " awaiting first hearing on Oct. 31, | 63 |
| Summonses issued | 82 |
| " served | 62 |
| " withdrawn | 9 |
| Warrants issued | 35 |
| " executed | 11 |
| " withdrawn | 6 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 13 |
| " summoned | 72 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 38 |
| Sealing orders issued | 32 |
| " " executed | 6 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 24 |
| " " withdrawn | 2 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 5 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 68 |
| Bonds accepted | 74 |
| " rejected | 24 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On October 1 | 52 |
| Received | 24 |
| Released | 36 |
| On October 31 | 40 |

SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| China Vehicle Co. Limited | American | Koh Zau-kya | $694.47 | Proceeding |
| Harvey Cooke & Co. | British | Dong Tshang Bicycle Co. | Tls. 3,694 | Settled |
| Abe & Co. | Japanese | Yoen Zung Hong | Tls. 28,855 and interest | Proceeding |
| Nakazawa Yoko | do. | do. | Tls. 14,000 | do. |
| Eikwo Yoko | do. | do. | Tls. 2,300 | do. |
| Dzung Tuh-bae | Portuguese | Daung Ziang-zeu | $225 | For plaintiff |
| Kurcki & Co. | Japanese | Tru Kyui-ming | Tls. 3,000 | Judgment reserved |
| Olga Pastemak | Russian | Vera Mayer | $790 and Roubles 9,400 | Proceeding |
| | | *Correction.*—(September's report 1919) | | |
| Olga Koltsoff | do. | Vera Mayer | Roubles 21,000 $3,900 and jewellery value $4,000 | For "judgment for $4,500" read to find security for $4,500 |
| Union Eastern Trading Co. | do. | Pau Zung Oil Co.<br>Kwauh Yuin Tsoo<br>Liang Voong San | Tls. 13,932.80 | For plaintiffs for Tls. 7,296 and costs<br>2nd defendant to pay 2/10ths<br>3rd " " " 8/10ths |
| S. A. Hardoon | British | Bank of Territorial Development of China | Tls. 2,144 | For plaintiff |
| E. W. Tindall | do. | do. | $6,101.66 | do. |
| Alex Ross & Co. | do. | Tsiang Lai-sung<br>Te Tsiang-zae | Tls. 300 | For plaintiffs for Tls. 300 and costs |
| G. H. Wright | British | Dzung Ngok-ding | Land transaction | Judgment reserved |
| A. R. Burkill & Sons, China Soap & Candle Co. | do. | Hang Li Soap Factory | Damages for infringement of trade-mark | do. |
| Dong Kong Transportation Co. | Spanish | Phoo Zung-hyi | $4,000 | Proceeding |

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**Report of Commissioner of Public Works for October.**

A marked improvement has generally taken place in both the quality and quantity of the coolie labour employed by the Department. The system of employing special gangs at a monthly rate of pay, as mentioned in the report for August, has proved very satisfactory in its working. A shortage is, however, still being felt in the Central District.

Representation was made in the course of the month by the mafoos and sweeping coolies for an increase in their pay. The former went on strike on the morning of the 7th, but on being told that their grievance would be dealt with, resumed work in the course of the day. It was decided by the Council to increase each mafoo's pay by $1 per mensem and this took effect from October 1.

The pay of the sweeping coolies was also increased from 280 cash per day to 300 cash per day, as a result of representations made by them. This took effect from October 30. These coolies did not go on strike but made their request in a perfectly orderly manner.

*Roads.*—Asphaltic concrete has been laid in Peking Road from The Bund to Honan Road. A new spall foundation is being laid in this road from Chekiang Road to Thibet Road, preparatory to its reconstruction in asphaltic concrete in this section also.

Bubbling Well Road is being raised and formed west of Siccawei Road prior to its ultimate finished construction in macadam.

The widening of Bubbling Well Road on the north side from Hardoon Road to Ferry Road is being proceeded with.

The ballasting and metalling of a 12ft. strip of Yochow Road east of Cadastral Lot 980, E., is in hand.

The ballasting and metalling in Kirin Road east of Thorburn Road is approaching completion.

The following roads are being surfaced with asphaltum:—Seymou Road from Sinza Road to Great Western Road.

Ward Road from Whashing Road to Muirhead Road and from Lay Road to Ningkuo Road.

Nanyang Road from Seymour Road to Hardoon Road.

Ferry Road from Bubbling Well Road to Sinza Road.

Honan Road from Peking Road to Nanking Road.

Ewo Road south of Yangtszepoo Road.

Gordon Road from Sinza Road to Connaught Road.

Medhurst Road from Sinza Road to Connaught Road.

*Bridges.*—The reconstruction of the Brenan Road Bridge has been completed and a great improvement in the roadway at this point has been effected thereby.

*Bundings.*—The construction of the concrete bunding in Dixwell Road for a section between Broadway East and East Hanbury Road. is about two-thirds completed.

The construction of a short length of concrete bunding in West Soochow Road east of Cadastral Lot 731 W. is in hand.

*Drainage.*—The culverting of the Gordon Road creek from Connaught Road to Sinza Road has been completed.

The culverting of the Singkeipang from Singkeipang Road to Dent Road is making good progress, work being carried out simultaneously in the two sections east of Singkeipang Road and east of Chaoufoong Road.

The creek that runs through private property lying west of Gordon Road and north of Macao Road is being replaced by a 3 diameter culvert, the water being diverted by the tubes being laid along the line of Gordon Road and Macao Road.

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES

*General.*

*Central Offices.*—Plastering generally is proceeding. The contract for the electrical wiring has been let, and the work is about to commence.

*Fire Brigade.*

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—The contract for the erection of this building has been let, and work is commencing.

*Fire Brigade Workshops.*—The foundations of the external walls have been completed, and the brick walls are being erected.

*Police Force.*

*Gaol—Alterations to Depôt Block.*—The falsework and reinforcement of the cells have been placed in position, and concreting has been commenced.

*Health Department.*

*Isolation Hospital—Nurses Quarters.*—The structural alterations have been completed, and a hot-water installation is being installed.

*Educational Department.*

*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*—The watchman's lodge is completed.

*Electricity Department.*

*Whashing Road Substation.*—The construction of this building has been completed, excepting the iron doors and hatch covers.

*Park Road Substation.*—All reinforced concretework, excepting that for the roof, has been completed.

*Woochang Road Substation.*—The concrete foundations have been completed.

*Tonquin Road Substation.*—The concrete work for the first storey has been completed, and a portion of the centering erected for the second storey.

*Volunteer Corps.*

*Rifle Range.*—Repairs to the wooden shield on top of the Stop Butt are in progress.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—807 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected cartloads | 4,411 |
| Used for raising land | 539 |
| Water used for street watering | 7,923,200 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,728 |
| Artisans | 423 |
| Foremen | 239 |
| Mafoos | 159 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 21,636 pieces |
| Machine made | 2,610 ,, |
| | 24,246 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 273 admissions during the month; 260 bundles of wood were chopped and 380 cubic feet of stone broken.

*New Buildings.*

Summary of work done during the month:—

| *Description of Work.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 332 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 100 |
| Plans approved | 62 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 3,210 |
| Boundary walls erected | |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | 444 |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadway | 6 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 8 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 2 |
| Applications for licence dealt with | 14 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 32 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by Public Works Department | 2 |
| First intimation notices issued | 2 |

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 74 |
| Boundary stone certificates issued | 48 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 38 |
| New lots put under taxation | 8 |
| Assessed value of land placed under taxation is | Tls. 9,704 |
| Official plans prepared | 24 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 190 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 146 |
| Surveys made in connexion with Road Widenings and/or Extensions | 67 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 74 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Central District | 2 |
| Eastern ,, | 17 |
| Western ,, | 2 |

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

**CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.**

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

**工部局承攬信章程**

一 所有承攬各項本局自有保管之份數

二 未有承攬價目是本局有權取消之

三 押定之價必准用款項本局所認付之保證

四 所有以後登入各公信及公司之保證

五 所有取消承攬之權本局有權取消其承攬人之資格

六 所有承攬人仍有權將該款一律退還

漆面寫明送至江西路二號工部局總辦處交由上海市政工程處承辦

所有承攬章程由英文開列於下

信章送來之前以用信封寫明此信內所載之一切條件

二時後將此信交還

部局總辦處定期十日內開拆

總辦處接到此信後即將其中之一款

清單費

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **HEALTH DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Health Office, Honan Road | | |
| | Supply of the following sanitary stores during 1920 :— | | |
| 12 | Mosquito Mixture (as per formula) (per gall.) 19,000 galls. more or less | — | December 1 |
| | Cross Oil or oil of similar nature ( do. ) 9,000 galls. more or less | — | do. |
| 13 | Iron Doors and Lids for Cement Refuse Bins * (per set) 800 sets | — | do. |
| 14 | Bamboo brooms * (per 100) 15,000 | — | do. |
| | Bamboo baskets * (per 100) 4,000 | — | do. |
| | *As per standard samples to be seen at Health Office. | | |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 514 | Supply of Road and Building Materials, during 1920 | — | November 24 |
| 515 | Supply of Various Hardwoods ,, | — | |
| 516 | Supply of Oregon Pine ,, | — | |
| 517 | Supply of Foochow Poles ,, | — | |
| 518 | Supply of Bamboo Ware ,, | — | |
| 519 | Supply of Portland Cement ,, | — | |
| 520 | Raising Land and Roads ,, | — | |
| 521 | Supply of Turf ,, | — | |
| 522 | Supply of Flower Pots ,, | — | |
| 523 | Construction of Private Drains ,, | — | |
| 524 | Transport of Material from Pingchiao Quarry ,, | — | |
| 525 | Barging Road Detritus ,, | — | |
| 526 | Wheeling Materials ,, | — | |
| 527 | Supply of Petrol and Various Oils ,, | — | |
| 528 | Supply of Iron and Brass Castings ,, | — | |
| 529 | Supply of Motor Car Tyres ,, | — | |
| 530 | Supply of Tungchow Road Workshop Stores ,, | — | |
| 531 | Supply of Coal and Coke ,, | — | |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 189 | Coal for delivery at Riverside Power Station during 1920 | Tls. 5 | November 27 |
| 190 | Coal for delivery at Fearon Road Power Station during 1920 | Tls. 5 | do. |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 533

Painting at Hongkew Fire Station

| | |
|---|---|
| Lien Yung Kee | Tls. 1,700 |
| Sing Kee | 1,650 |
| Wong Chin Kee | 1,460 |
| Tuck Foong | 1,290 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 1,175 |
| Woo Lee Kee | 1,088 |
| Zung Shing | 1,016 |
| *Ngan Zung Lee | 984 |

*Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2659.
### REGISTRATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN SUBJECTS.
**(Cancellation of Permit Conditions Nos. 2 and 4).**

NOTICE is hereby given that Conditions Nos. 2 and 4 of the Permits issued to German and Austro-Hungarian subjects in pursuance of the provisions of Municipal Notification No. 2466 have been cancelled as from this date. Accordingly German and Austro-Hungarian subjects are no longer required to present themselves at the Police Stations of their Districts in order to have their Permits checked by the Police.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 5, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2647.
### 7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.
**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2655.
### Municipal Investment Bank.

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2661. (*Amended*)
### ORDURE CONTRACTS.
*(Translation.)*

THE Council is prepared to receive tenders for the removal by boat of ordure from the Settlement from January 1, 1920.

For this purpose the Settlement will be divided into two separate areas:—

1. North of the Soochow Creek.
2. South of the Soochow Creek.

Separate contracts will be made in respect of each of these areas and tenders should state clearly for which area they are tendering and the amount of money they are prepared to pay to the Council and send their tenders with "Tenders for Ordure Contract" marked thereon, to the undersigned not later than 4 p.m. on December 12, 1919. The Contractors whose tenders are accepted will be required to deposit three months' money with the Council. A contract for one year renewable for a further period of two years will be made provided the contractors perform their duties to the satisfaction of the Council, and in case they wish to continue the work. Assignment of the contracts will not be permitted. Further particulars may be obtained and conditions of contract may be inspected upon application to the Health Office.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 26, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2662.
### PRIVATE NURSING SERVICE, 34 and 35 Boone Road.

| | Daily |
|---|---|
| Ordinary Medical or Surgical cases | Tls. 5 |
| Maternity cases | 6 |
| Infectious cases | 6 |
| Mental or Alcoholic cases | 6 |
| Visiting cases not exceeding one hour (not made to infectious cases) | 2 |
| Visiting cases half day (not made to infectious cases) | 3 |

For Maternity cases half fees are payable from date of engagement until sent for.

When called upon to nurse more than one case in a house an extra half fee is payable for each additional patient.

For nursing cases outside Shanghai one tael in excess of above rates is payable from the time of leaving Shanghai until return, together with first-class fare and necessary incidental expenses.

After nursing infectious cases seven days fees at full rate will be payable for quarantine.

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It is expected that board, lodging and washing will be provided for the nurse.

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It is requested that the health of the nurse be considered, especially as regards proper sleeping accommodation and out-door recreation.

If a nurse is sitting up at night she will require eight consecutive hours out of the patient's room for sleep and two hours for open air recreation. If a nurse is not sitting up but has disturbed nights with her patient she will require some extra rest and recreation.

When the services of the nurse are no longer required previous notice should be given when possible.

Telephone North 3046.
Telegrams "Nursing Shanghai."

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 27, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the War Memorial Committee held on Thursday, November 20, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
G. A. Bena
J. Beudin
A. Drachenfels
K. Kodama
F. R. Sites
Yen Cheng-te

*Absent:*
Messrs. J. H. Botelho
M. Demets
P. le Bris
H. A. J. Macray

The meeting adjourned at 6.20 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, November 21, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
L. E. Canning
Mrs. D. Henman
Messrs. T. Ibukiyama
S. C. Lin
W. D. McCallum
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 6.20 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, November 24, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. W. L. Merriman (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard

The meeting adjourned at 5.15 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, November 26, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mr. T. Ibukiyama

The meeting adjourned at 6.20 p.m.

### Consular Body.

A letter from Mr. T. Knudtzon, Acting Consul General for Norway, informs the Council that he has handed over charge of the Consulate-General to Mr. S. Steckmest, with effect from November 25.

### Special Constables.

Letter to the Assistant Commissioner of Police (Specials) conveying the Council's appreciation of the services rendered by the Special Constables since their creation as an active branch of the Police Force in May, 1918. The Parade and Inspection to be held in the Drill Hall this evening at 7 o'clock will be open to the public:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 21, 1919.

MY DEAR MR. ANDERSON,—With the decision that the Specials shall cease to function on November 27 it is the desire of the Council to place on record its very sincere appreciation of the invaluable services rendered since their creation as an active branch of the Police Force in May 1918.

That so many responded to the Council's call for enrolment at a time when the claims of business were particularly exacting on those who were left to carry on in Shanghai during the war and who were not already members of the Fire Brigade or Volunteer Corps was in itself most gratifying, but it was the untiring zeal, energy and devotion to duty shown by you and by those who responded to the call and the very high measure of efficiency attained—exceeding, I must confess, our highest expectations—that specially call for that expression of appreciation and thanks that I desire in the name of the Council, the Community and the regular branches of the Police Force to express personally to you and to those under your command, at a parade and inspection to be held in the Drill Hall in the new Central Offices block at 7 p.m. on November 27, at which the Council has the honour to request your and their attendance.

In the meantime I have the honour to inform you that the Council would be more than sorry to feel that the services of the Specials were to be lost entirely. It is accordingly proposed to establish a Special Police Reserve to be organized on lines which will be the subject of further consideration in due course, and I have the honour to express the earnest hope that you will continue to give your services to the Community in the capacity of Assistant Commissioner in charge and that those who are now serving under you will continue to do so in the Special Reserve, so that its success may be assured.

I have the honour to be,
my dear Mr. Anderson,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

### Public Band.

On Sunday next, November 30, at 5 o'clock, p.m. the programme will be as follows:—

SECOND CONCERT:
"OPERATIC PROGRAMME"

1. Overture "Alceste" Gluck
2. Air from "Orfeo" Gluck
   Soloist: Mrs. H. v. HEIDENSTAM
3. Overture "Semiramide" Rossini
4. Air from "Favorita" Donizzetti
   Soloist: Mrs. H. v. HEIDENSTAM
5. (a) Nocturne "Navarraise"
   (b) Menuet
   (c) Gavotte } "Manon" Massenet
6. (a) Idyl "Siegfried"
   (b) "Life in the Forest" "Siegfried" Wagner
7. Waltz from "The Knight of the Rose" Ric. Strauss

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 89 | Kiukiang | Moorhead & Halse | | | altns. |
| 219 | Ningpo | Tong Van Kee | | 1 | |
| 431 | Shantung | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | addns. |
| 273 | do. | Chun Wei Ping | | 1 | |
| 752 | Range | do. | | | wall |
| Unreg. E of 5910 | Tsitsihar | J. F. Takaki | | 1 | scutching room & 2 latrines |
| 6044 | Yangtszepoo | China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ld., | | | transformer house |
| 2645 | do. | S'hai Electric Construction Co., Ld. | | | water closet |
| 2755 | B'bling Well | H. M. Cumine | 1 | | |
| 3000 | Carter | Chen Chin Chee | | | water closet |
| Unreg. W of 6120 | Connaught | Sung Kyung Kee | | | addns. |
| 4754 | Gordon | S. J. Powell | | | drying kiln |
| 4603 4604 | Mokanshan | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | 1 | |
| 2395 | Seymour | Yung Tsong Kee | | | water-closet |
| Unreg. E of 2683 | Sinza | Davies & Brooke | 1 | | wall |
| 805 | W. Soochow | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | 1 | |
| opp. 4846 to 4848 | do. | H. M. Cumine | | | bunding |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| Unreg. E of 5910 | Tsitsihar | J. F. Takaki | 18 | | |
| Unreg. N of 372 | Urga | Zee Shan Kee | 8 | | |
| Unreg. W of 6120 | Connaught | Sung Kyung Kee | 3 | | |
| Unreg. W of 5818 | Robison | Nagai Wata Kaisha | 117 | | |
| 808 | Sinza | Zee Ping Yung | 2 | | |
| 1711 | Tamsui | P. Y. Tsauh | 7 | | |
| Unreg. E of 4210 | Tonquin | Zee Yung Chong | 8 | | |

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## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, November 23, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 3 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 23 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 144 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Health Officer's Report for October.

The Public Health throughout the month was exceptionally good. There were no cases of choleraic diarrhœa and comparatively few of Dysentery.

The dreaded Influenza, though expected to return during the winter months, except for a few imported cases, did not make its presence felt. It would be well to be prepared against another epidemic. Like the 'common cold' and Measles, Influenza is most infectious during the early stage. The infection is of extreme communicability and nearly always from person to person, being rapidly destroyed outside the infected person. The spread of Influenza is directly proportional to the extent of intercourse between persons. The best means of prevention when Influenza threatens is to limit intercourse between persons so far as possible. Those having 'colds' or chills with headache and other pains and fever should keep to their beds. The following couplet, which originated in America, seems appropriate to the occasion:

'If you want to stop disease
Cover up each cough and sneeze.'

The possibility of Smallpox was anticipated by beginning the winter campaign of free vaccination well in advance.

It will soon be possible to admit cases of Tuberculosis of the lung among foreigners to the Tuberculosis section of the Isolation Hospital. The work in the building is almost complete, the vacancies on the nursing staff are being slowly filled from home, and additional quarters for the necessary nurses have been provided.

A school for Chinese has been tentatively started to try and improve the material which at present offers itself for sanitary work.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### DEATHS.

| | Foreign. Resident | Foreign. Non-resident. | Chinese. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 7 | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 5 | 0 | 79 |
| Beri-beri | 4 | 0 | 6 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 0 | 16 |
| From all causes | 35 | 6 | 669 |

### INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 3 |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 4 |
| Diphtheria | 4 |
| Scarlet Fever | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 |
| Dysentery | 8 |

### ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cases Admitted— | Diphtheria | 3 | 5 |
| | Scarlet Fever | 2 | 1 |
| | Other Diseases | 9 | 24 |
| Discharged | | 11 | 27 |
| Died | | 0 | 4 |
| Remaining last day of month | | 11 | 14 |

### MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 6,142 |
| Bacterial " " | 171 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 7 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 505 |
| Analyses | 53 |

### SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen | 2,001 | 1 | 2,011 | 0 | 0 |
| Sheep | 3,028 | 0 | 3,028 | 0 | 5 |
| Calves | 390 | 1 | 390 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs | 389 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

### SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK

| | District Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 279 | 632 | 214 | 423 | 1548 |
| Rats plague infected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation | 800 | 1000 | 750 | 1400 | 3950 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1083 | 1501 | 726 | 1085 | 4395 |
| Poisoned baits laid | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier | 0 | 0 | 204 | 0 | 204 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

### REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.

Sample received October 28, 1919.

Report sent out November 5, 1919.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.

Physical Characters.—Yellowish green colour with considerable opacity. Slightly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 11.5 |
| (a) Volatile | 3.5 |
| (b) Fixed | 8.0 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 7.8 |
| (a) Temporary | 3.6 |
| (b) Permanent | 4.2 |
| Chlorine | 1.2 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0552 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0017 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0115 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |

Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° C. 0.0352.

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° C. and 37° C. showed an average of 56 and 22 micro-organisms per cubic centimetre respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in all quantities tested from 2 c.c.s. and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Shows satisfactory purification.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Vaccination against small-pox | 149 | 181 | 157 | 170 | 657 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 1 | 10 | 9 | 2 | 22 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 23 | 67 | 81 | 23 | 194 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 83 | 109 | 140 | 339 | 671 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 1,231 | 1,186 | 1397 | 1,890 | 5,704 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 105 | 50 | 734 | 106 | 995 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 1 | 48 | 2 | 51 |
| Defective drainage amended | 33 | 19 | 42 | 16 | 110 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 7 | 14 | 2 | 2 | 25 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 6 | 3 | 10 | 3 | 22 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 0 | 163 | 312 | 475 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 4 | 13 | 0 | 17 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| Offensive trade processes amended | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 4 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 16 | 14 | 11 | 15 | 56 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 52 | 50 | 84 | 36 | 222 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 1 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 12 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 0 | 12 | 16 | 22 | 50 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 0 | 595 | 1,080 | 422 | 2,097 |
| Outside hawkers licensed | 610 | 727 | 613 | 416 | 2,366 |
| Food prosecutions | 7 | 42 | 16 | 7 | 72 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 0 | 50 | 3 | 7 | 60 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 2 | 0 | 38 | 3 | 43 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,890 | 3,574 | 2,500 | 3,052 | 13,016 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 6,466 | 4,244 | 2,395 | 2,001 | 15,106 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 1,872 | 448 | 138 | 181 | 2,639 |

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VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted. | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 21 | 4 |
| Surgical | 29 | 0 |
| Maternity | 18 | 2 |
| Mental | 2 | 0 |
| Infectious | 0 | 1 |
| Total | 70 | 7 |

## Fire Brigade Report for October.

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 45, as against 33 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 23,500 (Foreign, Tls. 5,200; Chinese, Tls. 18,300), as against Tls. 8,975 (Foreign, Tls. 3,750; Chinese, Tls. 5,225) during October 1918. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 3,172,500 (Foreign, Tls. 2,850,000; Chinese, Tls. 322,500), as against Tls. 972,500 (Foreign, Tls. 785,000; Chinese, Tls. 187,500) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 25, Watch Towers 12, Police 7 and Street Alarm 1.

The district call was given on 18 occasions, the remaining 27 being station calls.

These calls proved to be 28 small fires, 2 chimney fires, 4 false alarms and 11 fires outside the Settlement.

The supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Sparks or embers from stove | 4 |
| Dropped match | 4 |
| Lamp upset | 2 |
| Defective or dirty flue | 2 |
| Incendiary | 2 |
| Candle in contact with mat-shade | 1 |
| Candle in contact with joss paper | 1 |
| Naked light near gas leak | 1 |
| Woodwork in contact with stove pipe | 1 |
| Joss paper | 1 |
| Firecrackers | 1 |
| Ignition of vapour from spirits of wine | 1 |
| Fusing of electric wire | 1 |
| Children playing with matches | 1 |
| Foreign substance in cleaning machine | 1 |
| Defective stove | 1 |
| Ignition of cotton dust | 1 |
| Defective wiring | 1 |
| Unknown | 1 |

The premises affected were:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Foreign buildings | 6 |
| Chinese buildings | 54 |

Of these 4 buildings were destroyed by fire, and 44 others were more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The water used at fires during the month was 733,700 gallons.

The Brigade was occupied 362 hours and 35 minutes at fires, or supposed fires.

Unfortunately there was a loss of life at two fires during the month, in neither instance could the Brigade have done anything as the persons were doomed before even the Brigade were called.

The two fires were:—

*P A 696A Tsepoo Road, October 7, at 3.45 a.m.*—The premises were quite small, one storey, and occupied by one family. No information was given of any person being missing until after the fire had been extinguished, when the body of a girl 9 years old was found under the débris. Presumably she was sleeping in the loft, which as usual proved a death trap, and could not escape. The father and mother, were discovered in a house nearby, and they were so badly burnt in getting out of the premises, that they both succumbed some days later.

*QQ 7 Kien Kie Lee, October 9, at 12.21 a.m.*—This building was situated in a very congested quarter, and although the Central Division made a prompt response and got water on very quickly, it was impossible to get beyond the main, and only, entrance of the premises, a fair sized hong, the lower portion of which was in flames. Against very severe conditions, the fire was quickly held and extinguished. During such operations men who had worked up to the first floor found no less than four bodies at the back of the south west corner room.

The fire had started in a large quantity of straw stored right at the foot of the only staircase. The persons near the head of the staircase were able to escape, but four persons, namely:—the father, his sister, his daughter, under 1 year, and an amah, who were some distance away, were too late, and evidently the fire gained with such rapidity that they were even unable to reach the window. Two others jumped from the verandah, but were badly injured and removed to Hospital. This fire clearly illustrates the extreme danger of there only being one staircase and this situated in a bad position in case of fire.

During the month assistance was rendered to outside fires, one in particular being that of the s.s. Mineric laying alongside the Shanghai & Hongkew Co.'s Wharf, Pootung, where the No. 2 lower hold was on fire, as was also some bunker coal. The greatest difficulty was experienced in dealing with it, as owing to the presence of carbon monoxide and coal gas, and the situation of the fire, the combination formed the most deadly enemy a fireman could have. Practically every member of the Brigade present was at one time or another overcome with the carbon monoxide fumes. Fortunately all recovered. The Brigade after operations lasting nearly six hours effectually checked the fire from spreading forward.

The month was rather remarkable for a series of somewhat serious outbreaks, which took place along the boundary on the Chapei side. They were as follows:—

*Chapei, October 25, at 11.40 a.m.*—Two or three houses near the Railway Station to the west of North Szechuen Road, were on fire. The Hongkew Division assisted with a line of hose, etc.

On the same day at 2.11 p.m. at Urga Road Extension, two cotton ginning and cleaning establishments on the Chapei side of the road were found to be well alight, and dealt with entirely by the Hongkew Division assisted by a section of Central.

Just as this fire was under control another call was received to Elgin and North Chekiang Roads, where a whole terrace of dwellings was well alight. This fire was also outside limits and the Sinza Division laid two lines of hose and assisted the Chapei Brigade, a section of Hongkew, on arrival from the previous fire, also rendered assistance so that on one day at three serious fires valuable assistance was rendered.

*Central Fire Station, October 15, at 9.58 a.m.*—The Chief Officer's boy discovered a fire in a store room on the attic floor (part of the Chief Officer's quarters) and telephoned to the Watchroom below, and afterwards attempted to subdue the outbreak by means of buckets of water, but the fire had obtained too good a hold on the lathe and plaster work, of which the top of this building is practically composed, and was spreading rapidly in all directions. In about 30 minutes the fire was practically extinguished. The Brigade were hampered in the early part of their operations by lack of water pressure. The ceiling and walls of the dining room, and the south-east portion of the roof were damaged by fire, whilst the immediate rooms below were affected by smoke, fire and water. The fire was caused by a coolie carelessly dropping a match in some paper in the store room.

*Xc 367 Sing Dong Ka Loong, October 24, at 4.56 a.m.*—Owing to the very congested area in which this outbreak started, matsheds, etc., and the premises themselves being wood fronted, the fire had obtained a good hold, and when the Brigade arrived a number of small dwellings were already involved. Long lines of hose had to be used, the pumps having to work at remote points. Three small houses were gutted, and a number of others more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

*A1124 Broadway, October 24, at 6.13 p.m.*—Whilst the Hongkew Division and a section of Central were dealing with a fire near Darroch Road, a call was received for a fire at Broadway, another section of Central responded, and found that a deliberate attempt to fire the premises had been made, a stack of boxes of provisions was well alight, as also was a window frame nearby, while another fire was burning on the ceiling a short distance away. The outbreak was quickly dealt with. Gasolene was found, and action is being taken in the Mixed Court.

*85 Szechuen Road, October 29, at 1 p.m.*—The under portion of the roof on the Nanking Road side of No. 85 Szechuen Road was well alight, and the fire was making rapid progress in every direction along the plaster walls, and above the ceiling. A division wall which might have acted as a check did not retard the fire, having openings in it, and not being carried through the roof. After a most difficult and strenuous fight a good stop was effected. Only 1½-in. lines of hose were used with small nozzles, with the exception of one 2½-in. on the Turntable Escape, so that the water damage was exceedingly light. The actual fire damage was confined to two bedrooms, and a portion of the ceiling and roof.

M. W. Pett,
*Chief Officer.*

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RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call: Time of | Call: How received | Alarm given | Locality | District: Municipal | District: Fire | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire: Hours | Time at fire: Minutes | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oct. 2 | 5.15 a.m. | Telephone | Station | S.S. "Mineric" | Outside | | | | 34 | | |
| 2 | 9.45 p.m. | Street Alarm | ,, | off Peking Road | Central | 3 | | | | 10 | Open space |
| 3 | 9.10 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | F 1 Bubbling Well Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Entertainment Hall | | | 20 | False alarm |
| 5 | 5.30 a.m. | Sinza Police | ,, | T 495 Chungking Road | ,, | 7 | Chinese Shop | | | 25 | |
| 5 | 10.55 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | Pootung | Outside | | | | 1 | | |
| 5 | 9.28 p.m. | Central Tower | District | PE 363 Elgin Road | Northern | 8 | Chinese Shop | 4 damaged | 19 | | |
| 7 | 3.45 a.m. | Police Box No. 5 | ,, | PA 696A off Tsepoo Road | ,, | 8 | Chinese Dwelling | 5 ,, | 9 | | 3 lives lost |
| 8 | 10.49 p.m. | Telephone | Station | R 242 off Yunnan Road | Central | 5 | ,, | 1 ,, | 22 | | |
| 9 | 12.21 a.m. | Central Tower | District | QQ 7 Kien Kie Lee | ,, | 3 | Chinese Hong | 1 ,, | 22 | | 1 person injured & 4 lives lost |
| 9 | 5.05 a.m. | Police Box No. 1 | ,, | P 597-8 North Honan Road | Northern | 8 | Chinese Chemist | 5 ,, | 14 | | |
| 9 | 2.58 p.m. | Telephone | Station | 9 Chengtu Road | Western | 7 | Chinese School | | 4 | | |
| 10 | 12.03 a.m. | ,, | ,, | PE 220 off Elgin Road | Northern | 8 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 30 | Chimney |
| 10 | 4.52 a.m. | ,, | District | H 60-1 Hoopeh Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Shop | 3 damaged | 17 | | 5 persons injured |
| 10 | 10.46 p.m. | Central Police | Station | PE 330 Elgin Road | Northern | 8 | Chinese Hong | | | 20 | |
| 12 | 10.45 p.m. | Sinza Tower | District | KK 153 Tsingtao Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Tailors | 2 damaged | 12 | | |
| 13 | 6.37 a.m. | Telephone | Station | I 556 North Soochow Road | Northern | 8 | Chinese Store | | 1 | | |
| 13 | 9.30 a.m. | Louza Police | ,, | Vv 421 off Amoy Road | Central | 6 | Chinese Dwelling | | 1 | | |
| 13 | 12.07 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | District | Pootung | Outside | | | | 5 | | |
| 14 | 8.48 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | off Yangtszepoo Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Temple | 1 destroyed 1 damaged | 11 | | |
| 15 | 9.58 a.m. | ,, | ,, | 1A Honan Road | Central | 4 | Foreign Fire Station | 1 damaged | 16 | | |
| 16 | 7.24 a.m. | ,, | Station | French Bund | Outside | | | | | | |
| 16 | 4.48 p.m. | Central Police | ,, | CA 473-4 East Kashing Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Herbalist | 1 damaged | 5 | 20 | |
| 18 | 9.04 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | A 306-7 Broadway | ,, | 1 | Chinese Shop | 1 ,, | 1 | | |
| 20 | 10.09 p.m. | ,, | ,, | 134-5 Szechuen Road | Central | 3 | Foreign Office & Godown | | 14 | | |
| 21 | 2.45 p.m. | ,, | ,, | S 862 Markham Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 25 | |
| 22 | 1.40 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Cc 1109 off East Yuhang Road | Eastern | 1 | ,, | 1 damaged | | 15 | |
| 23 | 3.03 a.m. | Central Tower | ,, | French Concession | Outside | | | | | 20 | |
| 23 | 12.12 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | B 166 Kiangse Road | Central | 3 | Chinese Carpenter | | | 15 | |
| 23 | 1.52 p.m. | ,, | District | 4 Lay Road | Eastern | 1 | Foreign Cotton Mill | | 5 | | |
| 23 | 6.01 p.m. | ,, | Station | LI 804 Pingliang Road | ,, | 1 | Chinese Tailors | 1 damaged | 2 | | |
| 23 | 6.52 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Pootung | Outside | | | | 3 | | |
| 24 | 4.56 a.m. | Sinza Tower | District | XC 367 Sing Dong Ka Loong | Northern | 8 | Chinese Dwelling | 3 destroyed 16 damaged | 18 | | |
| 24 | 5.58 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | Chapei | Outside | | | | 18 | | |
| 24 | 6.13 p.m. | ,, | Station | A 1124 Broadway | Northern | 2 | Chinese Godown | | 24 | | |
| 25 | 11.40 a.m. | Hongkew & Sinza Towers | District | Chapei | Outside | | | | 1 | | |
| 25 | 2.11 p.m. | Central Police | ,, | Chapei | ,, | | | | 36 | | |
| 25 | 3.33 p.m. | Central & Hongkew Towers | ,, | Chapei | ,, | | | | 3 | | |
| 25 | 6.43 p.m. | Central Tower | Station | Hankow/Chekiang Roads | Central | 5 | | | | 10 | Chimney |
| 25 | 7.28 p.m. | ,, | District | Ningpo Road | ,, | 3 | | | | 15 | False alarm |
| 25 | 8.35 p.m. | Telephone | Station | 11B Nanking Road | ,, | 4 | Chinese Shop | | 1 | | |
| 26 | 11.35 a.m. | Sinza Tower | ,, | Chapei | Outside | | | | | 30 | |
| 27 | 12.56 a.m. | Central Tower | ,, | Shantung/Canton Roads | Central | 4 | | | | 10 | False alarm |
| 28 | 7.34 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | Yangtszepoo Rd near Wayside | Eastern | 1 | | | | 10 | ,, ,, |
| 29 | 7.35 a.m. | ,, | District | 78 Ward Road | ,, | 1 | Foreign Cotton Mill | | 11 | | |
| 29 | 1.00 p.m. | ,, | ,, | 85 Szechuen Road | Central | 3 | Foreign Office & Flats | 1 damaged | 28 | | |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

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**Smallpox.**

FREE VACCINATION

will be done at the Branch Health Offices as follows :

FOR CHINESE.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 679 Yangtsezepoo Road | Mondays | 3.30 p.m. |
| 1581 Seward " | " | 2.80 " |
| 2668 " " | " | 2.15 " |
| 534 E. Hanbury " | " | 2.00 " |
| Hongkew Market | Tuesdays | 2.15 " |
| 42 Woosung Road | " | 2.00 p.m. |
| 797 Purdon " | " | 2.30 " |
| 567 N. Fokien " | " | 2.45 " |
| 200 N. Thibet " | " | 3.00 " |
| 462 Fokien " | Thursdays | 2.30 " |
| 23 Hankow " | " | 2.00 " |
| 1622 Sinza " | Fridays | 2.45 " |
| 385 Mohawk " | " | 2.00 " |
| 1019 Markham " | " | 2.30 " |

FOR FOREIGNERS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1581 Seward Road | Mondays | 4 p.m. |
| 42 Woosung Road | Tuesdays | 4 " |
| 23 Hankow " | Thursdays | 3.15 " |

DO NOT DELAY.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Summary of Revenue for October**

| Description | Estimate for 1919 | 1919 Number | 1919 Amount | 1919 Total from January 1 | 1918 Number | 1918 Amount | 1918 Total from January 1 | 1917 Number | 1917 Amount | 1917 Total from January 1 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,054,630 | — | 84,482.34 | 991,953.48 | — | 57,698.07 | 884,648.59 | — | 64,603.81 | 766,590.84 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 795 850 | — | 82,472.18 | 665,033.04 | — | 84,557.58 | 562,104.48 | — | 79,792.85 | 534,976.72 |
| Chinese | 1,182,480 | — | 187,103.28 | 948,739.94 | — | 148,581.86 | 88·,925.64 | — | 148,546.53 | 860,809.94 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | — | 1,320.40 | — | — | 1,311.45 | -- | — | 1,327.35 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 220,000 | — | — | 186,593.00 | — | — | 141,555.33 | — | — | 152,147.67 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | 50 | 3,405.00 | 15,088.50 | 53 | 3.595.00 | 16,176.70 | 68 | 4,517.00 | 18,319.00 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 24,000 | 75 | 5,625.00 | 23,887.50 | 78 | 5,850.00 | 23,525.00 | 80 | 5,925.00 | 23,548.96 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 400 | 16 | 128.00 | 552.00 | 15 | 117.00 | 416.00 | 16 | 108.00 | 483.00 |
| Eating House | 9,000 | 115 | 728.11 | 7,577.22 | 129 | 544.51 | 7,145.27 | 332 | 942.47 | 5,187.46 |
| Chinese Club | 4,500 | 49 | 1,225.00 | 5,045.90 | 41 | 1,025 00 | 4,041.70 | 42 | 1,050.00 | 4,391.70 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13 000 | 297 | 2,838.00 | 11,898.50 | 312 | 3.057.00 | 12,587.00 | 331 | 3,260.00 | 13,359.00 |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36 000 | 150 | 1,434.00 | 27,995.60 | 267 | 2,647.00 | 29,413.50 | 514 | 4,336.00 | 30,886 54 |
| Tea-shop | 16,000 | 636 | 1,397.00 | 13,968.50 | 651 | 1,374.50 | 13,374.50 | 682 | 1,447.50 | 14,333.75 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 6,500 | 100 | 738.62 | 5,919.25 | 198 | 1,454.41 | 6,136.16 | 179 | 1,288.49 | 6,233.90 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,000 | 16 | 588.00 | 5,209.00 | 9 | 375.00 | 3,562.50 | 26 | 574.00 | 5,524.00 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 18 | 709.00 | 7,110.00 | 18 | 685.00 | 6,495.00 | 14 | 675.00 | 7,412.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 2,500 | 13 | 259.00 | 2,586.00 | 11 | 197.00 | 1,917.00 | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 29,000 | — | — | 24,701.89 | — | — | 22,191.88 | — | — | 20,663.48 |
| Exchange Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Opium-shop | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 45,390.00 |
| Tobacco Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,000 | 843 | 549.60 | 5,393.05 | 807 | 474.17 | 5,183.80 | 813 | 461.68 | 4,939.18 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,100 | 62 | 91.64 | 928.95 | 67 | 98.36 | 950.89 | 64 | 92.16 | 907.56 |
| Launch | 3,300 | 338 | 858 00 | 3,521.00 | 291 | 735.00 | 3,116 00 | 278 | 673.00 | 3,083.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,806 | 435.60 | 3,766.39 | 1,454 | 370.27 | 3,478.57 | 1,470 | 348.28 | 3,553.43 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 83 | 61.23 | 772.95 | 44 | 32.31 | 735.63 | 50 | 42.44 | 826.71 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 11,500 | P. 676 C. 535 | 2,523.30 | 10,366.67 | P. 704 C. 569 | 2,653.56 | 11,253.18 | P. 679 C. 640 | 2,797.57 | 11,961.92 |
| Livery Stable | 12,000 | P. 265 C. 246 | 920.29 | 10,265.23 | P. 410 C. 259 | 1,060.18 | 10,169.10 | P. 897 C. 245 | 988.89 | 10,189.48 |
| Motor Car & Motor Bicycle | 45,000 | 1,297 | 12,743.01 | 49 606.14 | 1.027 | 9,790.02 | 38,941 86 | 765 | 7,197.36 | 29,391.20 |
| Cart | 31.500 | 2,390 | 3,450.50 | 30 254.00 | 1.984 | 2,832 50 | 26,279.50 | 1,844 | 2,727.50 | 25.510.50 |
| Private Ricsha | 55,000 | 6,763 | 14 949.41 | 57,311.85 | 6,233 | 13,727.81 | 52 772.98 | 5,839 | 12,582.27 | 48,247.23 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,782.55 | 116,240 05 | 8,000 | 11,763.10 | 115,569.92 | 8.000 | 11,475.50 | 113,925.58 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 8 | 17.70 | 114.64 | 9 | 19.74 | 122.30 | 10 | 21 59 | 145.49 |
| Wheel-barrow | 50,000 | 8,674 | 4,340.64 | 42,097.76 | 7,860 | 3,935.79 | 40,387.45 | 8,081 | 4,046.40 | 41,310.64 |
| Firearms | 500 | — | — | 225.00 | — | — | 225.00 | — | — | 375 00 |
| Dog | 3,500 | 206 | 759.84 | 6,344.64 | 38 | 55.81 | 3,380.92 | 73 | 105.12 | 3,565.81 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 111,240 | 6,289 | 10,045.89 | 93,105.43 | 6,081 | 9,698.32 | 90,753 49 | 6,203 | 9,594.83 | 79,175.78 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | — | 410.00 | — | — | 390.00 | — | 260.00 | 390.00 |
| Firemen's Quarters | 3,100 | — | — | 805.50 | — | 165.00 | 1,939.00 | — | 232.00 | 1,811.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 5,820 | — | 425.00 | 4,393.78 | — | 415.00 | 4,400.00 | — | 445.00 | 4,450.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 72.00 | 1,565.82 | — | 22.37 | 1,305.94 | — | 85.36 | 421.16 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 33,700 | — | — | 26,003.60 | — | — | 32,362.34 | — | — | 33,252.57 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1.000 | — | — | 750.00 | — | — | 750.00 | — | — | 750.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co. Ld. | 7,330 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 5,332.00 |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 50,000 | — | — | 41,846.00 | — | — | 35,431.91 | — | — | 33,272.57 |
| Electricity Department | 242 000 | — | — | 242,000.00 | — | — | 364,000.00 | — | — | 41,460.00 |
| Convict Labour | 12,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concreteware Manufactory | 10,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 5,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,296,530 | | 437,158.73 | 3,700,599.67 | | 369,608.24 | 3,472,758.48 | | 371,228.60 | 3,009,833.13 |

F. A. SAMPSON, *Assistant Superintendent of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承認全份標

二 所有承攬價目自有權是低本局自利

三 擬定之後既承認之用款本局知有不承認付人寄自

四 所有承攬各人本局公信及承攬之價

五 所有取消所有合同之費付之

六 所有承攬各項工料封面加蓋火漆其承攬信函寫明承攬何項工料實封內加蓋火漆

二部時間之前以內在規定期內上午十工信送到本局後仍將款一律退還

信送來最後用此次概還免或交付明

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | In'ormation as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 146 | Supply of Firewood 40,000 to 50,000 lb. per mensem during 1920 | — | December 12 |
| 147 | Convicts' Food, in the following quantities monthly, from January 1, 1920 :— Rice (Unpolished) (200-lb. per picul) 320 piculs; Wheat (133 „ „ ) 50 „; Beans, flat (133 „ „ ) 50 „; „ red (133 „ „ ) 35 „ — For 3 or 6 months | — | December 15. Tenders should be accompanied by samples. |
| | **HEALTH DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Health Office, Honan Road | | |
| | Supply of the following sanitary stores during 1920 :— | | |
| 12 | Mosquito Mixture (as per formula) (per gall.) 19,000 galls. more or less | — | December 1 |
| | Cross Oil or oil of similar nature ( do. ) 9,000 galls. more or less | — | do. |
| 13 | Iron Doors and Lids for Cement Refuse Bins * (per set) 800 sets | — | do. |
| 14 | Bamboo brooms * (per 100) 15,000 | — | do. |
| | Bamboo baskets * (per 100) 4,000 | — | do. |
| | *As per standard samples to be seen at Health Office. | | |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 189 | Coal for delivery at Riverside Power Station during 1920 | Tls. 5 | November 27 |
| 190 | Coal for delivery at Fearon Road Power Station during 1920 | Tls. 5 | do. |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### POLICE FORCE

Tenders Nos. 135-145

No. 135 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth. No. 1 quality
136 100 „ „ „ „ „ 2 „
137 2,400 „ „ „ „ „ 3 „
138 2,000 „ „ „ „ „ 4 „
139 7,000 „ „ Indigo Serge
140 900 „ Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 Thin
141 400 „ „ „ „ „ 2 Medium
142 400 „ „ „ „ „ 3 Heavy
143 200 White Blankets 68 x 90 4½-lb. each
144 400 Brown „ 68 x 90 5-lb. „
145 2,000 „ „ 84 x 60 5-lb. „

| | 135 | 136 | 137 | 138 | 139 per yard | 140 | 141 | 142 | 143 | 144 | 145 each |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ilbert & Co., Ld. | 34/6 | 31/6 | 32/6 | 22/6 | 12/– | | | | | | |
| Fredk. Large & Co. | | | | 21/10½ | 11/4¼ | | | | | | |
| Jardine, Matheson & Co, Ld. | *28/6 | *28/9 | *26/6 | 19/6 | *9/3 | 13/– | 13/– | 13/– | *5/6 per lb. | 3/8 per lb. | *Tls. 1.60 |
| | | | 18/– | | | *12/9 | 12/9 | 12/9 | | | |
| | | | | | | 12/6 | *12/6 | *12/6 | | | |
| | | | | | | 11/– | 11/– | 11/– | | | |
| Geddes & Co., Ld. | 28/3 | 26/0 | 26/4 | *18/3½ | 9/7 | 12/2 | 13/3 | | | *18/3 each | |
| Ja Kee & Co. | | | | | | | | | | | Tls. 2.10 |
| Wee Fong & Co. | | | | | | | | | | | Tls. 1.95 |
| †Robert Dollar Co. | | | | | | | | | | | $10 |
| †C. A. Martinho Marques & Co. | 32/10 | 31/8 | 31/6 | 20/5 | 17/6 | | | | | 18/2 | |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2655.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2661.** (*Amended*)

**ORDURE CONTRACTS.**

(*Translation.*)

THE Council is prepared to receive tenders for the removal by boat of ordure from the Settlement from January 1, 1920.

For this purpose the Settlement will be divided into two separate areas:—

1. North of the Soochow Creek.
2. South of the Soochow Creek.

Separate contracts will be made in respect of each of these areas and tenderers should state clearly for which area they are tendering and the amount of money they are prepared to pay to the Council and send their tenders with "Tenders for Ordure Contract" marked thereon, to the undersigned not later than 4 p.m. on December 12, 1919.

The Contractors whose tenders are accepted will be required to deposit three months' money with the Council. A contract for one year renewable for a further period of two years will be made provided the contractors perform their duties to the satisfaction of the Council, and in case they wish to continue the work. Assignment of the contracts will not be permitted. Further particulars may be obtained and conditions of contract may be inspected upon application to the Health Office.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 26, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2662.**

**PRIVATE NURSING SERVICE, 34 and 35 Boone Road.**

| | Daily |
|---|---|
| Ordinary Medical or Surgical cases | Tls. 5 |
| Maternity cases | 6 |
| Infectious cases | 6 |
| Mental or Alcoholic cases | 6 |
| Visiting cases not exceeding one hour (not made to infectious cases) | 2 |
| Visiting cases half day (not made to infectious cases) | 3 |

For Maternity cases half fees are payable from date of engagement until sent for.

When called upon to nurse more than one case in a house an extra half fee is payable for each additional patient.

For nursing cases outside Shanghai one tael in excess of above rates is payable from the time of leaving Shanghai until return, together with first-class fare and necessary incidental expenses.

After nursing infectious cases seven days fees at full rate will be payable for quarantine.

It is expected that board, lodging and washing will be provided for the nurse.

It is requested that the health of the nurse be considered, especially as regards proper sleeping accommodation and out-door recreation.

If a nurse is sitting up at night she will require eight consecutive hours out of the patient's room for sleep and two hours for open air recreation. If a nurse is not sitting up but has disturbed nights with her patient she will require some extra rest and recreation.

When the services of the nurse are no longer required previous notice should be given when possible.

Telephone North 3046.
Telegrams "Nursing Shanghai."

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 27, 1919.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2663.
### AMMUNITION, FIREARMS AND EXPLOSIVES.
### (Sale or Manufacture)

THE following amendment to Condition No. 2 of the licence conditions will be enforced with effect from December 8:—

"2.—"That the licensee keep a register in which shall be entered a full and accurate description giving manufacturer's name, number and/or other mark of identification stamped thereon of each and every firearm imported, received, loaned or sold, the date of each transaction and the name and address of the purchaser."

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 4, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2664.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Municipal Loans will be closed from December 16, to December 31, both days inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 4, 1919.

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AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, November 28, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
L. E. Canning
Mrs. D. Henman
Messrs. S. C. Lin
W. D. McCallum
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mr. T. Ibukiyama

The meeting adjourned at 6.50 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Foreign Educational Committee held on Monday, December 1, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Dr. R. S. Ivy (*Chairman*)
Messrs. C. M. Bain
C. P. Dawson
P. W. Massey
Mrs. Merriman

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, December 3, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mr. T. Ibukiyama

The meeting adjourned at 6.05 p.m.

### Special Vice Committee.

Notice is hereby given that the labours of this Committee are nearing completion, but before finally drafting its report and making its recommendations, the public are invited to offer any suggestions, or recommendations, which they think will be of value to the Committee in dealing with the question of vice in the Settlement. These suggestions, or recommendations, *must be in writing* brief and to the point, and addressed as early as possible to the Secretary of the Committee—Mr. P. Campbell, c/o British Chamber of Commerce, 1 The Bund.

### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Bubbling Well and Peking Road.*—The claim of Messrs. Stewardson and Spence has been accepted on behalf of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. for the North East corner of Lot 23, measuring Mow 0.035, at the assessed value Tls. 68,000 per mow plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, a total sum of Tls. 2,618.

*Bubbling Well Road.*—The claim of the Chinese owner has been accepted for a piece of unregistered land required for this road situated between Lots 64 and 67, at the rate of Tls. 3,000 per mow, or Tls. 864 for Mow 0.288.

*Muirhead Road.*—Arrangements have been concluded with the China Realty Company, Ld., for the surrender of the corner of Lot 896 required for this road on the basis of the assessed value, Tls. 1,200 per mow plus 10 per cent., or Tls. 140 for Mow 0.106.

*Jessfield Rodd.*—Arrangements have been made for the acquisition of two strips of land from B. C. Lot 9903 required to widen Jessfield Road at the rate of Tls. 3,600 per mow plus 10 per cent., or a total sum of Tls. 251 for Mow 0.076. These arrangements conclude the negotiations for this surrender which have been outstanding since the year 1908.

### Public Lighting.

*Linching Rodd.*—It has been decided to light this road with seven 60 c.p. metallic filament lamps at a cost of Tls. 196 per annum.

*Yee Ka Zar Road.*—The lighting of this thoroughfare will be improved by the erection of one 60 c.p. metallic filament lamp at a cost of Tls. 28 per annum, and alteration of the position of one existing gas lamp.

### Jessfield Park.

*Conservatories.*—Acceptance has been authorized of the offer of Messrs. William Jacks & Co., to sell a glass-covered steel roof suitable for use in this Park, measuring 75 ft. by 44 ft., for a sum of Tls. 2,000.

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 29.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Sergeant D. J. Webb from November 25.

The following are promoted to be Sergeants with seniority from the dates specified:—

N. J. Bournes, April 1, 1916.
W. M. Calder, April 1, 1916.
R. Conduit, February 1, 1917.
H. Young, February 1, 1917.

The following are appointed Constables from November 22:—

| | |
|---|---|
| R. C. Andrew | J.U.J. Langridge |
| A. E. Balchin | E. J. Ling |
| J. Barry | W. M. Lindsay |
| H. A. Brown | C. J. S. Macdonald |
| F. J. Carnell | G. McRobbie |
| E. Chambers | T. O'Donovan |
| W. R. Chisholm | W. H. Pike |
| A. Cooper | F. W. Perkins |
| J. Crowley | O. B. Perkins |
| G. H. Craik | H. Robertson |
| A. L. Crompton | V. Sharman |
| C. F. Danford | S. E. Spurgeon |
| J. Douglas | W. Slater |
| L. Eaton | R. Taylor |
| C. L. Fenton | C. E. Thurgood |
| H. J. Foxworthy | A. Watson |
| N. Harrison | R. W. Ward |
| M. Healy | A. E. Worwood |
| H. T. Hulbert | S. Wyles |
| H. C. Jackson | |

Sergeant J. Hunter, transferred for duty at the Mixed Court from November 17, is transferred to the Detective Branch on probation from November 25.

Sergeant E. Ring is transferred for duty at the Mixed Court from November 25.

The institution of the rank of Assistant Warder is authorized from May 1.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. W. J. Bidgood, Clerk-of-works, from March 8, 1920.

Captain G. H. Rendall, Clerical Assistant, returned from War Service, resumed duty on November 8.

*Electricity Department.*—Meter Tester F. H. Lawrence, who proceeded on War Service, is invalided from March 18, 1919.

Mr. C. A. Peake, Clerical Assistant, returned from War Service, resumed duty on October 21.

Mr. J. G. Wallace, temporary Assistant in the Riverside Power Station, was permitted to terminate his service on October 31.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. F. Alan Robinson, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is permitted to terminate her service on December 31.

Miss M. Ireland, temporary Assistant Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, is permitted to terminate her service on December 31.

*Finance Department.*—Captain T. H. Hutchison, Croix de Guerre, Assistant in the Finance Department, returned from War Service, resumed duty on November 12.

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*Revenue Office.*—Mr. V. H. W. Watton, Junior Clerk, returned from War Service, resumed duty on November 13. He is appointed Clerical Assistant under agreement from June 22, 1918.

Long leave is granted to Mr. J. A. J. Johansson, Licensing Inspector, from March 1, 1920.

**Public Bands**

On Sunday next, December 7, at 5 o'clock, p.m. the programme will be as follows:—

THIRD CONCERT:

"DANCE AND BALLET MUSIC"

1. Ballet from the Pantomime "Les petits Riens"
   (a) Overture
   (b) Andante—Andantine molto grazioso
   (c) Gavotte
   (d) Pantomime—Gigue (Presto) W. A. Mozart
2. Waltz "Invitation to the Dance" Weber-Berlioz
3. (a) "Mock Morris"
   (b) "Shepherd's Hey" P. A. Grainger
4. (a) Menuet
   (b) Farandole G. Bizet
5. Dance Macabra C. Saint-Saens
6. "Dance of the Hours" A. Ponchielli

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor*

*Public Performances.*—On Friday, December 5, a Dance performance will be given in the Town Hall, beginning at 5.30 p.m. and thereafter performances will be given in the Town Hall every Friday at 5.30 p.m. with the exception of Friday, December 12, when the Town Hall is reserved for the Cambridge Local Examinations.

**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, November 30, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 3 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 13 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 160 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot No. | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 28 | Nanking & Szechuen | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | altns. |
| Unreg. N of 5200 | Pingliang & Tsitsihar | Brandt & Rodgers | | 6 | block offices, boiler house & wall |
| 2731 | Pingliang | Palmer & Turner | | 1 | wall |
| 2335 | Wayside | Wah Sing Co. | 2 | | |
| 6044 | Yangtszepoo | China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ld. | | | boiler house |
| 6023 | do. | Tsao Zen Yen | 1 | | |
| 2431 | B'bling Well | Eastern Construction Co. | | 7 | |
| 2168 | Weihaiwei | Tai Kwei Kee | | | servants' quarters |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 240 | Nanking | Pai Sung Kee | | | addns. |
| 78 | Ningpo | Dong Chi Kee | | | addns. |
| 871 | Dent | M. C. Yeh | 7 | | |
| 1167 | E. Seward | Tsu Par Son | | | addns. |
| 4897 | Ichang | Cheng Ching Chee | 34 | | |

**Parks Report for October.**

*Roadside Trees*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Trees fastened | 290 |
| " staked | 63 |
| " pruned | 2,049 |
| " Topdressed | 130 |
| Dead trees removed | 354 |
| Tree-borers destroyed | 2,138 |

*Road Widenings*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Trees transplanted | 28 |

*Nurseries*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Seedlings transplanted | 13,638 |
| Various cuttings inserted | 800 |

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground:*

| | No. of Players |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,807 |
| Baseball | 143 |
| Tennis (20 courts) | 88 |
| Football | 242 |
| Hockey | 88 |
| Total number of players | 2,368 |
| " " Non-players | 14,173 |
| | 16,541 |

*Plants bedded out*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Reserve Garden | 212 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 766 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 576 |
| Jessfield Park | 32 |
| Wayside Park | 1,530 |
| Public School for Boys | 40 |
| Public School for Girls | 190 |
| | 3,346 |

*Shrubs transplanted*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese | 3 |
| Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese | 10 |
| Public School for Chinese | 15 |
| | 28 |

*Turf laid*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 19 fong |
| Bubbling Well Road | 3 " |
| Isolation Hospital | 50 " |
| | 72 fong |

*Lawns Mowed* at Reserve and Public Gardens; Hongkew and Public Recreation Grounds; Jessfield, Wayside and Studley Parks; The Point Garden; Cathedral Compound; Bund and Soochow Road foreshores; Bubbling Well and Wayside Carriage Turns; Quinsan Square; Hart, Yuyuen, Brenan and Warren Pieces; Secretariat; Municipal Gaol and Reformatory; Isolation Hospital; Victoria Nursing Home; Public Schools for Boys, for Girls and Chinese; Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese; Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese; Thomas Hanbury School for Boys; Kungping Road Public School; Public School for Girls in Western District and Playground; Yangtszepoo, Wayside, Hongkew, Louza, Sinza, Harbin Road, Bubbling Well, and Gordon Road Police Stations; No. 209 Bubbling Well Road, No. 76 Yangtszepoo Road and Carter Road Police Quarters.

W. H. ETTERLEY,
*Acting Superintendent.*

Countersigned:
CHAS. H. GODFREY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

**Smallpox.**

FREE VACCINATION

will be done at the Branch Health Offices as follows:

FOR CHINESE.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 679 Yangtszepoo Road | Mondays | 3.30 | p.m. |
| 1581 Seward " | " | 2.30 | " |
| 2668 " " | " | 2.15 | " |
| 534 E. Hanbury " | " | 2.00 | " |
| Hongkew Market | Tuesdays | 2.15 | " |
| 42 Woosung Road | " | 2.00 | " |
| 797 Purdon " | " | 2.30 | " |
| 567 N. Fokien " | " | 2.45 | " |
| 200 N. Thibet " | " | 3.00 | " |
| 462 Fokien " | Thursdays | 2.30 | " |
| 23 Hankow " | " | 2.00 | " |
| 1622 Sinza " | Fridays | 2.45 | " |
| 385 Mohawk " | " | 2.00 | " |
| 1019 Markham " | " | 2.30 | " |

FOR FOREIGNERS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1581 Seward Road | Mondays | 4 | p.m. |
| 42 Woosung Road | Tuesdays | 4 | " |
| 23 Hankow " | Thursdays | 3.15 | " |

DO NOT DELAY.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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### Concreteware Manufactory.

The following is the price list of drain pipes and other articles manufactured. The prices quoted are ex Depôt in Fearon Road near Range Road. Applications for delivery orders should be made at the Public Works Office, 7A The Bund.

| Size | Length | Description | Price in Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12″ | 2′0″ | Pipes (machine made) | 0.80 |
| 9″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.60 |
| 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.40 |
| 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.28 |
| 12″ x 9″ | 2′0″ | Junctions | 1.60 |
| 12″ x 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.45 |
| 12″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.35 |
| 9″ x 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.15 |
| 9″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.05 |
| 6″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 0.80 |
| 6″ | | Knuckle Bends 90° | 0.50 |
| 4″ | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| 6″ | | Bends (long) 45° | 0.50 |
| 4″ | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. A. (without cover) | 0.40 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Yard Gullies Fig. B. (without cover) | 1.25 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.25 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.60 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. C. (without cover) | 0.45 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Revolving Top Gullies incl. C.I. cover | 0.75 |
| 3′ 0″x2′0″ | 3′0″ | Egg-shaped Tubes | 4.50 |
| 2′ 3″x1′6″ | 3′0″ | ,, ,, | 3.10 |
| 1′ 6″x1′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, ,, | 1.70 |
| 3′ 0″ | 3′0″ | Circular Tubes } Price on application | |
| 4′ 6″ | 4′0″ | ,, ,, } | |
| | 3′0″ | Inverts for 12″ pipes | 0.80 |
| 3′ 0″x2′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 2.20 |
| 2′ 3″x1′6″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 1.75 |
| 1′ 6″x1′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 0.85 |
| 3′ 0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Circular Tubes | 4.10 |
| 2′ 0″x2′0″ | 1′0″ | Manhole shafts (large) | 3.00 |
| 2′ 0″x2′0″ | 6″ | ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| 1′ 5″x1′5″ | 6″ | ,, Top Frames | 2.55 |
| 3′10″x1′4″ | 5¾″ | ,, Slabs (large) | 2.90 |
| 3′ 0″x1′5″ | 2¾″ | ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| | | ,, Bricks No. 34a | 0.03½ |
| | | ,, ,, 34b | 0.03½ |
| | | Blind manhole cover (large) | 2.50 |
| | | Blind manhole cover (small) | 1.00 |
| 1′ 6″x1′4″ | 12″ | Street Pot Gullies (bottom) } | 6.50 |
| | | Street Pot Gullies (top) } | |
| 5″ x 2″ | 4′0″ | Kerbs | 0·90 |
| 5″ x 4″ | 4′0″ | Channels | 0·90 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 3′3″ | Pavement Tubes | 1.20 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 2′3″ | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4″ | 9″ | ,, Sockets | 0.38 |
| 3″ | 9″ | ,, ,, | 0.38 |
| 4′0″ x 2′0″ | | Kitchen Sinks | 5.50 |
| 2′6″ x 2′0″ | | ,, ,, | 4.00 |
| 12″ x 4″ | 3′0″ | Boundary Stones | 2.65 |
| | 2′ | M. C. R. Stones | 0.85 |
| | 4′ | ,, ,, | 1.00 |
| 4′0″ x 1′6″ | | Grave Slabs per set of 6 | 9.00 |
| 4′0″ x 1′0″ | | ,, ,, 2 | 2.10 |
| | 18′ | Bearing Pile } Prices on application | |
| | 14′ | ,, ,, } | |
| | 10′ | Sheet Pile } | |
| | 7′6″ | ,, ,, } | |
| | | Fence Post } | |
| | | Ridge Tile | 0.27 |
| | | Square Tile | 0.05½ |
| | 2′5¾″ | Sidewalk Slab } Prices on application | |
| | 1′11¾″ | ,, ,, } | |
| | 0 11¾″ | ,, ,, } | |

### Public Library.

The Library, situated at the north-west corner of the Town Hall, is open *To the Public* without charge as a Reading Room from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. To *Subscribers* for the exchange of books from 9 a.m to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

The subscription is as follows:—

$16 per year
9 ,, half-year.
5 ,, quarter.
2 ,, month.

Subscribers are entitled to the loan of four books at a time and in addition certain magazines are pro vided for circulation, of which one at a time is allowed to each subscriber.

It contains about 14,250 volumes, of which some 7,500 are devoted to Fiction; 2,600 to Travel and History; 1,720 to Biography and the rest to Scientific and General subjects. Additions to these are made constantly.

Residents desirous of subscribing should communicate with the Librarian at the Town Hall.

### Decorations.

The Council's stock of flags may be hired for decorative purposes; the scale of charges as below is in force, with a minimum charge of $5. Applications should be made and delivery taken at the Public Works Department, 7A The Bund; two days' notice of requirements should be given. Any flags lost or damaged will be charged for.

*4 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*

Union Jack, Australia, Canada, India, United States of America, Belgium, France, Italy, Russia, Portugal, Japan, China, Servia, Roumania, Montenegro $0.40 each

*3 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*

Union Jack, Red, White and Blue Ensigns, Australia, Canada, Ceylon, Hongkong, India, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, New Zealand, Queensland, Straits Settlements, South Australia, New South Wales and Western Australia. United States of America, Belgium, Denmark, France, Holland, Italy, Japan, China, Mexico, Montenegro, Norway, Portugal, Russia, Servia, Spain, and Sweden $0.25 each

*2 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*

Union Jack, Red, White and Blue Ensigns, St. George's, St. Andrew's and St. Patrick's Crosses, Australia, Canada, India, Ireland, New South Wales, New Zealand, Queensland, Scotland, Victoria and Wales. United States of America, France, Belgium, Italy, Portugal, Russia, Japan, China, Servia, Montenegro $0.10 each

*Banners*, 9-ft. by 3-ft., fitted with pole, ornament and cord $0.15 each

*Banners*, 5-ft. by 3-ft., fitted with stick $0.10 each

*3-ft. Pennants* on lines $0.05 for ten

### Municipal Publications.

The undermentioned publications may be obtained upon application at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund:—

Land Regulations and Bye-laws for the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, North of the Yangkingpang... 1907 $1.00

Handbook of Local Regulations. Containing Land Regulations and Bye-laws, conditions, security and fees attached to the issue of licences; Municipal Regulations and other information ... ... 1918 $2.50

Annual Reports and Financial Statements for the following years, with the Budget for the year ensuing ... 1907-1918 each 4.00

Reports of Ratepayers' Meetings ... 1878-1909 each 0.10

Land Assessment Schedules. Containing the consular and cadastral numbers of lots, registered owners, areas and values, with plans in four parts, one to each district... 1916 each $1.50

Rules with respect to New Foreign and Chinese Buildings ... ... 1918 1.00

Plans accompanying Land Assessment Schedules 1916 each 1.00

Plan of Shanghai. Shewing Foreign and French Settlements, and surrounding districts. Size 4′ 4″ × 2′ 3″. Scale 1,000 feet 1913.
Unmounted ... ... Tls. 5.00
Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... 7.00

Plan of the Country North of Foreign Settlement of Shanghai. Shewing existing roads and consular lots. Size 9′ 0″ × 4′ 10″. Scale 200 feet ... 1907.
Unmounted ... ... Tls. 20.00
Mounted on linen... 27.00
Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... 35.50

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**Summary of General Municipal Rate, September Quarter.**

**Foreign.**

| | 1919. | | 1918. | | 1917. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. |
| | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | 714 | 2,753,586 | 694 | 2,560,167 | 679 | 2,407,347 |
| Northern do. | 1,019 | 949,856 | 1,017 | 937,015 | 1,017 | 918,947 |
| Eastern do. | 743 | 970,472 | 731 | 912,191 | 704 | 872,601 |
| Western do. | 1,011 | 1,289,908 | 1,007 | 1,247,282 | 1,004 | 1,228,179 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 665 | 432,774 | 616 | 398,348 | 575 | 355,996 |
| Total | 4,152 | 6,396,596 | 4,065 | 6,055,003 | 3,979 | 5,783,070 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 3,169 | 4,737,979 | 3,113 | 4,517,975 | 3,027 | 4,356,864 |
| do. Chinese | 890 | 1,319,360 | 863 | 1,275,230 | 798 | 1,162,324 |
| Unoccupied | 93 | 339,257 | 89 | 261,798 | 154 | 263,882 |
| Total | 4,152 | 6,396,596 | 4,065 | 6,055,003 | 3,979 | 5,783,070 |
| TAX COLLECTED:— | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | | 113,308 | | 70,839 | | 67,387 |
| Northern do. | | 39,344 | | 25,933 | | 24,793 |
| Eastern do. | | 41,612 | | 26,209 | | 24,549 |
| Western do. | | 51,959 | | 33,840 | | 32,289 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 8,840 | | 5,488 | | 4,797 |
| Total | | 255,063 | | 162,309 | | 153,815 |

**Chinese.**

| | 1919. | | 1918. | | 1917. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. |
| | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | 11,589 | 5,507,690 | 11,912 | 5,526,863 | 12,037 | 5,282,891 |
| Northern do. | 16,408 | 3,002,568 | 16,530 | 2,990,036 | 16,517 | 2,959,677 |
| Eastern do. | 17,571 | 1,605,396 | 17,020 | 1,536,573 | 16,670 | 1,487,323 |
| Western do. | 14,990 | 2,150,108 | 14,767 | 2,096,043 | 14,575 | 2,053,860 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 1,225 | 109,994 | 1,224 | 109,814 | 1,239 | 111,118 |
| Total | 61,783 | 12,375,756 | 61,453 | 12,259,329 | 61,038 | 11,894,869 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 2,005 | 387,089 | 1,905 | 457,130 | 1,811 | 442,453 |
| do. Chinese | 58,383 | 11,572,421 | 57,797 | 11,122,006 | 57,193 | 10,816,156 |
| Unoccupied | 1,395 | 416,246 | 1,751 | 680,193 | 2,034 | 636,260 |
| Total | 61,783 | 12,375,756 | 61,453 | 12,259,329 | 61,038 | 11,894,869 |
| TAX COLLECTED:— | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | | 190,337 | | 154,757 | | 150,832 |
| Northern do. | | 104,947 | | 86,066 | | 83,958 |
| Eastern do. | | 55,523 | | 44,208 | | 41,877 |
| Western do. | | 71,330 | | 58,325 | | 56,863 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 1,831 | | 1,556 | | 1,563 |
| Total | | 423,968 | | 344,912 | | 335,093 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Superintendent of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局自行辦理之工程

二 本局有權將一部或全部承攬之工程取消之

三 所有承攬人須繳付保證金一千元

四 所有承攬人之保證金須用現款或本局認可之銀行支票

五 所有承攬人之保證金將退還之

六 所有承攬人之保證金本局有權將其全部或一部沒收之

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單發信人須在信內寫明承攬工程之名稱

二次信內寫明承攬工程之名稱

此信須交挂號信

前來信時須在信面寫明承攬工程之名稱

最後一天須送至江西路二十號

善後辦法須由工部局決定

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 146 | Supply of Firewood 40,000 to 50,000 lb. per mensem during 1920 | — | December 12 |
| 147 | Convicts' Food, in the following quantities monthly, from January 1, 1920:— Rice (Unpolished) (200-lb. per picul) 320 piculs; Wheat (133 ,, ,, ) 50 ,,; Beans, flat (133 ,, ,, ) 50 ,,; ,, red (133 ,, ,, ) 35 ,,; For 3 or 6 months | — | December 15. Tenders should be accompanied by samples. |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2655.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2661.** (*Amended*)

**ORDURE CONTRACTS.**

(*Translation.*)

THE Council is prepared to receive tenders for the removal by boat of ordure from the Settlement from January 1, 1920.

For this purpose the Settlement will be divided into two separate areas:—

1. North of the Soochow Creek.
2. South of the Soochow Creek.

Separate contracts will be made in respect of each of these areas and tenderers should state clearly for which area they are tendering and the amount of money they are prepared to pay to the Council and send their tenders with "Tenders for Ordure Contract" marked thereon, to the undersigned not later than 4 p.m. on December 12, 1919. The Contractors whose tenders are accepted will be required to deposit three months' money with the Council. A contract for one year renewable for a further period of two years will be made provided the contractors perform their duties to the satisfaction of the Council, and in case they wish to continue the work. Assignment of the contracts will not be permitted. Further particulars may be obtained and conditions of contract may be inspected upon application to the Health Office.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 26, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2662.**

**PRIVATE NURSING SERVICE,**

**34 and 35 Boone Road.**

| | Daily |
|---|---|
| Ordinary Medical or Surgical cases | Tls. 5 |
| Maternity cases | 6 |
| Infectious cases | 6 |
| Mental or Alcoholic cases | 6 |
| Visiting cases not exceeding one hour (not made to infectious cases) | 2 |
| Visiting cases half day (not made to infectious cases) | 3 |

For Maternity cases half fees are payable from date of engagement until sent for.

When called upon to nurse more than one case in a house an extra half fee is payable for each additional patient.

For nursing cases outside Shanghai one tael in excess of above rates is payable from the time of leaving Shanghai until return, together with first-class fare and necessary incidental expenses.

After nursing infectious cases seven days fees at full rate will be payable for quarantine.

It is expected that board, lodging and washing will be provided for the nurse.

It is requested that the health of the nurse be considered, especially as regards proper sleeping accommodation and out-door recreation.

If a nurse is sitting up at night she will require eight consecutive hours out of the patient's room for sleep and two hours for open air recreation. If a nurse is not sitting up but has disturbed nights with her patient she will require some extra rest and recreation.

When the services of the nurse are no longer required previous notice should be given when possible.

Telephone North 3046.
Telegrams "Nursing Shanghai."

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 27, 1919.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2663.**

**AMMUNITION, FIREARMS AND EXPLOSIVES.**

**(Sale or Manufacture)**

THE following amendment to Condition No. 2 of the Licence conditions will be enforced with effect from December 8:—

2.—"That the licensee keep a register in which shall be entered a full and accurate description giving manufacturer's name, number and/or other mark of identification stamped thereon of each and every firearm imported, received, loaned or sold, the date of each transaction and the name and address of the purchaser."

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 4, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2664.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Municipal Loans will be closed from December 16, to December 31, both days inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 4, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2665.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 25, 26, and 27, 1919, and on Thursday and Friday, January 1 and 2, 1920.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 11, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, December 10, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 5.10 p.m.

### Death of Mr. Ibukiyama.

Before proceeding to the ordinary business of the meeting the Chairman expresses the very deep regret of members upon learning that their colleague, Mr. T. Ibukiyama, died at his residence early this morning after a very brief illness. He refers in the most appreciative terms to the public services rendered by Mr. Ibukiyama as a member of Council, as a member of the Finance Committee and as the Council's representative on the Special Vice Committee, and to the spirit of co-operation and good will that consistently characterised his relations with his colleagues.

Members unanimously associate themselves with these sentiments and direct that an expression of their deepest regret and of sincere sympathy with Mrs. Ibukiyama and the other members of Mr. Ibukiyama's family be recorded in the minutes and conveyed to Mrs Ibukiyama.

### Special Vice Committee.

Notice is hereby given that the labours of this Committee are nearing completion, but before finally drafting its report and making its recommendations, the public are invited to offer any suggestions, or recommendations, which they think will be of value to the Committee in dealing with the question of vice in the Settlement. These suggestions, or recommendations, *must be in writing* brief and to the point, and addressed as early as possible to the Secretary of the Committee—Mr. P. Campbell, c/o British Chamber of Commerce, 1 The Bund.

### Volunteer Corps.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant the following promotions are authorized:—

*"A" Company British.*—2nd Lieut. E. W. Godfrey to be Lieutenant.

*First Reserves.*—2nd Lieut. C. H. Ryde to be Lieutenant.

*Medical Staff.*—Lieut. N. H. Bolton to be Captain.

### Foreign Educational Committee.

Mrs. Merriman has accepted the Council's invitation to re-join the above Committee.

### Library Committee.

The Rev. Dr. McGillivray has accepted the Council's invitation to serve on this Committee, in the place of the Rev. C. E. Darwent, resigned.

### Municipal Properties.

*Yuyuen Road.* — Arrangements have been concluded for the sale of that portion of B.C. Lot 8446, held as surplus land, purchased in the course of road widening negotiations and measuring Mow 0.603. The lot has been sold to Messrs. Hanson, McNeill, Jones and Wright for the sum of Tls. 3,003

### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Kiangse Road.* — Negotiations with Messrs. Algar & Co., Ld. have been concluded for the surrender of part of Lot 141 for the Kiangse Road, at an assessed value of Tls. 31,000 per mow, less one-third for betterment and with 10 per cent. added for compulsory surrender, a total sum of Tls. 1,160 for Mow 0.051.

### Public Lighting.

*Dixwell Road.*—The recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works has been adopted, to improve the lighting of this road between Broadway East and the China Merchants' Central Wharf, with two 400 c.p. clusters, instead of the one existing 60 c.p. lamp. The additional annual cost is Tls. 220.

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, December 7, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 672,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 3 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 5 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 20 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 10 | 173 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 17D | Hongkong & Museum | National Committee Y. M. C. A. | | | block offices. |
| 80 | Nanking & Szechuen | C. Luthy | | | altns. |
| 835 | Chapoo | Lee Hop Shun | | | altns. |
| 5555 | Lay | China Realty Co., Ld. | 1 | | |
| 3870 | Whashing | Brandt & Rodgers | | | wall |
| 2758 | Yangtszepoo | G. C. Wingrove | 3 | | addns. |
| 2205 | B'bling Well | Brandt & Rodgers | | | wall |
| 4175 | Gordon | Nagai Wata Kaisha | | 1 | |
| fronting 4590 & 4580 4581 | W. Soochow | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | 2bundings & 4jetties |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| Unreg. E of 7310 | Hochien | Nee Kee Sin | 49 | | |
| 980 | Yochow | K. T. J. Pugh | 2 | | |

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## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6.

*Police Force.* — Sergeant M. O'Regan, returned from war service, resumed duty on November 22.

Constable T. G. Coyne, returned from war service, is re-engaged from November 22, with seniority from the date of first appointment, October 28, 1912.

Sikh Constables Nos. 153, Sundar Singh and 433, Sundar Singh, are discharged, invalided, from December 4.

*Health Department.*—The appointments of Miss E. Gilbertson and Miss E. R. Salter, Probationer Nurses, are confirmed under agreement from February 1, and March 1, respectively.

Long leave is granted to Inspector J. S. Graham, from December 28.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to the following:—

Mr. L. Spiegler, Clerk-of-Works, from April 13, 1920.

Mr. W. J. Roberts, Custodian, Town Hall, from January 5, 1920.

Mr. P. Ayres, Surveying Assistant, from March 1, 1920.

*Electricity Department.* — Mr. F. B. Toas is appointed Meter Tester under an agreement terminable at three months' notice from December 2.

*Public Band.*—The following are appointed musicians under agreement from November 1:—

H. Goebel
J. Laudjil
G. V. Lestuzzi

The following are appointed temporarily as musicians from November 1:—

J. Barton
B. Gershgorn
P. Vassilliew
A. Letvin
F. Wandrachek
J. Shiller

Mr. H. G. dos Remedios is re-engaged temporarily as musician from November 1.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. A. M. Kirk, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is appointed Mistress-in-charge of the Kungping Road School from January 1, 1920.

Mrs. L. King is appointed temporarily as Assistant Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls from January 1, 1920.

*Legal Assistant.*—Mr. K. E. Newman, Legal Assistant, is permitted to terminate his service on December 8.

Mr. R. O. Faithfull is appointed Legal Assistant under agreement from December 1.

## Public Band.

On Sunday next, December 14, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

FOURTH CONCERT:

"Soloist: M. Paci, Pianist"

1.—Serenade, for Strings only
(a) Allegro
(b) Romanze
(c) Menuet
(d) Rondo: Allegro W. Mozart

2.—Concerto, D. major
for Piano with Orchestra
(a) Allegro
(b) Sarghetto
(c) Rondo allegretto W. Mozart

3.—(a) Romanza G. Sgambati
(b) Valse-Caprice C. Saint-Saens
for Piano with Strings only

4.—Suite Algerienne
(a) Prelude (En vue d'Alger)
(b) Reverie du soir (a Blidah)
(c) Rhapsodie Mauresque
C. Saint-Saens

Maestro M. Paci,
*Conductor.*

## Report of Acting Commissioner of Police for November,

Strength of the Force on November 30.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 228 | |
| Japanese | 26 | |
| Sikhs | 585 | |
| Chinese | 1,478 | |
| | | 2,326 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 84 | |
| Followers | 225 | |
| | | 309 |
| | Total | 2,635 |

*Murder.*—On November 17 a Chinese stevedore was stabbed on Foochow Road as the result of a gambling quarrel and died subsequently in hospital. Three persons concerned in the affair were arrested and are now under remand.

In connexion with the murder of a Chinese in the country off Whashing Road on October 29, which was reported last month, a house in Yangtszepoo Road was raided by the police at dawn on November 8 and 10 persons were arrested. All of them were subsequently found to be members of a gang of bandits operating in the northern part of this province under the leadership of one Ben Zung-man. It transpired that the latter had discovered the deceased, who was also one of the gang, *in flagrente delicto* with a concubine of his own and had accordingly ordered his death. The leader himself was actually concerned in the murder but had absconded before the arrest of the others. The latter have all been handed over to the Chinese Authorities to be dealt with.

*Robberies.*—Only three reports of robbery from premises and two of unarmed highway robbery were received during the month. In connexion with these cases 5 persons were arrested and dealt with. Four other persons were also arrested by the police in the Settlement for robberies committed outside limits.

*Stolen Property.*—During the month 290 reports of property stolen were received by the police—a decrease of 16 on the figure for the corresponding month of last year. These reports included 34 cases of burglary, 11 of housebreaking, 3 of office breaking, 5 of shop-breaking and 2 of godown-breaking. In 110 of these 290 cases investigation was made with successful results.

*Bomb Explosion.*—Following the receipt of threatening letters demanding money, a bomb explosion took place on the roof garden of an establishment in Nanking Road on November 10. No one was hurt and very little material damage was done.

*Prohibited Drugs.*—The clandestine importation of prohibited drugs continues to be an active local industry. Owing to their small bulk and great value, to divided authority, to the state of the law on the subject and to certain other causes, it is difficult to make much headway in its suppression. On November 15 the police arrested a Japanese attempting to run a parcel of morphia valued at $40,000.00. The punishment in the local Japanese Court was 29 days' imprisonment and confiscation—hardly a deterrent sentence in the circumstances. Five Japanese dispensaries were also proceeded against by their own authorities for smuggling morphia through the Post Office, and in three cases the principals were deported from Shanghai for a period of two years and their shops ordered to be closed. During the month the police made numerous raids on establishments where the smuggling or selling of opium was being carried on. In all, 74 cases were before the Mixed Court. Fines were imposed in 65 of them, imprisonment in 2 and the remaining 7 cases were dismissed.

*Motor Car Offences.*—During the month 52 Chinese Chauffeurs were prosecuted in the Mixed Court for offences against licence conditions, and penalties ranging from a caution to 3 months' imprisonment and from $2 to $25 fines were inflicted. Proceedings were also taken against 3 foreigners for driving to the public danger which resulted in the imposition of fines ranging from $5 to $10. In connexion with these offences it is very noticeable to the police that while many members of the public are ready enough to complain in general terms of reckless driving in the streets of the Settlement, very few of them will take the trouble to report individual cases they may see. Fewer still are willing to assist the authorities by giving evidence in Court. If it were more generally realized that nothing but strong public opinion, unmistakably expressed in deeds as well as in words, can successfully cope with this evil perhaps something more would be done. To the comparatively few

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residents who from time to time have helped the police in this matter, an expression of sincere thanks is due.

*Other Crime.*—Among other cases in the Settlement may be mentioned that of a notorious swindler of Russian birth, but latterly unrecognized by the Russian Authorities, known as Count de Lautrec de Toulouse de Savine, who was charged before the Mixed Court on November 18 with the forgery of public documents and seals, and was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment in the Municipal Gaol.

*Crime Outside Limits.*—Two cases of murder and 17 of robbery and piracy in the immediate neighbourhood of the Settlement have been reported during the month. In one case a gang of desperadoes attacked a native police station, captured the arms and ammunition of the policemen and then, secure from interruption, proceeded to plunder a number of houses in the district.

*Executions.*—During the month 2 persons, convicted of armed robbery in the Settlement, were executed by the Chinese Authorities at Loongwha in the presence of a representative of this Force.

*Enemy Subjects.*—In conformity with certain new regulations promulgated by the Chinese Government, commencing from November 5 German and Austro-Hungarian residents of the Settlement were no longer required to report themselves periodically for the purpose of having their permits checked by the Police.

*Strikes.*—Some 300 box-makers were on strike from November 1 to November 5. They returned to work on receiving 20 per cent. advance in wages. An increase of 30 per cent. had to be granted to the same number of red wood ornament makers who were on strike from November 11 to November 20. About 3,000 bamboo workers struck on November 25 and remained out till the end of the month.

*Gambling Outside Limits.*—It is satisfactory to report that the gambling house known as the "Wheel", situated at 28 North Honan Road Extension, was raided and closed by the Chinese Authorities on November 12.

*Foreign Refugees.*—At the end of November there were probably not less than 1,000 refugees of Russian, Polish and Finnish nationality in the Settlement. The great majority have come from Harbin and Vladivostok. They live chiefly in boarding houses in the Hongkew, Wayside and Yangtszepoo districts. Most of them are in poor circumstances and many are on the verge of destitution. So far, however, there is no actual starvation. Thanks principally to the efforts of the Russian and International Charity organizations, the Jewish community and the King's Daughters' Society. The bulk of the refugees are unfortunately not of the class that would readily find employment in Shanghai. In addition to the foregoing there are probably considerable numbers living outside Settlement limits.

*Korean Newspapers.*—Since the suppression of the Korean newspaper "Dognip" and the closing of the offices of the Korean Provisional Government by the French Police on October 18, two other newspapers named the "Hsin Dai Han" and the "Dognip Hsin Mon" have begun to circulate privately among local Koreans.

*Distinguished Visitor.*—Sir John Jordan, British Minister to China and Doyen of the Diplomatic Body in Peking, was in Shanghai from November 4 to November 11. During his stay the necessary guards and escorts were furnished by the Police.

*Foreign Branch.*—Thirty-nine recruits for the Foreign Branch arrived from England on November 22. This brings the branch to its full strength.

*Specials.*—The Specials ceased to function as active members of the Force on November 26 after 18 months' service willingly and generously given in the public interest. To the Assistant Commissioner in charge and the Deputy Assistant Commissioner, and to all Head Constables, Warning Officers and Special Constables the Acting Commissioner wishes to record an expression of sincere thanks for all they have done. The Regular Police are sorry to lose their valuable assistance and are most gratified to learn of the ready response they have made to the Council's invitation to join the Special Police Reserve.

*Political Intelligence.*—Reports of serious happenings in other places reached Shanghai during the month. Chief among these were the invasion of the Sincere Company's Store at Canton on November 8 by a large mob of school children, and the subsequent disorder which was only quelled with the assistance of some 2,000 Government troops; and the fracas between Chinese and Japanese at Foochow on November 16. During the first half of the month the enthusiasm for the boycott movement locally had been distinctly on the wane, but the latter incident served to re-kindle a strong Anti-Japanese feeling among students and their followers. So far as purely local politics were concerned additional impetus was given during November to the agitation for Chinese representation on the Council. About the middle of the month the Amalgamated Association of Street Unions—the organization which has taken the initiative in the campaign—issued and distributed a booklet containing an anonymous revision of the Settlement Land Regulations. At the same time a canvass was made of all shopkeepers in the Settlement who were asked to chop a document signifying their support. The majority did so, but their pledge of support must be understood to refer rather to the broad question of representation than to the very largely fanciful and extravagant proposals contained in the booklet. In this connexion it is interesting to note that some of the leading Chinese in the Settlement are not slow to condemn the folly of a few people—foreigners as well as their own countrymen—who appear to be exploiting the situation for their own ends.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 459 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 149 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 173 records were received from the French Police out of which number 92 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For Identification | 632 |
| Identified | 241 |
| Percentage | .38 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 10 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 37 |
| | 47 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 18.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 261 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 49 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 52 | *Second offenders.* |
| 26 | *Third offenders.* |
| 8 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 63 | *Habitual offenders* (serious). |
| 459 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for November.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. | Tls. 1,941.07 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 941.53 |
| Total | Tls. 999.54 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. 999.54 |

Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.

A. HILTON JOHNSON,
*Acting Commissioner of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

1.—*Offences against the person:*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Assault | 3 |
| Causing grievous bodily harm | 1 |

2.—*Offences Against Property:*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Larceny | 2 |

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3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:—*

*Breach of Licensing Bye-laws or of License Conditions:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dogs | 2 |
| Liquor | 1 |
| Motor Cars | 3 |

*Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Fire-arms | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 8 |
| Unlawfully discharging fire-arms | 1 |
| 4.—*Miscellaneous Cases* | 1 |
| Total | 18 |

| *Not Charged:* | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,437 | 1,437 |
| Others | 49 | 808 | 857 |
| Total | 49 | 2,245 | 2,294 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cautioned | 2 |
| Fined | 9 |
| Imprisonment | 3 |
| Remanded | 4 |
| Total | 18 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY

on November 30.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 5 |
| Louza Station | 24 |
| Hongkew Station | 12 |
| Harbin Road Station | 6 |
| West Hongkew Station | 6 |
| Wayside Station | 2 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 4 |
| Sinza Station | 4 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 4 |
| Gordon Road Station | 7 |
| Gaol | 1,479 |
| Reformatory | 67 |
| Total | 1,620 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 638 | 376 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 638 | 376 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN

November 1 and November 28.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 41,883.48 |
| Recovered | 10,776.98 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 31. 10. 19. | 45 | 313 |
| Captured | 268 | |
| Returned | 60 | 313 |
| Killed | 228 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 3 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 22 | |

## Report of Commissioner of Public Works for November.

Asphaltic road construction practically ceased at the end of the month, with the setting in of the cold weather. A satisfactory programme has been carried out during the last seven months, the greater portion of the Central District roads, east of Kiangse Road, having been reconstructed with asphaltic concrete. Peking Road from Fokien Road to Thibet Road has also been so reconstructed in order to form an extended route for the railless car system.

*Roads.*—Asphaltic concrete has been laid in Hankow Road from Kiangse Road to The Bund.

The raising and forming of Bubbling Well Road from Siccawei Road to Tifeng Road has been completed.

The ballasting and metalling of Kirin Road east of Thorburn Road has been completed.

The raising of Linching Road from Yangtszepoo Road to Pingliang Road is in hand.

The raising of Tsitsihar Road north of Ward Road, preparatory to the ballasting and metalling of a 12 feet strip has been completed.

The ballasting and metalling of a 12 ft. wide strip of Yochow Road east of Cadastral Lot 980 E. has been completed.

The following roads are being surfaced with asphaltum:—

Thorburn Road from Ward Road to Baikal Road

Pingliang Road from Macgregor Road to Whashing Road.

*Bundings.*—The construction of the concrete bunding in Dixwell Road for a section between Broadway East and East Seward Road is completed.

The construction of the cofferdam for the concrete bunding in West Soochow Road east of Cadastral Lot 731 W is completed.

*Drainage.*—The construction of the 3-ft. diameter culvert in Gordon Road north of Macao Road and in Macao Road west of Gordon Road has been completed. The culvert in Gordon Road is being continued through to the Soochow Creek viâ Ichang Road so as to provide a deviation to the creek that at present runs along Ichang Road and east of Gordon Road. This creek will be duly filled in on the completion of the work.

A 12-in. diameter sewer is being laid in Bubbling Well Road west of Ferry Road where the widening of the former road is being carried out.

The culverting of the Singkeipang from Singkeipang Road to Dent Road has been constructed for about two-thirds of its length.

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

*General.*

*New Central Offices.*—The extensions on the third floor are now completed. The internal plastering of the buildings generally is proceeding and the electrical work is well in hand.

*Fire Brigade.*

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—The excavation for foundations is proceeding.

*Fire Brigade Workshops.*—The erection of this building is proceeding steadily. The brick walls are up to a height of about 8 feet and the falsework and steel for the internal columns have been erected.

*Central Fire Station.*—The truck-house doors are being entirely renewed.

*Police Force.*

*Goal—Alteration to Deport Block.*—The concrete work of the new cells is practically completed.

*Volunteer Corps.*

*Rifle Range.*—The work of straightening and raising the wooden shield on top of the Stop Butt is nearing completion.

*Electricity Department.*

*Park Road Substation.*—The construction of this building has been completed, excepting the iron doors and latch covers.

*Woochang Road Substation.*—Concrete work has been completed to the level of the first floor and centering is in place for the walls of the second storey.

*Central Offices Substation.*—Concrete work has been completed to the level of the ground floor, and brickwork commenced for the first storey.

*Tonquin Road Substation.*—Centering is in place for the roof, and concrete completed for the third storey columns. Brickwork for the curtain walls of the first storey has been completed.

*Riverside Power Station.*—Demolition of the air filter house has been commenced, preparatory to the construction of the new office building and switch house which covers the site occupied by the air filter house.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—522 tong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected cartloads | 4,280 |
| Used for raising land | 474 |
| Water used for street watering | 4,974,400 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,541 |
| Artisans | 365 |
| Foremen | 241 |
| Mafoos | 159 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 20,147 pieces |
| Machine made | 2,230 ,, |
| | 22,377 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 187 admissions during the month and 180 bundles of wood chopped and 250 cubic feet of stone broken.

*New Buildings.*

Summary of work done during the month:—

| *Description of work* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 342 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 95 |
| Plans approved | 63 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Inspections by Inspectors | 3,317 |
| Boundary walls erected | 379 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 2 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 14 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 42 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

***Survey Work.***

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 61 |
| Boundary stone certificates issued | 27 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 27 |
| New lots put under taxation | 16 |
| Assessed value of land placed under taxation | Tls. 31,815 |
| Official plans prepared | 31 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 172 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 190 |
| Surveys made in connexion with Road Widenings and/or Extensions | 69 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 61 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Central District | 12 |
| Eastern " | 6 |
| Western " | 9 |

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

**Smallpox.**

FREE VACCINATION

will be done at the Branch Health Offices as follows :

FOR CHINESE.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 679 | Yangtszepoo Road | Mondays | 3.30 | p.m. |
| 1581 | Seward " | " | 2.30 | " |
| 2668 | " " | " | 2.15 | " |
| 534 | E. Hanbury " | " | 2.00 | " |
| | Hongkew Market | Tuesdays | 2.15 | " |
| 42 | Woosung Road | " | 2.00 | " |
| 797 | Purdon " | " | 2.30 | " |
| 567 | N. Fokien " | " | 2.45 | " |
| 200 | N. Thibet " | " | 3.00 | " |
| 462 | Fokien " | Thursdays | 2.30 | " |
| 23 | Hankow " | " | 2.00 | " |
| 1622 | Sinza " | Fridays | 2.45 | " |
| 385 | Mohawk " | " | 2.00 | " |
| 1019 | Markham " | " | 2.30 | " |

FOR FOREIGNERS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1581 | Seward Road | Mondays | 4 | p.m. |
| 42 | Woosung Road | Tuesdays | 4 | " |
| 23 | Hankow " | Thursdays | 3.15 | " |

DO NOT DELAY.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Summary of Revenue for November**

| Description | Estimate for 1919 | 1919 | | | 1918 | | | 1917 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 |
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,054,630 | — | 28,795.19 | 1,020,748.67 | — | 3,704.62 | 888,353.21 | — | 17,677.02 | 784,267.86 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 795 850 | — | 91,268.61 | 756,301.65 | — | 65,650.10 | 627,754.58 | — | 53,739.19 | 588,715.91 |
| Chinese | 1,182,480 | — | 121,300.16 | 1,070 040.10 | — | 59,618.48 | 944,544.12 | — | 79,337.97 | 940,147.91 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | — | 1,320.40 | — | 45.50 | 1,356.95 | — | 1.43 | 1,328.78 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 220,000 | — | — | 186,593.00 | — | — | 141,555.33 | — | — | 152,147.67 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17.000 | 5 | 304.00 | 15,392.50 | 6 | 327.00 | 16,503.70 | 2 | 98.00 | 18,417.00 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 24,000 | 7 | 362.50 | 24,250.00 | 2 | 150.00 | 23,675 00 | 3 | 187.50 | 23,736.46 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 400 | — | — | 552.00 | 1 | 8.00 | 424.00 | 1 | 1.50 | 484.50 |
| Eating House | 9,000 | 554 | 1,460.93 | 9,038.15 | 392 | 1,203.59 | 8,348 86 | 481 | 1,147.02 | 6,334.48 |
| Chinese Club | 4,500 | 1 | 25.00 | 5,070.90 | 3 | 54 20 | 4,095.90 | 3 | 50.00 | 4,441.70 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13 000 | — | — | 11.898 50 | 2 | 18.00 | 12,605.00 | 1 | 10.00 | 13,369 00 |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36 000 | 875 | 6,661 50 | 34,657.10 | 560 | 4,625 00 | 34,038.50 | 582 | 4,215 00 | 35,101 54 |
| Tea-shop | 16.000 | 628 | 1,288.50 | 15,257.00 | 649 | 1,369 00 | 14,743.50 | 674 | 1,348.50 | 15,682.25 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 6,500 | 115 | 817.77 | 6,737.02 | 15 | 102.12 | 6,238.28 | 27 | 194.48 | 6,428.38 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,000 | 13 | 429.00 | 5,638 00 | 10 | 380.00 | 3,942.50 | 24 | 513.00 | 6,037.00 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 13 | 609.00 | 7,719.00 | 18 | 693.00 | 7,188.00 | 14 | 675.00 | 8,087.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 2,500 | 15 | 204.00 | 2,790.00 | 12 | 175.00 | 2.092.00 | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 29,000 | — | — | 24,701.89 | — | — | 22,191.88 | — | — | 20,663.48 |
| Exchange Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Opium-shop | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 45,390.00 |
| Tobacco Shop | 500 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,000 | 871 | 570.12 | 5,963.17 | 763 | 443.66 | 5,626 96 | 915 | 555.77 | 5,494.95 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,100 | 63 | 95.13 | 1,024.08 | 66 | 95.70 | 1,046.59 | 64 | 92.93 | 1,000.49 |
| Launch | 3,300 | 33 | 66.00 | 3,587.00 | 30 | 60.00 | 3,176 00 | 33 | 66.00 | 3,149.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1.678 | 408 83 | 4,175.22 | 1,257 | 301 12 | 3,779 69 | 1,546 | 370.23 | 3,923.66 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 176 | 132.27 | 905.22 | 150 | 108 67 | 844.30 | 164 | 118.41 | 945.15 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 11,500 | P. 30 C. 13 | 71.39 | 10,438.06 | P. 59 C. 19 | 143.54 | 11,396.72 | P. 133 C. 21 | 204.80 | 12,166.72 |
| Livery Stable | 12,000 | P. 265 C. 246 | 932.81 | 11,198.04 | P. 405 C. 256 | 1,037.21 | 11,206.31 | P. 395 C. 242 | 981.36 | 11,170.84 |
| Motor Car & Motor Bicycle | 45,000 | 132 | 1,080.53 | 50 686 67 | 68 | 513.77 | 39,455 63 | 33 | 633.27 | 30,024.47 |
| Cart | 31,500 | 2,263 | 3,193.50 | 33.447.50 | 1,774 | 2,550 50 | 28,830.00 | 1,734 | 2,482.50 | 27,993.00 |
| Private Ricsha | 55,000 | 181 | 278.74 | 57,590.59 | 155 | 243.21 | 53 016.19 | 160 | 249.93 | 48,497.16 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,899 50 | 128,139 55 | 8,000 | 11,704.65 | 127,274.57 | 8,000 | 11,529.55 | 125,455.11 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 7 | 10.64 | 125.28 | 3 | 8.63 | 130.93 | 34 | 32.41 | 177.90 |
| Wheel-barrow | 50,000 | 9,665 | 4,835.57 | 46,933.33 | 7,999 | 4,005 38 | 44,392.83 | 8,688 | 4,348.80 | 45,659.44 |
| Firearms | 500 | — | — | 225.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 300 00 | 1 | 75.00 | 450 00 |
| Dog | 3,500 | 116 | 432.06 | 6,776.70 | 64 | 92.72 | 3,473.64 | 61 | 88.04 | 3,653.85 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 111,240 | 6,255 | 10,189.23 | 103,294.66 | 5,947 | 9,411.53 | 100,165 02 | 6,133 | 9,568.41 | 88,744.19 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | — | 410.00 | — | 130.00 | 520.00 | — | — | 390.00 |
| Firemen's Quarters | 3,100 | — | — | 805.50 | — | 316.00 | 2,255.00 | — | 297.00 | 2,108.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 5,820 | — | 425.00 | 4,818.78 | — | 415.00 | 4,815.00 | — | 445.00 | 4,895.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 41.28 | 1,607.10 | — | 15.32 | 1,321.26 | — | 25.32 | 446.48 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 33.700 | — | — | 26,003.60 | — | — | 32,362.34 | — | — | 33,252.57 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1 000 | — | — | 750.00 | — | — | 750.00 | — | — | 750.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co. Ld. | 7.330 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 5,332.00 |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 50,000 | — | — | 41,846 00 | — | — | 35,431.91 | — | — | 33,272.57 |
| Electricity Department | 242 000 | — | — | 242,000.00 | — | — | 364,000.00 | — | — | 41,460.00 |
| Convict Labour | 12,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concreteware Manufactory | 10,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 5,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,296,530 | | 288,188.76 | 3,988,788.43 | | 169,795.22 | 3,642,553.70 | | 191,360.34 | 3,201,193.47 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Superintendent of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局經全價或幾份本局自有權利

二 所有承攬價目雖是極低本局亦有權利未定准經本局認定後之用款本局不認付

三 擇定之後該承攬人到局保證承辦人自行估價之後其遵照合同辦理

四 所有承攬各人之館及承攬之價目以後登入本局公報俾人知悉

五 所有取閱試驗清單須付錢則本局必將其錢數在此單內登明

六 所有承攬信函必須用漆封固加蓋火印項工料等物必於信面寫明送至江西路二十四號工部局總辦處在定期日上午十時之前送交信箱或由挂號信送來最善此次概免交驗明

後仍將該款一律退還

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單費

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 146 | Supply of Firewood 40,000 to 50,000 lb. per mensem during 1920 | — | December 12 |
| 147 | Convicts' Food, in the following quantities monthly, from January 1, 1920 :— Rice (Unpolished) (200-lb. per picul) 320 piculs; Wheat (133 „ „ ) 50 „; Beans, flat (133 „ „ ) 50 „; „ red (133 „ „ ) 35 „ — For 3 or 6 months | — | December 15. Tenders should be accompanied by samples. |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2655.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2663.**

**AMMUNITION, FIREARMS AND EXPLOSIVES.**

**(Sale or Manufacture)**

THE following amendment to Condition No. 2 of the Licence conditions will be enforced with effect from December 8:—

2.—"That the licensee keep a register in which shall be entered a full and accurate description giving manufacturer's name, number and/or other mark of identification stamped thereon of each and every firearm imported, received, loaned or sold, the date of each transaction and the name and address of the purchaser."

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 4, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2665.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 25, 26, and 27, 1919, and on Thursday and Friday, January 1 and 2, 1920.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 11, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2666.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FOREIGN CHILDREN.**

THE schools will reopen on Tuesday, January 6, at 8.30 a.m., with the exception of the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys which will reopen on Wednesday, January 7, at 9 o'clock a.m.

The attention of parents is directed to the following scale of monthly fees:—

*Public School for Boys.*

200 North Szechuen Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Boys over 10 years of age | $12 |
| Boys under 10 years of age | 8 |
| Extra Subject:— | |
| Shorthand | 2 |

*Public School for Girls.*

28 Boone Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Girls over 10 years of age | $12 |
| Girls under 10 years of age | 8 |
| Boys under 8 years of age | 8 |
| Kindergarten | 5 |
| Extra Subjects:— | |
| Piano | 5 |

24 Kungping Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Children under 8 years of age | $8 |
| Kindergarten children | 5 |

88 Avenue Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Girls over 10 years of age | $12 |
| Girls under 10 years of age | 8 |
| Boys under 8 years of age | 8 |
| Kindergarten children | 5 |

Admission to the Avenue Road School is restricted to girls under 15 years of age and to boys under 8 years of age. Admission to the Kungping Road School is restricted to girls and boys under 8 years of age.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*

63 Haskell Road, and

*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*

15 Boone Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Upper School, Boarders | $20 |
| Upper School, Day Scholars | 6 |
| Lower School, Boarders | 18 |
| Lower School, Day Scholars | 5 |

Kindergarten children in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls will be charged the same rates as for the Lower School.

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The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions:—

| For a family of | Public Schools | Thomas Hanbury Schools |
|---|---|---|
| 2 children | 20% | $1.20 |
| 3 or more children | 33⅓% | 2.00 |

Children of non-resident parents, unless already in attendance at the schools, will not be admitted. The term *non-resident* implies residence in Shanghai of less than six months.

Forms for the admission of new pupils may be obtained on application at the several schools, and should be presented by the new pupils themselves, when attending at the Schools for examination and admission on Friday, January 2, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., except in the case of the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys for which the hours of attendance will be Wednesday, January 7, at 9 a.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 18, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2667.
### PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENTS.

THE Council's attention has been drawn to the fact that certain public entertainments have recently been held without a licence: the attention of the Public is therefore directed to Bye-law XXXIV attached to the Land Regulations which prohibits the holding of any entertainment, to which the public are admitted, without a licence first obtained from the Council.

This regulation includes theatrical performances, concerts, exhibitions, dances, etc.; and the Police have directions to prevent the holding of any such entertainment unless licensed.

To obviate inconvenience application should be made at least five clear days before the entertainment is to be held, upon a form to be obtained on application from the Revenue Office.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 18, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Health Committee held on Thursday, December 11, 1919, at 2 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. H. A. J. Macray (*Chairman*)
S. J. Halse
Dr. J. W. Jackson
Mr. W. P. Lambe
Dr. R. J. Marshall

The meeting adjourned at 2.45 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Friday, December 12, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, December 12, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
L. E. Canning
Mrs. D. Henman
Messrs. S. C. Lin
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mr. W. D. McCallum

The meeting adjourned at 7 o'clock, p.m.

AT the special meeting of the Watch Committee held on Monday, December 15, 1919, at 12.15 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
H. A. J. Macray

*Absent:*
Mr. W. P. Lambe

The meeting adjourned at 12.40 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, December 15, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. W. L. Merriman (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard

The meeting adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Volunteer Corps Commission held on Tuesday, December 16, 1919, at 5 o'clock p.m., there were:

*Present:*
Rev. J. R. Hykes (*Chairman*)
Messrs. R. E. S. Gregson
S. J. Halse
Colonel M. H. Logan
Mr. C. G. S. Mackie

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, December 17, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 6.05 p.m.

### Volunteer Corps.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, the commissions of the following are authorized for renewal:—

*Reserve of Officers.*—Lieut. S. B. Neill, from June 1, 1919.

*Chinese Company.*—Lieut. T. A. Zee, from September 16, 1919.

*Japanese Company.*—Capt. T. Yamauchi, from December 12, 1919.

*Customs Company.*—Capt. H. D. Hilliard, from December 12, 1919.

*Reserve of Officers.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, the promotion of Lieut. A. J. Stewart to be Captain is authorized.

Leave is granted to Captain A. J. Stewart from January 5, 1920 to August 30, 1920.

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Correspondence with the American Consul-General in reference to the loan by the American Government of two Gatling guns.

Shanghai, January 22, 1918.

SIR,—With reference to the matter of two Gatling guns which have been forwarded to me by the American War Department, through our Department of State, I would appreciate the views of the Council regarding the turning over of the same in the following sense:

"That the Gatling guns in question be turned over to the Shanghai Municipal Council with the understanding that the same are loaned for use in connexion with the S.V.C. and that they be manned by American officers and men so long as there is any American contingent in the Corps, a report regarding their condition to be made annually to this Consulate-General."

Very respectfully yours,
THOMAS SAMMONS,
*American Consul-General.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council

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Council Room,
Shanghai, January 31, 1918.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of January 22, on the subject of the loan by the American Government to the Council of two Gatling Guns for use by the American Company of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps.

In reply, I have the honour to convey to you an expression of my colleagues' appreciation of this generous offer which they cordially accept on the conditions stated in your letter, on the understanding that the guns will be mounted on small field carriages for man handling and that the men required to man them will be an additional strength to the Corps.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

THOMAS SAMMONS, Esq.,
American Consul-General.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, December 15, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to refer to my letter of January 31, 1918, notifying acceptance of the American Government's offer to loan to the Council two Gatling guns for the use of the American Company of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps, and to inform you that these guns which have been mounted on small carriages for man handling so as to render them a valuable addition to the armament of the Corps have now been taken into use.

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I have the honour to reiterate the Council's expression of appreciation of this very generous loan by the American Government.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C PEARCE,
*Chairman*

E. S. CUNNINGHAM, Esq.,
American Consul-General.

### Police Force.

*Foreign Branch Quarters.*—The lease from Messrs. Lester, Johnson and Morriss of No. 1 Wongkashaw Gardens has been renewed for a further period of three years terminating on November 30, 1922.

The leases from Messrs. The Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld., of Nos. 2 West End Lane and 10 Park Lane have been renewed for a further period of three years terminating on December 31, 1922.

### Public Lighting.

*Siccawei Road.*—It has been decided to replace one of the gas lamps in this road by a centrally suspended 100 c.p. metallic filament lamp at a saving of Tls. 4.25 per annum.

### Semaphore Service.

The following statement of accounts of the service is forwarded by the French Council in accordance with the arrangement made in 1897:—

(*Translation.*)

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS, 1919

| | Tls. | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| *Semaphore Service* | | |
| Foreign Staff | 4,171.77 | |
| Chinese " | 1,082.50 | |
| Subscription to the Observatory | 390.00 | |
| Telephone Subscription | 285.00 | |
| *Miscellaneous Expenses* | | |
| Lighting | 120.34 | |
| Offices Heating | 60.90 | |
| Locomotion expenses for employes | 185.85 | |
| Coolies' extras | 35.39 | |
| Stationery | 107.31 | |
| Making Flags (tailors) | 27.60 | |
| Furniture maintenance | 50.83 | |
| Purchase of bunting and halyards | 199.27 | |
| Purchase of bicycle and repairs | 100.56 | |
| Petty cash | 31.06 | |
| | | 6,848.38 |
| *Meteorological Signal Service* | | |
| Foreign Staff | 7,940.00 | |
| Chinese " | 330.00 | |
| Telephone Service | 80.00 | |
| Lighting and electric motor | 487.76 | |
| *Miscellaneous Expenses* | | |
| Office heating (coal and gas) | 192.50 | |
| Purchase of 20 "Electros relays" | 115.24 | |
| Purchase of 1 turbine, 3 turbines, etc. | 263.27 | |
| Maintenance of stock | 87.60 | |
| Staff locomotion and stationery | 268.31 | |
| Purchase of typewriter (Oliver) | 125.00 | |
| | | 9,889.68 |
| Total expenses for the year | Tls. | 16,738.06 |
| Of which one-half to be reimbursed by the Municipal Council | Tls. | 8,369.03 |

P. LEGENDRE,
*Secretary,*
*French Municipal Council.*

Shanghai, December 8, 1919.

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Inspector J. Burnside from January 1, 1920.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to Inspector M. McLennan from May 10, 1920.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. Newcomb, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Boys, is permitted to terminate her service on December 31.

Mr. J. J. Pope is appointed Assistant Master in the Public School for Boys under agreement from December 2.

Mr. W. H. S. Hatten, Assistant Master on probation in the Public School for Boys, is transferred to be temporary Assistant Master in the Public School for Chinese from December 3.

*Secretariat.*—Captain S. H. Lewis is appointed Assistant Secretary under agreement from December 6.

*Revenue Office.*—Long leave is granted to Collector D. Sullivan from April 1, 1920.

### Return of Communicable Disease

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, December 14, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 873,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 20 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 10 | 175 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Smallpox.

FREE VACCINATION

will be done at the Branch Health Offices as follows:

FOR CHINESE.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 679 | Yangtszepoo Road | | Mondays | 3.30 p.m. |
| 1581 | Seward | " | " | 2.30 " |
| 2668 | " | " | " | 2.15 " |
| 534 | E. Hanbury | " | " | 2.00 " |
| | Hongkew Market | | Tuesdays | 2.15 " |
| 42 | Woosung Road | | " | 2.00 " |
| 797 | Purdon | " | " | 2.30 " |
| 567 | N. Fokien | " | " | 2.45 " |
| 200 | N. Thibet | " | " | 3.00 " |
| 462 | Fokien | " | Thursdays | 2.30 " |
| 23 | Hankow | " | " | 2.00 " |
| 1622 | Sinza | " | Fridays | 2.45 " |
| 385 | Mohawk | " | " | 2.00 " |
| 1019 | Markham | " | " | 2.30 " |

FOR FOREIGNERS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1581 | Seward Road | | Mondays | 4 p.m. |
| 42 | Woosung Road | | Tuesdays | 4 " |
| 23 | Hankow | " | Thursdays | 3.15 " |

DO NOT DELAY.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| Unreg. W of 464 | Boone | Palmer & Turner | 1 | | |
| 682 | N. Szechuen and Boone | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | addns. |
| 980 | Yochow | Yah Sue Kee | | 1 | |
| Unreg. W of 871 | E. Yuhang | Woo Yung Loong | | 1 | |
| 4985 | Ichang | Nagai Wata Kaisha | | | addns. |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 266 | Shantung | Lee Tai Kee | 5 | | |
| 226 | Singdongkaloong | Chang Yuen Kee | 12 | | |
| Unreg. E of 460 | Hailar | King Kee | 12 | | |
| Unreg. E of 7460 | Seoul | Zee Tsze Shing | 4 | | |
| Unreg. N of 7460 | do. | do. | 3 | | |
| Unreg. E of 340 | Yalu and Wuchow | Chu Ming Tsong | 2 | | |
| Unreg. S of 980 | Yochow | Wong King Kee | 3 | | |

### Public Band.

On Sunday next, December 21, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

FIFTH CONCERT:

'Soloist: F. SMIT, Violinist'

1.—Prelude du Poeme Biblique "Le Deluge" Saint-Saëns (Strings only)

2.—"*Le Rouet d'Omphale*" Poeme Symphonique Saint-Saëns

3.—Introduction et Rondo Capriccioso for Violin with Orchestra Saint-Saëns
Soloist: F. SMIT

4.—(*a*) Andante
(*b*) Allegro con grazia from "Symphonie Pathetique" Tschaikowsky

5.—Faust—Phantasie for Violin with Orchestra Wieniawsky
Soloist: F. SMIT

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

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### Concreteware Manufactory.

The following is the price list of drain pipes and other articles manufactured. The prices quoted are ex Depôt in Fearon Road near Range Road. Applications for delivery orders should be made at the Public Works Office, 7A The Bund.

| Size | Length | Description | Price in Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12″ | 2′0″ | Pipes (machine made) | 0.80 |
| 9″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.60 |
| 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.40 |
| 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.28 |
| 12″ x 9″ | 2′0″ | Junctions | 1.60 |
| 12″ x 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.45 |
| 12″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.35 |
| 9″ x 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.15 |
| 9″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.05 |
| 6″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 0.80 |
| 6″ | | Knuckle Bends 90° | 0.50 |
| 4″ | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| 6″ | | Bends (long) 45° | 0.50 |
| 4″ | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. A. (without cover) | 0.40 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Yard Gullies Fig. B. (without cover) | 1.25 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.25 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.60 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. C. (without cover) | 0.45 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Revolving Top Gullies incl. C.I. cover | 0.75 |
| 3′ 0″x2′0″ | 3′0″ | Egg-shaped Tubes | 4.50 |
| 2′ 3″x1′6″ | 3′0″ | ,, ,, | 3.10 |
| 1′ 6″x1′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, ,, | 1.70 |
| 3′ 0″ | 3′0″ | Circular Tubes } Price on application | |
| 4′ 6″ | 4′0″ | ,, ,, } | |
| | 3′0″ | Inverts for 12″ pipes | 0.80 |
| 3′ 0″x2′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 2.20 |
| 2′ 3″x1′6″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 1.75 |
| 1′ 6″x1′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 0.85 |
| 3′ 0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Circular Tubes | 4.10 |
| 2′ 0″x2′0″ | 1′0″ | Manhole shafts (large) | 3.00 |
| 2′ 0″x2′0″ | 6″ | ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| 1′ 5″x1′5″ | 6″ | ,, Top Frames | 2.55 |
| 3′10″x1′4″ | 5¾″ | ,, Slabs (large) | 2.90 |
| 3′ 0″x1′5″ | 2¾″ | ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| | | ,, Bricks No. 34a | 0.03½ |
| | | ,, ,, 34b | 0.03½ |
| | | Blind manhole cover (large) | 2.50 |
| | | Blind manhole cover (small) | 1.00 |
| 1′ 6″x1′4″ | 12″ | Street Pot Gullies (bottom) } | 6.50 |
| | | Street Pot Gullies (top) } | |
| 5″ x 2″ | 4′0″ | Kerbs | 0·90 |
| 5″ x 4″ | 4′0″ | Channels | 0·90 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 3′3″ | Pavement Tubes | 1.20 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 2′3″ | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4″ | 9″ | ,, Sockets | 0.38 |
| 3″ | 9″ | ,, ,, | 0.38 |
| 4′0″ x 2′0″ | | Kitchen Sinks | 5.50 |
| 2′6″ x 2′0″ | | ,, ,, | 4.00 |
| 12″ x 4″ | 3′0″ | Boundary Stones | 2.65 |
| | 2′ | M. C. R. Stones | 0.85 |
| | 4′ | ,, ,, | 1.00 |
| 4′0″ x 1′6″ | | Grave Slabs per set of 6 | 9.00 |
| 4′0″ x 1′0″ | | ,, ,, 2 | 2.10 |
| | 18′ | Bearing Pile } Prices on application | |
| | 14′ | ,, ,, | |
| | 10′ | Sheet Pile | |
| | 7′6″ | ,, ,, | |
| | | Fence Post | |
| | | Ridge Tile | 0.27 |
| | | Square Tile | 0.05½ |
| | 2′5¾″ | Sidewalk Slab } Prices on application | |
| | 1′11¾″ | ,, ,, | |
| | 0 11¾″ | ,, ,, | |

### Public Library.

The Library, situated at the north-west corner of the Town Hall, is open *To the Public* without charge as a Reading Room from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. To *Subscribers* for the exchange of books from 9 a.m to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

The subscription is as follows:—

$16 per year
9 ,, half-year.
5 ,, quarter.
2 ,, month.

Subscribers are entitled to the loan of four books at a time and in addition certain magazines are provided for circulation, of which one at a time is allowed to each subscriber.

It contains about 14,250 volumes, of which some 7,500 are devoted to Fiction; 2,600 to Travel and History; 1,720 to Biography and the rest to Scientific and General subjects. Additions to these are made constantly.

Residents desirous of subscribing should communicate with the Librarian at the Town Hall.

### Decorations.

The Council's stock of flags may be hired for decorative purposes; the scale of charges as below is in force, with a minimum charge of $5. Applications should be made and delivery taken at the Public Works Department, 7A The Bund; two days' notice of requirements should be given. Any flags lost or damaged will be charged for.

*4 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*

Union Jack, Australia, Canada, India, United States of America, Belgium, France, Italy, Russia, Portugal, Japan, China, Servia, Roumania, Montenegro $0.40 each

*3 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*

Union Jack, Red, White and Blue Ensigns, Australia, Canada, Ceylon, Hongkong, India, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, New Zealand, Queensland, Straits Settlements, South Australia, New South Wales and Western Australia. United States of America, Belgium, Denmark, France, Holland, Italy, Japan, China, Mexico, Montenegro, Norway, Portugal, Russia, Servia, Spain, and Sweden $0.25 each

*2 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*

Union Jack, Red, White and Blue Ensigns, St. George's, St. Andrew's and St. Patrick's Crosses, Australia, Canada, India, Ireland, New South Wales, New Zealand, Queensland, Scotland, Victoria and Wales. United States of America, France, Belgium, Italy, Portugal, Russia, Japan, China, Servia, Montenegro $0.10 each

*Banners*, 9-ft. by 3-ft., fitted with pole, ornament and cord $0.15 each

*Banners*, 5-ft. by 3-ft., fitted with stick $0.10 each

*3-ft. Pennants* on lines $0.05 for ten

### Municipal Publications.

The undermentioned publications may be obtained upon application at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund:—

Land Regulations and Bye-laws for the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, North of the Yangkingpang... 1907 $1.00

Handbook of Local Regulations. Containing Land Regulations and Bye-laws, conditions, security and fees attached to the issue of licences; Municipal Regulations and other information ... ... 1918 $2.50

Annual Reports and Financial Statements for the following years, with the Budget for the year ensuing ... 1907-1918 each 4.00

Reports of Ratepayers' Meetings ... 1878-1909 each 0.10

Land Assessment Schedules. Containing the consular and cadastral numbers of lots, registered owners, areas and values, with plans in four parts, one to each district... 1916 each $1.50

Rules with respect to New Foreign and Chinese Buildings ... ... 1918 1.00

Plans accompanying Land Assessment Schedules 1916 each 1.00

Plan of Shanghai. Shewing Foreign and French Settlements, and surrounding districts. Size 4′ 4″ × 2′ 3″. Scale 1,000 feet 1913.
Unmounted ... ... Tls. 5.00
Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... 7.00

Plan of the Country North of Foreign Settlement of Shanghai Shewing existing roads and consular lots. Size 9′ 0″ × 4′ 10″. Scale 200 feet ... 1907.
Unmounted ... ... Tls. 20.00
Mounted on linen... 27.00
Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... 35.50

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承認全份工程

二 所有承攬份本局有權利

三 未定必承攬價目是極低亦有辦人局付

四 行估價之用款本局如不承認辦人自

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六 所有承攬人到局之後保該承攬人違照合同辦理的實保

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

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信送時之前辦處須在定期二十四號信工

部局總明至江西路二等封固加蓋火

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## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 192 | Hardware Sundries for the twelve months ending December 31, 1920 | Tls. 5 | December 29 |
| 193 | Gun Metal and Brass Castings for the twelve months ending December 31, 1920 | — | do. |
| 194 | Cast Iron Castings for the twelve months ending December 31, 1920 Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | — | do. |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 1 — 55,000 bottles Milk

| | |
|---|---|
| Wa Sing Kong Tze | 25 cents per bottle |
| Inshallah Dairy Farm | 20 cents do. |
| *Riverside Dairy Farm | 17 cents do. |
| Maple Cottage Dairy | 6 bottles for $1.00 |
| Bubbling Well Dairy | 8 bottles for $1.00 |

Tender No. 3 — 2,300-lbs. Best Cube Sugar

| | |
|---|---|
| Wa Sing Kong Tsz | 65 cents per lb. |
| Ching Wah | 17 do. |
| *Saey Tai | 16 do. |

3,800-lbs. Granulated Sugar

| | |
|---|---|
| Wa Sing Kong Tsz | 55 cents per lb. |
| *Saey Tai | 13 do. |

4,800-lbs. Soft, Moist Sugar

| | |
|---|---|
| Wa Sing Kong Tsz | 45 cents per lb. |
| *Saey Tai | 11 do. |

Tender No. 7 — 30,300 Fresh Eggs (Table use)

| | |
|---|---|
| Inshallah Dairy Farm | 40 cents per dozen |
| *Yue Hung Poultry Farm | 25 do. |
| Wa Sing Kong Tsz | 25 do. |

85,800 Cooking Eggs

| | |
|---|---|
| Inshallah Dairy Farm | 30 cents per dozen |
| Wa Sing Kong Tsz | 20 do. |
| *Yue Hung Poultry Farm | 16.6 cents per dozen |

Tender No. 12 — 19,000 galls. Mosquito Mixture

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Asiatic Petroleum Co. | During April, May and October, per gall. | Tls. 0.18 |
| | During June and September ,, | 0.15 |
| | During July and August ,, | 0.13 |

9,000 galls. 'Cross' Oil

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Asiatic Petroleum Co. | per gallon | Tls. 0.26 |

Tender No. 13 — 800 sets Iron Doors and Lids

| | |
|---|---|
| *Wong Yong Kee | $2.94 per set |
| Dzien Zung Hyung | 3.70 ,, |

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## TENDERS RECEIVED *(Cont.)*

## PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

### Annual Contracts for the year ending December 31, 1920

514. *Zung Kee

| | | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Blue bricks 10-in. by 5-in. by 1½-in. | per 1,000 | 6.50 |
| " " 6 " " 3 " " 1½ " | | 1.20 |
| Red " 10 " " 5 " " 2 " | | 7.60 |
| Roof tiles 7 " " 7 " " ½ " | | 1.80 |
| Colouring powder | per 100-lb. | 0.90 |
| Lime | " | 0.70 |
| Paper | " | 0.90 |
| Glue in sheets | " | 4.50 |
| Ningpo sand, coarse | per fong | 6.50 |
| " fine | " | 6.10 |
| Decomposed sand | " | 4.30 |
| Limestone chips | " | 3.60 |
| Soochow granite, 2-in. broken | " | 4.00 |
| " granite chips | " | 4.40 |
| " granite spalls | " | 4.80 |
| Setts | per 1,000 | 5.00 |
| Kerb | per lineal foot | 0.22 |
| Channel | " | 0.22 |
| Broken bricks | per fong | 2.90 |
| Ningpo gravel | " | 5.00 |

Other tenderers are :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Tsong Ming Kee | Shaou Kwang Foo |
| Tsong Chun Lai & Son | Alazi & Co. |
| | Wong Tsung Zi |
| Wei Dah & Co. | Fee Tai Kee |
| Sung Yuen Kee | Yieh Chong |
| Sung Kee | Yen Kee |
| Liu Yuen Kee | Yung Kee |
| Tai Woo & Co. | Sing Kee & Co. |
| Tai Chong | Sing Kee |
| Yung Kee | Chang Kee Dong |
| Dau Shing Kee | Wong Yong Kee |

517. *Kwang Tai & Co.

| | | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Foochow Poles | 9-ft. by 3-in. | 0.15 |
| " | 9 " " 4 " | 0.26 |
| " | 9 " " 5 " | 0.40 |
| " | 10 " " 3 " | 0.26 |
| " | 10 " " 4 " | 0.36 |
| " | 10 " " 5 " | 0.46 |
| " | 10 " " 6 " | 0.60 |
| " | 11 " " 3 " | 0.30 |
| " | 11 " " 4 " | 0.37 |
| " | 11 " " 5 " | 0.50 |
| " | 11 " " 6 " | 0.62 |
| " | 12 " " 3 " | 0.40 |
| " | 12 " " 4 " | 0.50 |
| " | 12 " " 5 " | 0.65 |
| " | 12 " " 6 " | 0.80 |
| " | 13 " " 3 " | 0.35 |
| " | 13 " " 4 " | 0.45 |
| " | 13 " " 5 " | 0.60 |
| " | 13 " " 6 " | 0.80 |
| " | 14 " " 3 " | 0.36 |
| " | 14 " " 4 " | 0.50 |
| " | 14 " " 5 " | 0.68 |
| " | 14 " " 6 " | 1 04 |
| " | 14 " " 7 " | 1.25 |
| " | 15 " " 4 " | 0.70 |
| " | 15 " " 5 " | 0.90 |
| " | 15 " " 6 " | 1.40 |
| " | 15 " " 7 " | 1.70 |
| " | 15 " " 8 " | 2.58 |
| " | 16 " " 5 " | 0.92 |
| " | 16 " " 6 " | 1.40 |
| " | 16 " " 7 " | 1.82 |
| " | 16 " " 8 " | 2.70 |
| " | 16 " " 9 " | 3.45 |
| " | 16 " " 10 " | 4.85 |
| " | 16 " " 11 " | 6.75 |
| " | 16 " " 12 " | 7.80 |
| " | 17 " " 6 " | 1.80 |
| " | 17 " " 7 " | 2.50 |
| " | 17 " " 8 " | 3.50 |
| " | 17 " " 9 " | 4 50 |
| " | 17 " " 10 " | 6.50 |
| " | 17 " " 11 " | 8.20 |
| " | 17 " " 12 " | 9.20 |
| " | 20 " " 7 " | 3.50 |
| " | 20 " " 8 " | 4.00 |
| " | 20 " " 9 " | 6.00 |
| " | 20 " " 10 " | 7.50 |
| " | 20 " " 11 " | 12.00 |
| " | 20 " " 12 " | 16.00 |
| " | 25 " " 7 " | 3.50 |
| " | 25 " " 9 " | 6.50 |
| " | 30 " " 7 " | 4.50 |
| " | 30 " " 9 " | 7.00 |
| " | 30 " " 11 " | 19.00 |
| " | 35 " " 8 " | 8.00 |
| " | 35 " " 10 " | 17.00 |
| " | 40 " " 8 " | 10.00 |
| " | 40 " " 10 " | 20.00 |

Other tenderers are :—

Shun Kee & Co.
Yung Kee
Zien Kee

518. *Koo Yao Kee

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bamboo Brooms (1) | per 100 | 3.86 |
| " (2) | " | 3.35 |
| " (3) | " | 7.00 |
| " (4) | " | 2.50 |
| Bamboo Baskets (1) | " | 32.00 |
| " (2) | " | 7.00 |
| " (3) | " | 2.60 |
| Bamboo Spouts for Watering Buckets | per 100 | 2.00 |
| Bamboo Scrapers | " | 2.50 |
| " Riddles, ¼-in. gauge | " | 16.00 |
| Straw Brushes | per 100 | 1.80 |
| Rope | per lb. | 0.06 |
| Split carrying Bamboos | each | 0.044 |
| Round " | " | 0.086 |
| Bamboo gully scoop handles | " | 0.090 |
| Long Split Bamboos | " | 0.033 |
| Reed mats, double | " | 0.092 |
| " single | " | 0.046 |
| Gully bucket handles | " | 0.036 |
| Rake handles | " | 0.040 |
| Bamboo fencing (a) | per chang | 1.90 |
| " (b) | " | 1.10 |
| " (c) | " | 3.60 |
| " (d) | " | 0.70 |
| " (e) | " | 1.25 |

Also tendered :—

Yung Kee

519. *Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, Ld. Tls.

1,500 ca ks per month, per cask 3.00

Other tenderers are :—

Takata & Co.
Chee Hsin Cement Co., Ltd.
Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha, Ld.
Racine & Co.
Nakazawa & Co.

520. *Dau Shing Kee

Raising Land and Roads

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Northern District | Tls. 1.30 | per fong |
| Eastern " | 1.25 | " |
| Western " | 1.10 | " |

Other tenderers are :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Zung Kee | Zien Kee |
| Yung Kee | Shaou Kwang Foo |
| Wang Tsung Zi | Yieh Chong |
| Wong Hoong Sung | Sung To Kee |
| Sung Soong Kee | Sing Kee |
| Zee Yung Chong | Koo Yao Kee |
| Zee Tai Kee | Wong Yong Kee |

521. *Nee Kee

| Turf delivered at— | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Public Gardens, Soochow Road and Bund foreshores, per fong | 0.48 |
| Central District " | 0.52 |
| Northern " " | 0.52 |
| Eastern " " | 0.52 |
| Western " " | 0.52 |

Other tenderers are :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Yih Loong, Ld. | Zee Zung Kee |
| Zee Yung Chong | Yao King Kee |
| Yung Kee | |

522. *Lee Tse Kee

Flower pots per 100 Tls. 1.10 to 15.30

Also tendered:—

Loh Tuck Kwong

523. *Van Zung Kee

Construction of Private Drains

| | On Roads | Under Tramways | Private Properties |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. per foot | Tls. per foot | Tls. per foot |
| Concrete drains 12-in. | 0.65 | 0.68 | 0.45 |
| | 0.66 | 0.69 | 0.46 |
| " 9-in. | 0.57 | 0.60 | 0.35 |
| | 0.58 | 0.62 | 0.36 |
| " 6-in. | 0.45 | 0.47 | 0.25 |
| | 0.46 | 0.48 | 0.26 |
| " 4-in. | 0.20 | 0.22 | 0.18 |
| | 0.21 | 0.23 | 0.18 |

| | | Each |
|---|---|---|
| Bends K | 6-in. | Tls. 0.60 |
| | 4-in. | 0.40 |
| Junctions 12 by 6-in. | | 0.90 |
| " 12 by 4-in. | | 0.80 |
| " 9 by 6-in. | | 0.75 |
| " 9 by 4-in. | | 0.70 |
| " 6 by 4-in. | | 0.65 |
| " 4 by 4-in. | | 0.60 |
| Yard Gullies | 4-in. | 1.00 |
| " | 6-in. | 2.00 |
| Brick manholes | | 8.00 |

Also tendered :—

Sung Yong Kee

525. *Wong Chun Zien

| | |
|---|---|
| Barging road sweepings | per boat per month Tls. 13.80 |
| Barging other materials | per fong Tls. 1.30 |

Other tenderers are :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Zee Tung Chong | Wong Hoong Sung |
| Koo Yao Kee | Yung Kee |
| Sing Kee | Nee Kee |
| Sung Soong Kee | Zien Kee |
| Fee Tai Kee | Dau Shing Kee |

527. *Standard Oil Co. of New York.

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Petroleum per American gallon | |
| 1st quality | 0.343 |
| 2nd " | 0.256 |
| For Marine Motor Engines | 0.256 |
| Petrol per American gallon | |
| 1st quality | 0.46 |
| 2nd " | 0.429 |

Also tendered :—

Asiatic Petroleum Co., Ld.
Dodwell & Co., Ld.
The Texas Co.

528. *Tai Chong

| | | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Cast Iron Manhole and Gully covers | per 100-lb. | 4.20 |
| Standards for railings | " | 4.20 |
| Pavement tubes | " | 4.60 |
| Machine Shop castings (Iron) | " | 5.00 |
| Machine Shop castings (Brass) | | 42.00 |

530. *W. Z. Zee & Sons

Supply of Stores at Tungchow Road Workshops. Prices as per schedule.

Other tenderers are :—

Yut Sai Chang & Co.
Ching Chong & Co.

531. *Hopkins, Dunn & Co., Ld.

| | | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Japanese Unscreened Coal for delivery at Quarry | per ton | 9.25 |
| Ditto for delivery in Settlement | per ton | 9.00 |
| Kaiping Dust Coal for Workshops | per on | 8.75 |
| No. 1 House Coal | " | 16.50 |
| Best Kitchen | " | 14.25 |
| No. 2 " " | " | 13.25 |
| Charcoal | per picul | 2.00 |
| Firewood | 60 bundles | 0.75 |

*Sun Nee & Co.

| | |
|---|---|
| Japanese Coke | 17.50 |
| Screened Anthracite | 17.50 |

Other tenderers are :—

Old Tung Kee
J. Kong & Co.
Y. S. Kumsoo

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2655.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2669.**

**BYE-LAWS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Bye-laws Nos. XXXIII to XXXVII inclusive, drawn up by the Consular Body, published in the Municipal Gazette of June 26, 1919, and passed and approved at the Special Meeting of Ratepayers held on July 10, 1919, in substitution for the existing Bye-laws Nos. XXXIII to XXXVII inclusive attached to the Land Regulations, have received the sanction of the Foreign Ministers in Peking and that the Council is accordingly vested with the powers thereby conferred.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 25, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2665.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 25, 26, and 27, 1919, and on Thursday and Friday, January 1 and 2, 1920.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 11, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2666.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FOREIGN CHILDREN.**

THE schools will reopen on Tuesday, January 6, at 8.30 a.m., with the exception of the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys which will reopen on Wednesday, January 7, at 9 o'clock a.m.

The attention of parents is directed to the following scale of monthly fees:—

*Public School for Boys.*
200 North Szechuen Road.
Boys over 10 years of age $12
Boys under 10 years of age 8
Extra Subject:—
Shorthand 2

*Public School for Girls.*
28 Boone Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten 5
Extra Subjects:—
Piano 5

24 Kungping Road.
Children under 8 years of age $8
Kindergarten children 5

88 Avenue Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten children 5

Admission to the Avenue Road School is restricted to girls under 15 years of age and to boys under 8 years of age. Admission to the Kungping Road School is restricted to girls and boys under 8 years of age.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*
63 Haskell Road, and

*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*
15 Boone Road.
Upper School, Boarders $20
Upper School, Day Scholars 6
Lower School, Boarders 18
Lower School, Day Scholars 5

Kindergarten children in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls will be charged the same rates as for the Lower School.

The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions:—

| For a family of | Public Schools | Thomas Hanbury Schools |
|---|---|---|
| 2 children | 20% | $1.20 |
| 3 or more children | 33⅓% | 2.00 |

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Children of non-resident parents, unless already in attendance at the schools, will not be admitted. The term *non-resident* implies residence in Shanghai of less than six months.

Forms for the admission of new pupils may be obtained on application at the several schools, and should be presented by the new pupils themselves, when attending at the Schools for examination and admission on Friday, January 2, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., except in the case of the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys for which the hours of attendance will be Wednesday, January 7, at 9 a.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 18, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2667.**
**PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENTS.**

THE Council's attention has been drawn to the fact that certain public entertainments have recently been held without a licence: the attention of the Public is therefore directed to Bye-law XXXIV attached to the Land Regulations which prohibits the holding of any entertainment, to which the public are admitted, without a licence first obtained from the Council.

This regulation includes theatrical performances, concerts, exhibitions, dances, etc.; and the Police have directions to prevent the holding of any such entertainment unless licensed.

To obviate inconvenience application should be made at least five clear days before the entertainment is to be held, upon a form to be obtained on application from the Revenue Office.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 18, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Chinese Educational Committee held on Friday, December 19, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. H. Phillips (*Chairman*)
Chicheh Nieh
Rev. Dr. D. MacGillivray

*Absent:*
Messrs. A. Howard
Shen Tun-ho

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, December 19, 1919, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
L. E. Canning
Mrs. D. Henman
Messrs. W. P. Lambe
S. C. Lin
W. D. McCallum
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer

The meeting adjourned at 6.40 p.m.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION No. 2668.
**HOUSE NUMERATION.**

THE numbering of the houses hereunder specified will be altered on January 1, 1920 as follows:—

| Present Number | | Occupant | New Number | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Jessfield Road | — | 4 | Jessfield Road |
| 2 | ,, | Shen, E. Y. | 11 | ,, |
| 7 | ,, | Day, Y. S. | 16 | ,, |
| 8 | ,, | Adamson, A. Q. | 22 | ,, |
| 9 | ,, | Hall, O. A. | 24 | ,, |
| 10 | ,, | Young Hsu Chu | 26 | ,, |
| 11 | ,, | Gram, T. D. | 28 | ,, |
| 12 | ,, | Huber, E. | 21 | ,, |
| 12A | ,, | Lorden, L. W. C. | 23 | ,, |
| 14 | ,, | Hancock, H. T. | 25 | ,, |
| 15 | ,, | Boyd, Capt. F. | 27 | ,, |
| 15A | ,, | Shah, K. F. | 36 | ,, |
| 15B | ,, | Wen Tsung Yao | 38 | ,, |
| 15C | ,, | Chang Yuan Chi | 40 | ,, |
| 15D | ,, | Wang Yen Wen | 42 | ,, |
| 15E | ,, | Chou Siao Wai | 44 | ,, |
| 15F | ,, | Tsang Zue Kung | 50 | ,, |
| 15G | ,, | ,, | 52 | ,, |
| 16 | ,, | Chang Kee | 59 | ,, |
| 16A | ,, | Fobes, A. S. | 60 | ,, |
| 17 | ,, | Tseng Soong Ling | 66 | ,, |
| 17A | ,, | Tung Woo Dairy | 67 | ,, |
| 18 | ,, | Macgregor, R. | 76 | ,, |
| 19 | ,, | King, W. S. | 90 | ,, |
| 19A | ,, | Mackie, C. G. S. | 89 | ,, |
| 20 | ,, | Gerrsburger, H. | 94 | ,, |
| 1 | Kinnear Road | Denegri, E. | 95 | ,, |
| 24 | Jessfield Road | Davis, W. H. Trenchard | 97 | ,, |
| 25 | ,, | Clark, T. A. | 99 | ,, |
| 25A | ,, | Woo May Kee | 101 | ,, |
| | ,, | ,, | 103 | ,, |
| | ,, | ,, | 105 | ,, |
| | ,, | ,, | 107 | ,, |
| | ,, | ,, | 109 | ,, |
| 26 | ,, | Ollerdessen, Mrs. H. | 111 | ,, |
| 27 | ,, | Nippon Yusen Kaisha | 116 | ,, |
| 20 | Robison Road | Jessfield Hotel | 136 | ,, |
| 28 | Jessfield Road | S'hai Silk Spinning Co. | 138 | ,, |
| 31 | ,, | Lai Tai Flour Mill | 140 | ,, |
| 33 | ,, | Hearne & Co., A. G. | 146 | ,, |
| 35 | ,, | Sin Chong | 161 | ,, |
| 36 | ,, | Lih Nan Kee | 180 | ,, |
| 37 | ,, | St. John's Y. M. C. A. School | 181 | ,, |
| 38 | ,, | American Church Mission | 188 | ,, |
| 40 | ,, | St. John's University | 190 | ,, |
| 4 | Sinza Road | Young Mow Cotton Trading Co., Ld. | B.193 | Sinza Rd. |
| 4A | ,, | Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld. | 6 | ,, |
| 9 | ,, | Chon Tse Sin | 21 | ,, |
| 10 | ,, | Shen, V. K. | 20 | ,, |
| 11 | ,, | Lo Ching Yee | 22 | ,, |
| 12 | ,, | Wong | 26 | ,, |
| 13 | ,, | Chang King Kwan | 28 | ,, |
| 14 | ,, | Chung, K. T. | 29 | ,, |
| 18 | ,, | Liu | 31 | ,, |
| 19 | ,, | Ning, K. C. | 33 | ,, |
| 20 | ,, | Sun | 35 | ,, |
| 21 | ,, | Yamaguchi, N. | 37 | ,, |
| 22 | ,, | Schoch, O. | 39 | ,, |
| 23 | ,, | Lee Tse Thyeu | 41 | ,, |
| 25 | ,, | Hamlyn, Mrs. I. A. | 79 | ,, |
| 26 | ,, | Woo Chong Sea | 81 | ,, |
| 27 | ,, | Wong Kung Kwan | 84 | ,, |
| 28 | ,, | Macdonald & Co., T. | 88 | ,, |
| 29 | ,, | Salmon, E. | 89 | ,, |
| 30 | ,, | Abori, J. | 91 | ,, |
| 31 | ,, | Zung | 96 | ,, |
| 33 | ,, | Chung | 98 | ,, |
| 34 | ,, | Stepharius, C. | 99 | ,, |
| 34A | ,, | Sung Tson Wu | 110 | ,, |
| 35 | ,, | Cheang Park Chew | 112 | ,, |
| 36 | ,, | Kue Yet Zee | 114 | ,, |
| 37 | ,, | — | 116 | ,, |
| 40 | ,, | Yu Yung Su | 118 | ,, |
| 41 | ,, | ,, | 120 | ,, |
| 43 | ,, | Gordon, E. H. | 124 | ,, |
| 44 | ,, | Suguira, M. | 126 | ,, |
| 45 | ,, | Ruthe, W. | 128 | ,, |
| 46 | ,, | Young, C. R. M. | 130 | ,, |

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| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 49 | Sinza Road | McMichael, J. H. | 123 | Sinza Road |
| 49 | ,, | Canning, Mrs. S. | 132 | ,, |
| 49A | ,, | Olsen, Mrs. R. T. | 134 | ,, |
| 50 | ,, | Fullerton, A. R. | 135 | ,, |
| 51 | ,, | The Postal Commissioner | 137 | ,, |
| 52 | ,, | Olsen, Mrs. R. T. | 136 | ,, |
| 55 | ,, | Knight, W. C. H. | 138 | ,, |
| 56 | ,, | Electricity Department | 140 | ,, |
| 57 | ,, | Kodama, K. | 151 | ,, |
| 58 | ,, | Gerngross, Dr. R. | 150 | ,, |
| 59 | ,, | Hargreaves, J. R. | 152 | ,, |
| 60 | ,, | Stanion, Mrs. W. K. | 154 | ,, |
| 61 | ,, | Aldridge, T. H. U. | 153 | ,, |
| 62 | ,, | Campbell, Mrs. R. M. | 181 | ,, |
| 76 | ,, | Postal Supply Dept. | 190 | ,, |
| 1 | Sinza Terrace | Monteith, Miss M. | 50 | ,, |
| 2 | ,, | Pollard, A. | 52 | ,, |
| 3 | ,, | Wallace, G. | 54 | ,, |
| 4 | ,, | Quelch, G. V. | 56 | ,, |
| 5 | ,, | Thomson, J. | 58 | ,, |
| 6 | ,, | Landeloss, Miss | 60 | ,, |
| 7 | ,, | ,, | 62 | ,, |
| 26 | ,, | Fuji Paper Mill Co., Ld. | 64 | ,, |
| 27 | ,, | Ford, H. L. | 66 | ,, |
| 28 | ,, | Tsung Yun Foo | 68 | ,, |
| 29 | ,, | Winteler, Mrs. G. M. | 70 | ,, |
| 30 | ,, | Onomura & Co. | 72 | ,, |
| 31 | ,, | Wilson, T. E. | 74 | ,, |
| 32 | ,, | Jeffrey, T. W. | 76 | ,, |
| 33 | ,, | Gander, O. D. | 78 | ,, |
| 34 | ,, | Police Quarters | 80 | ,, |
| 12A | Weihaiwei Road | Ohta, K. | 14 | Weihaiwei Road |
| 13A | ,, | Sakai, K. | 16 | ,, |
| 14 | ,, | Bassett, R. | 18 | ,, |
| 14A | ,, | Fukuda, C. | 20 | ,, |
| 15 | ,, | Bell, H. F. | 22 | ,, |
| 15A | ,, | Maitland, N. G. | 24 | ,, |
| 16 | ,, | Dallas, F. | 26 | ,, |
| 16A | ,, | Knight, C. | 28 | ,, |
| 17 | ,, | Chen Ku | 30 | ,, |
| 17A | ,, | B. D. Kapteyn | 32 | ,, |
| 18 | ,, | Lee Kee Foo | 34 | ,, |
| 18A | ,, | Bien, H. | 36 | ,, |
| 18B | ,, | Tong, Dr. N. A. | 38 | ,, |
| 19 | ,, | McEuen, K. J. | 39 | ,, |
| 19A | ,, | Tom Tung Hing | 40 | ,, |
| 20 | ,, | Morriss, Hayley | 41 | ,, |
| 21 | ,, | Brand, Mrs. A. S. | 43 | ,, |
| 22 | ,, | Fleming, D. | 45 | ,, |
| 23 | ,, | Guignard, Mrs. K. H. | 47 | ,, |
| 24 | ,, | Macleod, R. N. | 59 | ,, |
| 26 | ,, | Mercantile Printing Co. | 75 | ,, |
| 26A | ,, | Wang Kun Kwan | 65 | ,, |
| 26B | ,, | Tsan Che Sun | 67 | ,, |
| 26C | ,, | Chao Yao King | 69 | ,, |
| 26D | ,, | Chen, S. T. | 71 | ,, |
| 26E | ,, | Woo Dah Fong | 73 | ,, |
| 27 | ,, | Heimsoth, A. A. | 77 | ,, |
| 28 | ,, | Tan | 81 | ,, |
| 29 | ,, | China National College | 83 | ,, |
| 29A | ,, | Kadoorie, Sir Ellis | 90 | ,, |
| 30 | ,, | China National College | 95 | ,, |
| 30A | ,, | Chu Shing Sae | 100 | ,, |
| 31 | ,, | Wong, S. S. | 99 | ,, |
| 32 | ,, | Yang Wu Shan | 109 | ,, |
| 33 | ,, | Coutts, G. D. | 114 | ,, |
| 34 | ,, | Chew | 116 | ,, |
| 35 | ,, | Willis, W. A. | 118 | ,, |
| 35A | ,, | Hu, H. F. | 121 | ,, |
| 35B | ,, | Ling Kung kwan | 123 | ,, |
| 35C | ,, | Ching, T. S. | 125 | ,, |
| 36 | ,, | Hillman, H. E. | 130 | ,, |
| 36A | ,, | Weiss, M. J. | 128 | ,, |
| 37 | ,, | Valentine, J. | 132 | ,, |
| 38 | ,, | Burkill, A. W. | 133 | ,, |
| 39 | ,, | Hickling, N. W. | 134 | ,, |
| 39A | ,, | Kale, E. | 136 | ,, |
| 40 | ,, | Goh, D. | 145 | ,, |
| 41 | ,, | Toeg, S. E. | 147 | ,, |
| 42 | ,, | Shaw, C. R. | 149 | ,, |

Council Room, Shanghai, December 25, 1919. By Order, N. O. LIDDELL, *Secretary*

**Bye-laws.**

Letter from the Senior Consul communicating the Diplomatic Body's assent to the new Bye-laws drawn up by the Consular Body, published in the Gazette of June 26, and passed at the Special Meeting of Ratepayers on July 10.

Shanghai, December 13, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to let you know that the Diplomatic Body in Peking have signified their assent to Bye-laws XXXIII, XXXIV, XXXV, XXXVI and XXXVII of the Shanghai Land Regulations.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. SIFFERT,
*Senior Consul.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

**Municipal Salaries Commission.**

Messrs. E. C. Pearce, Chairman, Finance Committee.
W. L. Merriman, Chairman, Works Committee.
W. P. Lambe, Watch Committee.
A. W. Burkill, Chairman, Electricity Committee.

The following have also accepted membership of the Commission in accordance with the invitation extended to them in terms of the letter attached:—

Messrs. H. J. Everall, Standard Oil Co. of New York.
D. McColl, Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld.
C. G. Humphrys, Asiatic Petroleum Co. (North China) Ld.
L. A. Lyall, Commissioner of Customs.
J. McArthur, Hongkong & Shanghai Bank.
S. Trumper, British American Tobacco Co., Ld.

In view of his projected departure on leave, Mr. W. W. Ritchie, Postal Commissioner, was unable to accept the invitation extended to him.

Council Room,
Shanghai, Nov. 22, 1919.

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that the Council has decided to appoint a Commission to enquire into the pay and conditions of service of employes in the several Departments of the Municipal Service and to make such recommendations in regard thereto as may seem to the Commission to be desirable. This decision is due primarily to recognition of the fact that conditions of employment the world over have undergone very great change during the last few years, and in particular during the past twelve months, and to the desire of the Council to eliminate any possible ground for complaint that the employes in any one Department are treated upon a preferential as distinguished from a differential basis, due regard being paid to qualifications, ability, length of service, responsibility and other material considerations.

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I am directed to enquire whether you will kindly consent to serve on this Commission, the membership of which will comprise the Chairmen of the Finance, Works and Electricity Committees, a member of the Watch Committee and, it is hoped, representatives of the Chinese Customs and Postal Services. The Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, the Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld., the Asiatic Petroleum Co., Ld., and the British-American Tobacco Co., Ld.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

H. J. EVERALL, Esq., and others.

**Special Vice Committee.**

The vacancy in the membership of the above Committee caused by the death of Mr. T. Ibukiyama has been filled by Mr. W. P. Lambe.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*Staff Sergt.-Major's Quarters.*—The lease from Messrs. Hanson, McNeill, Jones and Wright of No. 16 Burkill Road has been renewed for a further period of one year terminating on December 31, 1920.

**Sewage Disposal.**

Further reports by the Commissioner of Public Works, in continuation of that published in the Gazette of August 22. In accordance with the recommendation contained in the report of October 30, the appointment of a Bacteriologist to the Municipal Staff, independent of both the Health and Public Works Departments, has been approved. The report of November 22 with plans of the preliminary scheme to deal with the Central District, east of Honan Road, until such time as a comprehensive scheme for the whole Settlement has been drawn up, was submitted and considered in detail by the Works Committee on December 15, when the main features of the scheme were approved, minor details being left to be dealt with later as they may arise.

Shanghai, October 30, 1919.

In continuation of my report of July 30 (Municipal Gazette Vol. XII., pp. 291-296).

Experiments on the lines of the Activated Sludge Process have now been carried out on a small scale for nearly four months with a result that with quite a primitive plant we are able to deal with 4,000 gallons of watercloset sewage a day.

A clear effluent with a pale yellow tinge is generally obtainable and little or no smell is noticeable either at the works or from the effluent or sludge. At the same time we are groping in the dark for want of information with regard to analyses, both chemical and bacteriological. The present experimental plant will, in all probability, shortly be superseded by another experimental plant on a commercial scale, and it is highly desirable that we should be working in collaboration with a chemist who has had experience in matters such as sewage disposal and water supply.

Three points on which I would like information and which have already become noticeable are:—

I. The yellow tinge of the effluent.

II. The difficulty hitherto experienced in obtaining sufficient sludge.

III. The apparent killing of the process by the admission of stale sewage.

Points II. and III. have been noted as recently as last month in a plant near New York.

These are all matters on which the advice of a chemist is absolutely necessary.

The views of the Health Committee as recorded in the Minutes of the Meeting held on November 14, 1918 contain the following note:—

5. "That steps should be taken for the appointment of a Bacteriologist to the Municipal Staff to carry out investigations on sewage effluent and water supply."

I have to-day received a letter dated October 1, 1919, from Professor Fowler in which he says:

"I have the following communications:—

Letter of August 14, 1919, and accompanying plan.

Municipal Gazette, August 22.

Cuttings from the "North-China Daily News," August 28, and September 1.

Report on Drifting Sand Filter.

It is all of great interest and I quite agree with your report.

I should be glad if you would send me sketches or drawings of all experimental plant to enable me to follow the work.

I am clear that ultimately a responsible head will be required for organizing the whole of the chemical and bacteriological routine work and research connected with this question. The kind of man needed must have the status of an independent officer and report directly to the Council. It goes without saying that he would work in close collaboration both with the Health Officer and yourself but the work involved is much more than just making routine analyses, necessary and important as they are. They can no doubt be done by any qualified junior, but the situation really requires a specialist and the sooner the better so that policy may be shaped rightly from the first. He should be able to grasp the significance of the Whangpoo Conservancy work and generally take his place on the Council's staff."

Professor Fowler's letter goes on to suggest the names of five gentlemen who he considers suitable for the appointment.

I am fully in accordance with Professor Fowler's recommendations and would urge that an appointment be made forthwith.

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

Shanghai, November 22, 1919.

With a view to ascertaining what quantity of sewage will require to to dealt with from that portion of the Central District lying east of Honan Road, I have sent circulars to property owners asking what are the probabilities of rebuilding and the introduction of waterclosets and baths within the next three to five years.

The returns received so far indicate 1,382 waterclosets and 575 baths.

On the accompanying plans is shown the general scheme proposed for dealing with the sewage from the Central District properties east of Honan Road, to be operative until such time that the problem of dealing with the sewage from the whole Settlement has been dealt with.

On Plan No. 1 the sizes and directions of flow of the sewers are indicated, the sewage flowing by gravitation, assisted in three places by means of ejectors, to the collecting tank, that it is proposed to construct in the Reserve Garden. From there it would be forced by means of pumps through a pumping main to the Sewage Treatment Works.

The sewers in the Central District would be, generally speaking, laid along the centres of the roads, and their depths would vary from 4 feet to 10 feet below the road surface.

On Plan No. 2 is shown the route proposed for the main sewer.

For this, the alternative lies between taking the pumping main along North Szechuen Road, or along the Whangpoo Road, Nanzing Road and Dixwell Road. The only point in favour of the former route is that it is about 1,000 yards shorter in length. On the other hand, it would mean crossing the Soochow Creek at the Szechuen Road Bridge and this would cause a good deal of inconvenience when the time comes for the reconstruction of this bridge to be carried out. The chief objection to this route, however, lies in the fact that North Szechuen Road is already very much congested with underground pipes, mains and cables, and there is no doubt that it would be very difficult to arrange for the position of any large additional main, such as that now under consideration. Considerable expense would also, in any case, be incurred in altering the position of the existing underground work if this route were adopted.

The points in favour of the Dixwell Road route are that the pumping main could be carried over the Soochow Creek on the Garden Bridge girders, and that the roads traversed are comparatively free from obstruction.

After careful consideration, therefore, of the two routes I recommend that the latter be adopted.

The Collecting Tank, proposed for construction at the Reserve Garden, would be an underground concrete structure, its function being to act as a storage tank and so

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to even up, throughout the twenty-four hours, the amount of sewage that the pumps would be called upon to deal with.

It is calculated that the total amount of sewage to be allowed for daily, under this scheme, is 600,000 gallons. This amount, however, would not be evenly distributed over the whole period and it accordingly becomes necessary to devise some means whereby the call on the pumps shall not be more than they can respond to at any one time. The Collecting Tank with a capacity of 75,000 gallons is designed with a view to dealing with this factor.

From the Collecting Tank the sewage would be pumped by means of centrifugal pumps, the whole installed and working in an underground chamber. The sewage would be pumped by these means into the 9-in. diam. Pumping Main, with a head of 90 feet at the summit and with the pumps designed to allow for a 12 feet head on arrival at the Sewage Treatment Works.

The Treatment Works would be worked on the Activated Sludge principle.

The scheme as now submitted is only in outline, but I would ask for the Council's approval of it before proceeding with the preparation of details. These will take some considerable time to prepare but I think that, if approved, the actual constructional work could be commenced in the course of the next few months.

The depth to which excavations can be economically carried has also formed the subject of experiment and two cylinders have been sunk and the general impression gained is that 18 feet will be the maximum depth at which an ejector can be fixed.

The estimated cost of the whole work is between Tls. 160,000 and Tls. 200,000. Provision has been made for sewering all of the roads in the area affected and it is possible that some of this work may be omitted if development of the properties does not fully take place on the basis that is provided for in the larger figure.

As previously explained to the Works and Health Committees this is only a provisional scheme to relieve the very severe pressure which is already being experienced in emptying cesspools by pumps and carts.

The Activated Sludge experiments give very promising results and as the first consignment of 100 filtros plates has just arrived I am hoping to get better results still.

There remains the question of my visit to Singapore re High Pressure Water and to Rangoon re Pneumatic Ejectors.

There is also the question of improving the type of latrines in the Settlement by having them water-flushed.

I would suggest that I be allowed to go there as soon as the Annual Report and Estimates are completed—say early in January.

If the appointment of a Chemist is brought about it would be very advantageous if it could be arranged for him and me to meet Professor Fowler and discuss the details of the scheme.

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 260 | Foochow | Sung Kyung Kee | | 1 | |
| 165 | Hankow | Stewardson & Spence | | | addns. |
| 155 | Nanking | China Realty Co., Ld. | | | altns. |
| 29 | do. | Kelly & Walsh, Ld. | | | water-closet |
| 240 | do. | Tung Lu Bank | 1 | | |
| 893 | Boone | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | addns. |
| 733 | Range | Chun Wei Ping | | | addns. |
| 1075 1077 | Broadway East | C. Luthy | | | bridge |
| 1083 | do. | Nanyang Bros. Tobacco Co. | | | watchmen's lodge |
| 8009 | Seoul | Jong Shing Kee | | | conservatory |
| 8011 | do. | do. | | 4 | watchmen's lodges & wall |
| 7094 | Ward | Davies & Brooke | | 3 | lodge |
| 2620 | Yangtszepoo | Stewardson & Spence | | | car shed |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| Unreg. S of 7500 | Seoul | Chang Teng Yen | 3 | | |
| Unreg. E of 7460 | do. | Chang Tse Chen | 5 | | |
| 7094 | Ward | Davies & Brooke | 3 | | |
| Unreg. W of 3426 | Gordon | Sah Yuen Kee | 4 | | |
| Unreg. W of 298 | Myburgh | Ah Hing | | | addns. |

## Public Band.

On Sunday next, December 28, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

SIXTH CONCERT:
Soloist: C. BAKALEINIKOFF, Cello

1.—"*Iphigenie in Aulis*" Gluck
2.—Unfinished Symphony
(*a*) Allegro moderato
(*b*) Andante con moto
F. Schubert

3.—(*a*) Chant du Menestrel Glazounov
(*b*) Allegro appassionato
Saint-Saëns
Soloist: C. BAKALEINIKOFF
4.—"Peer-Gynt Suite" No. 2
Edw. Grieg
(*a*) The complaint of Ingrid
(*b*) Arabie Dance
(*c*) The Return of Peer-Gynt
(*d*) Solvegg's Song

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor*

*Friday Dance Performance.*—By the courtesy of Admiral Gleaves, United States Navy, the Band of the U. S. S. South Dakota will give a performance of dance music at the Town Hall on Friday afternoon, December 26. Dancing will commence at 5.30 p.m. and continue until 9 p.m.

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, December 21, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 873,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 1 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 17 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 5 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 10 | 166 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20.

*Police Force.*—In addition to the performance of his duties as Assistant Commissioner, Mr. M. O. Springfield is confirmed in the appointment of Registrar of the Mixed Court from November 1.

Constable E. S. Cartwright and Assistant Warder J. H. Cosson, having been convicted and sentenced to imprisonment under "The Shanghai Municipal Police Regulation, 1910" are dismissed the Force from November 18.

Assistant Warder B. Silliss is invalided from December 22.

*Health Department.*—Nurse F. C. de Morgan is permitted to terminate her service on December 21.

Henceforward the official designation of Major F. G. C. Walker and Mr. E. O. Wilson, Assistants, will be "Analyst and Pharmacist."

Inspector A. J. Castle, who proceeded on war service, was permitted to terminate his service on November 13.

*Educational Department.*—The appointment of Miss A. Lawrie-Smith, Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, is confirmed under an agreement from January 8, 1917, terminable at three months' notice.

Long leave is granted to Mr. A. J. Stewart, Headmaster in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, from January 5, 1920.

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Miss A. I. Hamilton, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, is permitted to terminate her service on February 29, 1920.

*Revenue Office.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. E. L. Allen, Superintendent of Revenue, from May 1, 1920.

### Health Officer's Report for November.

The Public Health continued good throughout the month. Smallpox, which before the organization of general free vaccination among the Chinese was a regular annual visitor at the beginning of winter, did not make an appearance.

The expected recrudescence of Influenza in epidemic form has so far been mild and represented by sporadic cases among foreigners, mostly introduced from outside, and scarcely affecting the Chinese population.

Influenza is conveyed by the fresh infected secretions of the nose and throat. The following rules may be of use:—

1.—Avoid people who are coughing or sneezing.
2.—Do not attend crowds or large gatherings.
3.—Keep three feet away from people when talking.
4.—When you cough or sneeze, cover the mouth or nose with a handkerchief or turn the face downwards.
5.—If you get Influenza go to bed immediately to ward off pneumonia, call in a doctor, and stay in bed some days after the fever subsides or until the doctor permits.

In the same connexion it may be noted that a vast amount of chronic ill-health is produced by the 'common cold,' which is as much a specific infective disease as Measles, though as a rule it is neglected and no precautions whatever taken to prevent its spread. Were colds treated by seclusion in bed until at least the acute symptoms had subsided, the victim himself would be benefited and, perhaps more important still, the number of infections of other people would be diminished. This applies more to children than to adults as they are more susceptible to the ear inflammations and some other dangerous sequels than adults.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign. | | Chinese. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Resident | Non-resident. | |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 | 1 | 76 |
| Beri-beri | 3 | 0 | 4 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| From all causes | 19 | 7 | 602 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 1 |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 8 |
| Diphtheria | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 |
| Dysentery | 6 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cases Admitted— | Small pox | 1 | 0 |
| | Diphtheria | 2 | 4 |
| | Scarlet Fever | 1 | 2 |
| | Influenza | 23 | 0 |
| | Other Diseases | 1 | 16 |
| Discharged | | 27 | 25 |
| Died | | 0 | 1 |
| Remaining last day of month | | 13 | 8 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 4,644 |
| Bacterial " " | 48 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 8 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 586 |
| Analyses | 48 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted. | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 40 | 12 |
| Surgical | 29 | 1 |
| Maternity | 9 | 1 |
| Mental | 4 | 0 |
| Infectious | 0 | 7 |
| Total | 81 | 21 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen | 2,125 | 4 | 2,125 | 0 | 0 |
| Sheep | 2,964 | 2 | 2,964 | 0 | 2 |
| Calves | 376 | 0 | 376 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs | 501 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 301 | 604 | 200 | 387 | 1492 |
| Rats plague infected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation | 1200 | 3000 | 2500 | 1400 | 8100 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1365 | 4074 | 2922 | 2407 | 10768 |
| Poisoned baits laid | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier | 0 | 0 | 200 | 0 | 200 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner | 0 | 0 | 41 | 0 | 41 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox | 500 | 524 | 336 | 309 | 1,669 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 1 | 9 | 4 | 7 | 21 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 19 | 70 | 63 | 18 | 170 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 80 | 86 | 112 | 300 | 578 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 918 | 1,071 | 1,296 | 2,377 | 5,662 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 0 | 80 | 428 | 94 | 502 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 0 | 41 | 0 | 41 |
| Defective drainage amended | 31 | 22 | 36 | 6 | 95 |
| Insanitary wells abolished | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 9 | 15 | 4 | 1 | 29 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 15 | 4 | 16 | 4 | 39 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 0 | 63 | 9 | 72 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 11 | 17 | 1 | 29 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Offensive trade processes amended | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 5 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 11 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 41 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 51 | 57 | 118 | 15 | 241 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 5 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 13 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 0 | 6 | 23 | 16 | 45 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 0 | 345 | 1,651 | 465 | 2,461 |
| Outside hawkers licensed | 630 | 678 | 617 | 415 | 2,340 |
| Food prosecutions | 0 | 31 | 18 | 7 | 56 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 0 | 48 | 68 | 7 | 123 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 0 | 0 | 22 | 0 | 22 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,765 | 3,328 | 2,610 | 3,044 | 12,747 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 7,313 | 4,019 | 2,437 | 1,982 | 15,751 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 2,045 | 483 | 177 | 212 | 2,917 |

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Known as | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fok Hyung | Phe Sz-zung | J.e 1600 Tongshan Rd | 15.4% added water |
| do. | do. | do. | 16.4% added water |
| do. | do. | do. | 4.7% added water |
| Fok Kyi | Tsa Ah-hoo | Z. 815 Gordon Road | Abstraction of fat |

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**REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.**

**Sample received** November 28, 1919.

**Report sent out** December 2, 1919.

**Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.**

**Physical Characters.**—Yellowish colour with moderate opacity. Slightly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| **Solid Matter in Solution** | 11.6 |
| (a) Volatile | 4.6 |
| (b) Fixed | 7.0 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 7.0 |
| (a) Temporary | 3.5 |
| (b) Permanent | 3.5 |
| Chlorine | 1.6 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0404 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0005 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0060 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° C. | 0.0398. |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° and 37° C. showed an average of 60 and 8 micro-organisms per cubic centimetre respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in all quantities tested from 1 c.c. and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Shows satisfactory purification.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 承攬人須行付保證金

三 擇定後之承攬人應承辦本局各項工程

四 本局有權取消承攬人之承辦權

五 所有承攬人之姓名及公司名稱須登入本局之承攬人名單內

六 所有承攬人之姓名及公司名稱須登入本局之承攬人名單內

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## TENDERS RECEIVED *(Cont.)*

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Removal of Ordure by boat from the Settlement during 1920. Contracts capable of two years extension

| *North of Soochow Creek* | *per mensem* |
|---|---|
| *Mo Foo Kyi | $7,950 |
| Wong Sung Kee | 7,800 |
| Sung Sun Tai | 7,260 |
| Sung Mur Kee | 7,250 |
| Zee Yuen Kee | 7,200 |
| Lo Tseng Kee | 7,100 |
| Chen Loong Kee | 6,985 |
| Chin Yuh Kee | 6,900 |
| Wong Yong Kee | 6,710 |
| *South of the Soochow Creek* | |
| *Sung MurKee | $9,050 |
| Dzien Nyok Sung | 9,000 |
| Wong Sung Kee | 8,950 |
| Tao Chun Kee | 8,790 |
| Yao Ling S | 8,780 |
| Zee Yuen Kee | 8,750 |
| Hwan Geen Ching | 8,700 |
| Tsang Ze King | 8,100 |
| Chen Loong Kee | 8,075 |
| Wong Yong Kee | 8,000 |

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Annual Contracts for the year ending December 31, 1920

515. *Shun Tah Lumber Co.

| per 1,000 sup. ft. | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Selangan Batu planks to 20-ft. | 78.00 |
| " logs " 40 " | 78.00 |
| Balow planks " 20 " | 78.00 |
| " logs " 40 " | 78.00 |
| Singapore redwood, 8-in. by 1-in. (16-ft. planks) | 55.00 |
| 8 " " 1½ " | 55.00 |
| 8 " " 2 " | 55.00 |
| 8 " " 3 " | 55.00 |
| 8 " " 4 " | 55.00 |
| Japanese pine planks, 6½-ft. by ¾-in. | 47.50 |
| 6½ " " ½ " | 47.50 |
| 6½ " " 1 " | 47.50 |
| 7½ " " ½ " | 47.50 |
| 7½ " " 1 " | 47.50 |
| 8 " " 1 " | 47.50 |
| Japanese fir planks, 4-in. by 12-in. up to 30 ft. | 55.00 |
| Teak | 160.00 |
| Chinese Oak planks from 7 ft. | 135.00 |
| " " Felloes (a) each | 1.00 |
| " " " (b) " | 0.95 |
| " " " (c) " | 0.42 |
| " " Spokes (a) " | 0.20 |
| " " " (b) " | 0.25 |
| " " " (c) " | 0.09 |
| " " Shafts (a) " | 6.50 |
| " " " (b) " | 1.50 |

Other tenders are :—

Jardine Matheson & Co.
Kwang Tai & Co.

516. *Shun Tah Lumber Co

| Oregon Pine. | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Planks to 24-ft., per 1,000 sup.-ft. | 54.25 |
| " " 40 " " " | 54.50 |
| Birdsmouthing, per lineal foot | 0.03 |
| Logs to 40-ft., per 1,000 sup-ft. | 54.50 |
| " " 50 " " " | 59.50 |
| Floor boarding, 6-in. by 1-in. | 72.00 |
| " " 6 " " 1¼ " | 74.00 |
| Ceiling laths, per 1,000 | 7.00 |

Others tenderers are :—

China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ld.
Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld.
F. L. Kow Kee & Co.
Hsing Tah Lumber Co.

524. *Tsong Chun Lai

Transport of Materials from the Quarry at Pingchiao.
Tls. 4.30 per fong

Other tenderers are :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Sung Yuen Kee | Wang Tsung Zi |
| Sung Kee | Yoh Chee & Co. |
| Yuen Kee | Fee Tai Kee |
| Sing Kee & Co. | Zung Kee |
| Yieh Chong | Lin Yuen Kee |
| Shaou Kwang Foo | Ping Kee |
| Tai Woo & Co. | Tsong Ming Kee |
| Alaze & Co. | Wong Yong Kee |
| Chang Kee Dong | Yung Kee |
| Tung Yuen & Co. | Jee Kee |

527. *Vacuum Oil Co.

| per Imperial Gallon | |
|---|---|
| Medium Engine Oil | 0.52 |
| Heavy Cylinder Oil | 0.77½ |
| Special Oil for Stone Crushers | 0.45 |
| Light Machine Oil | 0.49 |
| Motor Engine Oil in 1 gallon tins, per case | 11.10 |
| Motor Engine Oil in barrels | 1.41 |
| Marine Motor Engine Oil in 1 gallon tins | .95 |
| Marine Motor Engine Oil in barrels | 0.90 |
| Greases for Motorcar Gearing, per lb. | 0.11 |
| Greases for Engines, Light, per lb. | 0.0857 |
| Greases for Cart Axles, per lb. | 0.08½ |
| Harness oil, per gallon | 0.75 |

Also tendered :—

Asiatic Petroleum Co., Ltd.
Dodwell & Co., Ld.
The Texas Co.

* Accepted

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.75

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**e of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

NDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual eting of Ratepayers on April 9, 19, the Council hereby invites plications for debentures in the per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will r interest from the date of purse at the rate of 7 per cent. annum payable on June 30 and cember 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per nt. until further notice and will redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in deminations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 d Tls. 100 to suit the convenience applicants, but no allotment r a less amount than Tls. 500 minal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investent Bank.

Application forms can be obtain from the Treasurer, Finance epartment, 24B Kiangse Road, to hom all enquiries should be adessed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

ouncil Room,

Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## UNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2655.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five ays of each month and will be onverted twice yearly into Munipal Debentures. Pending their onversion interest will be allowed t the rate from time to time adverised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local urrency. Dollar deposits will be onverted into Taels at the rate of he day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at he Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from he first to the fifth day inclusive f each month.

3.—Each depositor will be suplied with a Pass Book in which ill be entered details of the mounts deposited. The Pass Book ust accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be adertised from time to time will be redited the accounts of depositors alf-yearly, on March 5 and Septmber 5, and will be calculated on he amounts at credit of depositors' ccounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2669.**

**BYE-LAWS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Bye-laws Nos. XXXIII to XXXVII inclusive, drawn up by the Consular Body, published in the Municipal Gazette of June 26, 1919, and passed and approved at the Special Meeting of Ratepayers held on July 10, 1919, in substitution for the existing Bye-laws Nos. XXXIII to XXXVII inclusive attached to the Land Regulations, have received the sanction of the Foreign Ministers in Peking and that the Council is accordingly vested with the powers thereby conferred.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 25, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2665.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 25, 26, and 27, 1919, and on Thursday and Friday, January 1 and 2, 1920.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 11, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2666.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FOREIGN CHILDREN.**

THE schools will reopen on Tuesday, January 6, at 8.30 a.m., with the exception of the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys which will reopen on Wednesday, January 7, at 9 o'clock a.m.

The attention of parents is directed to the following scale of monthly fees:—

*Public School for Boys.*

200 North Szechuen Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Boys over 10 years of age | $12 |
| Boys under 10 years of age | 8 |
| Extra Subject:— | |
| Shorthand | 2 |

*Public School for Girls.*

28 Boone Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Girls over 10 years of age | $12 |
| Girls under 10 years of age | 8 |
| Boys under 8 years of age | 8 |
| Kindergarten | 5 |
| Extra Subjects:— | |
| Piano | 5 |

24 Kungping Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Children under 8 years of age | $8 |
| Kindergarten children | 5 |

88 Avenue Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Girls over 10 years of age | $12 |
| Girls under 10 years of age | 8 |
| Boys under 8 years of age | 8 |
| Kindergarten children | 5 |

Admission to the Avenue Road School is restricted to girls under 15 years of age and to boys under 8 years of age. Admission to the Kungping Road School is restricted to girls and boys under 8 years of age.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*

63 Haskell Road, and

*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*

15 Boone Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Upper School, Boarders | $20 |
| Upper School, Day Scholars | 6 |
| Lower School, Boarders | 18 |
| Lower School, Day Scholars | 5 |

Kindergarten children in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls will be charged the same rates as for the Lower School.

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The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions:—

| For a family of | Public Schools | Thomas Hanbury Schools |
|---|---|---|
| 2 children | 20% | $1.20 |
| 3 or more children | 33⅓% | 2.00 |

Children of non-resident parents, unless already in attendance at the schools, will not be admitted. The term *non-resident* implies residence in Shanghai of less than six months.

Forms for the admission of new pupils may be obtained on application at the several schools, and should be presented by the new pupils themselves, when attending at the Schools for examination and admission on Friday, January 2, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., except in the case of the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys for which the hours of attendance will be Wednesday, January 7, at 9 a.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 18, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2667.**

**PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENTS.**

THE Council's attention has been drawn to the fact that certain public entertainments have recently been held without a licence: the attention of the Public is therefore directed to Bye-law XXXIV attached to the Land Regulations which prohibits the holding of any entertainment, to which the public are admitted, without a licence first obtained from the Council.

This regulation includes theatrical performances, concerts, exhibitions, dances, etc.; and the Police have directions to prevent the holding of any such entertainment unless licensed.

To obviate inconvenience application should be made at least five clear days before the entertainment is to be held, upon a form to be obtained on application from the Revenue Office.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 18, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2670.**

**MUNICIPAL INVESTMENT BANK.**

**January**

DEPOSITS will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, up to and including Thursday, January 8.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION No. 2668.

**HOUSE NUMERATION.**

THE numbering of the houses hereunder specified will be altered on January 1, 1920 as follows:—

| Present Number | | Occupant | New Number | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Jessfield Road | — | 4 | Jessfield Road |
| 2 | ,, | Shen, E. Y. | 11 | ,, |
| 7 | ,, | Day, Y. S. | 16 | ,, |
| 8 | ,, | Adamson, A. Q. | 22 | ,, |
| 9 | ,, | Hall, O. A. | 24 | ,, |
| 10 | ,, | Young Hsu Chu | 26 | ,, |
| 11 | ,, | Gram, T. D. | 28 | ,, |
| 12 | ,, | Huber, E. | 21 | ,, |
| 12A | ,, | Lorden, L. W. C. | 23 | ,, |
| 14 | ,, | Hancock, H. T. | 25 | ,, |
| 15 | ,, | Boyd, Capt. F. | 27 | ,, |
| 15A | ,, | Shah, K. F. | 36 | ,, |
| 15B | ,, | Wen Tsung Yao | 38 | ,, |
| 15C | ,, | Chang Yuan Chi | 40 | ,, |
| 15D | ,, | Wang Yen Wen | 42 | ,, |
| 15E | ,, | Chou Siao Wai | 44 | ,, |
| 15F | ,, | Tsang Zue Kung | 50 | ,, |
| 15G | ,, | ,, | 52 | ,, |
| 16 | ,, | Chang Kee | 59 | ,, |
| 16A | ,, | Fobes, A. S. | 60 | ,, |
| 17 | ,, | Tseng Soong Ling | 66 | ,, |
| 17A | ,, | Tung Woo Dairy | 67 | ,, |
| 18 | ,, | Macgregor, R. | 76 | ,, |
| 19 | ,, | King, W. S. | 90 | ,, |
| 19A | ,, | Mackie, C. G. S. | 89 | ,, |
| 20 | ,, | Gensburger, H. | 94 | ,, |
| 1 | Kinnear Road | Denegri, E. | 95 | ,, |
| 24 | Jessfield Road | Davis, W. H. Trenchard | 97 | ,, |
| 25 | ,, | Clark, T. A. | 99 | ,, |
| 25A | ,, | Woo May Kee | 101 | ,, |
| | ,, | ,, | 103 | ,, |
| | ,, | ,, | 105 | ,, |
| | ,, | ,, | 107 | ,, |
| | ,, | ,, | 109 | ,, |
| 26 | ,, | Ollerdessen, Mrs. H. | 111 | ,, |
| 27 | ,, | Nippon Yusen Kaisha | 116 | ,, |
| 20 | Robison Road | Jessfield Hotel | 136 | ,, |
| 28 | Jessfield Road | S'hai Silk Spinning Co. | 138 | ,, |
| 31 | ,, | Lai Tai Flour Mill | 140 | ,, |
| 33 | ,, | Hearne & Co., A. G. | 146 | ,, |
| 35 | ,, | Sin Chong | 161 | ,, |
| 36 | ,, | Lih Nan Kee | 180 | ,, |
| 37 | ,, | St. John's Y. M. C. A. School | 181 | ,, |
| 38 | ,, | American Church Mission | 188 | ,, |
| 40 | ,, | St. John's University | 190 | ,, |
| 4 | Sinza Road | Young Mow Cotton Trading Co., Ld. | B.193 | Sinza Rd. |
| 4A | ,, | Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld. | 6 | ,, |
| 9 | ,, | Chon Tse Sin | 21 | ,, |
| 10 | ,, | Shen, V. K. | 20 | ,, |
| 11 | ,, | Lo Ching Yee | 22 | ,, |
| 12 | ,, | Wong | 26 | ,, |
| 13 | ,, | Chang King Kwan | 28 | ,, |
| 14 | ,, | Chung, K. T. | 29 | ,, |
| 18 | ,, | Liu | 31 | ,, |
| 19 | ,, | Ning, K. C. | 33 | ,, |
| 20 | ,, | Sun | 35 | ,, |
| 21 | ,, | Yamaguchi, N. | 37 | ,, |
| 22 | ,, | Schoch, O. | 39 | ,, |
| 23 | ,, | Lee Tse Thyeu | 41 | ,, |
| 25 | ,, | Hamlyn, Mrs. I. A. | 79 | ,, |
| 26 | ,, | Woo Chong Sea | 81 | ,, |
| 27 | ,, | Wong Kung Kwan | 84 | ,, |
| 28 | ,, | Macdonald & Co., T. | 88 | ,, |
| 29 | ,, | Salmon, E. | 89 | ,, |
| 30 | ,, | Abori, J. | 91 | ,, |
| 31 | ,, | Zung | 96 | ,, |
| 33 | ,, | Chung | 98 | ,, |
| 34 | ,, | Stepharius, C. | 99 | ,, |
| 34A | ,, | Sung Tson Wu | 110 | ,, |
| 35 | ,, | Cheang Park Chew | 112 | ,, |
| 36 | ,, | Kue Yet Zee | 114 | ,, |
| 37 | ,, | — | 116 | ,, |
| 40 | ,, | Yu Yung Su | 118 | ,, |
| 41 | ,, | ,, | 120 | ,, |
| 43 | ,, | Gordon, E. H. | 124 | ,, |
| 44 | ,, | Suguira, M. | 126 | ,, |
| 45 | ,, | Ruthe, W. | 128 | ,, |
| 46 | ,, | Young, C. R. M. | 130 | ,, |

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| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 49 | Sinza Road | McMichael, J. H. | 123 | Sinza Road |
| 49 | ,, | Canning, Mrs. S. | 132 | ,, |
| 49A | ,, | Olsen, Mrs. R. T. | 134 | ,, |
| 50 | ,, | Fullerton, A. R. | 135 | ,, |
| 51 | ,, | The Postal Commissioner | 137 | ,, |
| 52 | ,, | Olsen, Mrs. R. T. | 136 | ,, |
| 55 | ,, | Knight, W. C. H. | 138 | ,, |
| 56 | ,, | Electricity Department | 140 | ,, |
| 57 | ,, | Kodama, K. | 151 | ,, |
| 58 | ,, | Gerngross, Dr. R. | 150 | ,, |
| 59 | ,, | Hargreaves, J. R. | 152 | ,, |
| 60 | ,, | Stanion, Mrs. W. K. | 154 | ,, |
| 61 | ,, | Aldridge, T. H. U. | 153 | ,, |
| 62 | ,, | Campbell, Mrs. R. M. | 181 | ,, |
| 76 | ,, | Postal Supply Dept. | 190 | ,, |
| 1 | Sinza Terrace | Monteith, Miss M. | 50 | ,, |
| 2 | ,, | Pollard, A. | 52 | ,, |
| 3 | ,, | Wallace, G. | 54 | ,, |
| 4 | ,, | Quelch, G. V. | 56 | ,, |
| 5 | ,, | Thomson, J. | 58 | ,, |
| 6 | ,, | Landeloss, Miss | 60 | ,, |
| 7 | ,, | ,, | 62 | ,, |
| 26 | ,, | Fuji Paper Mill Co., Ld. | 64 | ,, |
| 27 | ,, | Ford, H. L. | 66 | ,, |
| 28 | ,, | Tsung Yun Foo | 68 | ,, |
| 29 | ,, | Winteler, Mrs. G. M. | 70 | ,, |
| 30 | ,, | Onomura & Co. | 72 | ,, |
| 31 | ,, | Wilson, T. E. | 74 | ,, |
| 32 | ,, | Jeffrey, T. W. | 76 | ,, |
| 33 | ,, | Gander, O. D. | 78 | ,, |
| 34 | ,, | Police Quarters | 80 | ,, |
| 12A | Weihaiwei Road | Ohta, K. | 14 | Weihaiwei Road |
| 13A | ,, | Sakai, K. | 16 | ,, |
| 14 | ,, | Bassett, R. | 18 | ,, |
| 14A | ,, | Fukuda, C. | 20 | ,, |
| 15 | ,, | Bell, H. F. | 22 | ,, |
| 15A | ,, | Maitland, N. G. | 24 | ,, |
| 16 | ,, | Dallas, F. | 26 | ,, |
| 16A | ,, | Knight, C. | 28 | ,, |
| 17 | ,, | Chen Ku | 30 | ,, |
| 17A | ,, | B. D. Kapteyn | 32 | ,, |
| 18 | ,, | Lee Kee Foo | 34 | ,, |
| 18A | ,, | Bien, H. | 36 | ,, |
| 18B | ,, | Tong, Dr. N. A. | 38 | ,, |
| 19 | ,, | McEuen, K. J. | 39 | ,, |
| 19A | ,, | Tom Tung Hing | 40 | ,, |
| 20 | ,, | Morriss, Hayley | 41 | ,, |
| 21 | ,, | Brand, Mrs. A. S. | 43 | ,, |
| 22 | ,, | Fleming, D. | 45 | ,, |
| 23 | ,, | Guignard, Mrs. K. H. | 47 | ,, |
| 24 | ,, | Macleod, R. N. | 59 | ,, |
| 26 | ,, | Mercantile Printing Co. | 75 | ,, |
| 26A | ,, | Wang Kun Kwan | 65 | ,, |
| 26B | ,, | Tsan Che Sun | 67 | ,, |
| 26C | ,, | Chao Yao King | 69 | ,, |
| 26D | ,, | Chen, S. T. | 71 | ,, |
| 26E | ,, | Woo Dah Fong | 73 | ,, |
| 27 | ,, | Heimsoth, A. A. | 77 | ,, |
| 28 | ,, | Tan | 81 | ,, |
| 29 | ,, | China National College | 83 | ,, |
| 29A | ,, | Kadoorie, Sir Ellis | 90 | ,, |
| 30 | ,, | China National College | 95 | ,, |
| 30A | ,, | Chu Shing Sae | 100 | ,, |
| 31 | ,, | Wong, S. S. | 99 | ,, |
| 32 | ,, | Yang Wu Shan | 109 | ,, |
| 33 | ,, | Coutts, G. D. | 114 | ,, |
| 34 | ,, | Chew | 116 | ,, |
| 35 | ,, | Willis, W. A. | 118 | ,, |
| 35A | ,, | Hu, H. F. | 121 | ,, |
| 35B | ,, | Ling Kung kwan | 123 | ,, |
| 35C | ,, | Ching, T. S. | 125 | ,, |
| 36 | ,, | Hillman, H. E. | 130 | ,, |
| 36A | ,, | Weiss, M. J. | 128 | ,, |
| 37 | ,, | Valentine, J. | 132 | ,, |
| 38 | ,, | Burkill, A. W. | 133 | ,, |
| 39 | ,, | Hickling, N. W. | 134 | ,, |
| 39A | ,, | Kale, E. | 136 | ,, |
| 40 | ,, | Goh, D. | 145 | ,, |
| 41 | ,, | Toeg, S. E. | 147 | ,, |
| [illegible] | ,, | Shaw, C. R. | 149 | ,, |

Council Room, Shanghai, December 25, 1919. By Order, N. O. LIDDELL, *Secretary*.

AT the meeting of the Library Committee held on Monday, December 29, 1919, at 5 o'clock p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Rev. Dr. D. MacGillivray (*Chairman*)
Mr. R. F. C. Master

*Absent:*

Mr. F. C. Kendall

The meeting adjourned at 5.25 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Monday, December 29, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

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**Municipal Salaries Commission.**

The resignation of Mr. J. McArthur of his seat on the above Commission upon transfer to Kobe has been accepted with regret.

**Parks Committee.**

The resignation of Mr. P. Peebles of his seat on the above Committee has been accepted with regret.

**Public Lighting.**

*Tongting Road.*—The recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works has been approved to light this road between Yangtszepoo Road and the Riverside Power Station with three 60 c.p. metallic filament lamps at a cost of Tls. 84 per annum.

*Yinghsiangkong Village.* — The recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works has been approved to light this village with twelve 60 c.p. metallic filament lamps at a cost of Tls. 336 per annum.

**Public Band.**

On Sunday next, January 4, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

SEVENTH CONCERT:

1.—Overture "*Egmont*" Beethoven
2.—"*Fingal's Cave*" Mendelsshon

3.—"*Life in the Forest*" from "Siegfried" Wagner
4.—"*Smithy's Song*" from "Siegfried" Wagner

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

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### Public Library.

The Library, situated at the north-west corner of the Town Hall, is open *To the Public* without charge as a Reading Room from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. To *Subscribers* for the exchange of books from 9 a.m to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

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5 ,, quarter
2 ,, month

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Residents desirous of subscribing should communicate with the Librarian at the Town Hall.

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, DECEMBER 27.

*Police Force.*—Sergeant J. Ross is transferred to the Detective Branch from January 1, 1920.

Chief Inspector T. M. Wilson is promoted to be Superintendent from January 1, 1920.

*Health Department.*—Temporary Nurse I. Ironside is permitted to terminate her service on December 31.

Miss D. M. Foucar and Miss M. E. Lamb are engaged as candidates for appointments as Probationer Nurses, on six months' trial from December 27.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. E. McIntyre, Assistant Land Surveyor, from March 1, 1920.

Revision of the official designations of the Staff of the Public Works Department is authorized as follows:—

The designation "*Cadastral Registrar*" will be used by the Commissioner of Public Works in correspondence with the Consular Land Offices in substitution for "Officer in Charge, Municipal Cadastral Office."

"*Assistant Architect*" is substituted for "Architectural Assistant."

"*Land Surveyor*" is substituted for "Chief Surveying Assistant" and "*Assistant Land Surveyor*" for "Surveying Assistant."

Mr. D. E. Harbottle, temporary Inspector, is permitted to terminate his service on January 15, 1920.

The Council learnt with deep regret of the death on December 1, of Inspector W. Fletcher.

*Electricity Department.*—The following are appointed on three months' probation from the dates specified:—

Mr. J. Hay, as Shift Engineer, from November 3.
Mr. W. S. Whyte, as Shift Engineer, from December 1.
Mr. F. J. Brown, as Meter Inspector, from December 5.

*Educational Department.*—The appointment of Mrs. J. R. Trindle, Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, is confirmed under agreement from September 8.

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, December 28, 1919. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 2 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 5 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 16 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 9 | 147 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 110, 111 | Canton | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | 1 | shed |
| 17D | Hongkong & Museum | Y.M.C.A. | | | water-closet |
| 695 | Yunnan, Avenue Edward VII & Thibet | Wong Chi Ju | 2 | | |
| 2731 | Pingliang | Oriental Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. | | | water-closet |
| 2260 | Wayside | Dong Chi Kee | | | wall & gates |
| 2645 | Yangtszepoo | S'hai Electric Construction Co., Ld. | | | water-closet |
| 2530 | do. | S. J. Powell | | | 6 temporary foundry buildings |
| 6180 | Hart | Ford Kee | | 1 | wall |
| 1803 | Gt. Western & Yates | do. | | | wall |
| 4835 | W. Soochow | S. J. Powell | | | chimney |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 695 | Yunnan, Avenue Edward VII & Thibet | Wong Chi Ju | 62 | | — |
| N of 6855 | Sungpan | Wong Tsa Kee | | | addns. & wall |

### 7 per cent. Loan 1919.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed to the current year's loan, as on December 27, 1919:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | Tls. 50,000 | |
| Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. | 50,000 | |
| Canton Insurance Office, Ld. | 50,000 | |
| One Investor of | 47,000 | |
| Nippon Yusen Kaisha | 40,000 | |
| Yokohama Specie Bank, Ld. | 40,000 | |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, Ld. | 40,000 | |
| Osaka Shosen Kaisha | 20,000 | |
| Nisshin Kisen Kaisha | 20,000 | |
| South Manchuria Railway Co., Ld. | 20,000 | |
| Bank of Chosen | 20,000 | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | |
| One ,, | 16,500 | |
| Japan China Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. | 15,000 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 15,000 | 30,000 | |
| One Investor of | 14,300 | |
| One ,, | 14,000 | |
| Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha, Ld. | 13,000 | |
| Mitsubishi Bank, Ld. | 13,000 | |
| Shanghai Paper Mill | 13,000 | |
| One Investor of | 13,000 | |
| One ,, | 12,500 | |
| Estate of R. W. Shaw, deceased | 12,400 | |
| One Investor of | 11,000 | |
| One ,, | 10,600 | |
| Shanghai Produce and Stock Exchange, Ld. | 10,000 | |
| C. Itoh & Co., Ld. | 10,000 | |
| International Savings Society | 10,000 | |
| Nippon Menkwa Kabushiki Kaisha | 10,000 | |
| F. A. Kennedy | 10,000 | |
| Suzuki & Co. | 10,000 | |
| Moji & Co. | 10,000 | |
| Three Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 30,000 | |
| | | Tls. 705,300 |
| 278 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 410,400 |
| 314 Foreign Investors | | Tls. 1,115,700 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Shanghai Benevolent Industrial Institution | Tls. 100,000 | |
| Yung Tsung King | 40,000 | |
| One Investor of | 25,000 | |
| Chek Sou Char | 15,000 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 15,000 | 30,000 | |
| One Investor of | 10,500 | |
| Hangkee | 10,000 | |
| Sisson Nie and/or Mrs. Isabella Nie | 10,000 | |
| | | Tls. 240,500 |
| 50 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 116,100 |
| 59 Chinese Investors | | Tls. 356,600 |
| | | Total Tls. 1,472,300 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer.*

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## Mixed Court Report for November.

The following foreigners who are not recognised by any Consulate in Shanghai were before the Court during the month on criminal charges :—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| C.T.L. de Savine | Russian | Forgery | 18 months' impt. |
| Felix Malingberg | Finn | Using firearms in the street | 2 months' impt. |
| Hagalmar Thalainer | Finn | Attempted larceny | 6 months' impt. |

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with, Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

M. O. SPRINGFIELD,
*Registrar.*

Countersigned,
A. HILTON-JOHNSON,
Acting Commissioner of Police.

### OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| **1.—Offences Against the Person :—** | |
| Assault | 32 |
| Intimidation | 2 |
| Kidnapping | 2 |
| Murder | 8 |
| Rape | 1 |
| Wounding (causing grievous bodily harm) | 1 |
| **2.—Offences Against Property :—** | |
| Arson (or Criminal Negligence) | 2 |
| Burglary | 15 |
| Cruelty to animals | 8 |
| Embezzlement | 8 |
| Extortion (Obtaining money by threats) | 4 |
| Forgery | 4 |
| Fraud | 1 |
| Godown-breaking | 1 |
| House-breaking | 6 |
| Larceny | 165 |
| Malicious Damage | 6 |
| Receiving stolen property | 9 |
| Robbery | 11 |
| **3.—Offences of a Public Nature :—** | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 29 |
| Carts | 54 |
| Clubs | 2 |
| Dairies | 2 |
| Dogs | 10 |
| Foodshops | 11 |
| Hawkers | 47 |
| Laundry | 1 |
| Motor cars | 52 |
| Opium | 74 |
| Ricshas | 1,149 |
| Tea-shops | 8 |
| Wheel-barrows | 100 |
| Wine-shops | 2 |
| Breach of Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following :— | |
| Arms | 4 |
| Fireworks | 3 |
| House refuse | 54 |
| Lotteries | 2 |
| Nuisances | 1,099 |
| Prostitutes | 38 |
| Traffic | 58 |
| Bribery | 2 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 1 |
| Disorderly conduct | 33 |
| Gambling | 2 |
| Loitering with intent | 22 |
| Obstructing the Police | 3 |
| Returning after expulsion | 13 |
| Trafficking in Women or Children | 3 |
| Vagrancy | 3 |
| **4.—Miscellaneous Cases :—** | |
| Passing food to Prisoners | 1 |
| Seeking protection of Door of Hope | 4 |
| Witnesses in Criminal Case | 2 |
| TOTAL | 3,174 |

### SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2,325 |
| Cases withdrawn | 5 |
| Cautioned | 19 |
| Compensation | 5 |
| Dismissed | 52 |
| Expulsion | 7 |
| Fined | 393 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 3 |
| Imprisonment | 160 |
| " and expulsion | 80 |
| Released on Security | 1 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 18 |
| " Charitable Institutions | 6 |
| TOTAL | 3,174 |

### WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On November 1 | 45 |
| Received | 29 |
| Released | 31 |
| On November 30 | 43 |

### SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 182 |
| " served | 157 |
| Warrants issued | 39 |
| " executed | 14 |

### FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 2 |
| " executed | 2 |
| Summonses issued | 13 |
| " served | 10 |
| " withdrawn | 3 |
| Persons apprehended on Warrants | 2 |
| " summoned | 15 |
| Sealing orders issued | 36 |
| " " executed | 4 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 16 |
| " " withdrawn | 14 |
| " " pending | 2 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 5 |

### CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 88 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 40 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 63 |
| " heard | 140 |
| " in course of hearing | 25 |
| " concluded | 66 |
| " awaiting first hearing on Nov. 30 | 67 |
| Summonses issued | 78 |
| " served | 64 |
| " withdrawn | 7 |
| Warrants issued | 34 |
| " executed | 16 |
| " withdrawn | 11 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 16 |
| " summoned | 69 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 44 |
| Sealing orders issued | 17 |
| " " executed | 5 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 10 |
| " " withdrawn | 2 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 2 |

### SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 82 |
| Bonds accepted | 51 |
| " rejected | 19 |

### HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On November 1 | 40 |
| Received | 28 |
| Released | 22 |
| On November 30 | 46 |

### SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| F. Parlani | Italian | L. Koenigsberger | $2,730 and interest | For plaintiff |
| China Vehicle Co. | American | Koh Zau-kya | $694.47 | For plaintiffs for $596.08 |
| Greengoat | Russian | Tsung Kyi Tailor Shop | $27.50 | Dismissed |
| Ivan Staheef & Co. and Lury Bros. | do. | Koo Dien-kyi<br>Koo Dien-san | $2,840.49 | Withdrawn |
| S. Shibanuma | Japanese | Tsang Tsz-ling | Tls. 40,230.34 | For plaintiff with costs |
| J. Spunt & Co. | British | Waung Zah-oen<br>Yoen Zung Hong | Tls. 5,000<br>Tls. 13,883.80 | Withdrawn |
| G. Morando | Italian | Tsang Ah-pau | Tls. 500 and return of tobacco cutting machine | Reserved |
| Olga Pasternak | Russian | Vera Mayer | $790 and Rbs. 9,400 | For plaintiff in $289 and $100 with costs |
| E. C. Lewis | American | Shanghai Godown Co. | Removal of property | Property to be removed and an inventory to be taken on which storage costs will be based |
| R. Kuruma | Japanese | Tshang Lung Paper Hong | Return of 60 reams of paper | Proceeding |
| K. Tomaki | do. | Sung Oong-kaung | Tls. 8,889.424 | do. |
| A. R. Burkill & Sons and China Soap & Candle Co., Ld. | British | Hang Li Soap Factory | Infringement of trade-mark | For plaintiffs in $500 and costs |
| American Trading Co. | American | Yoen Tah-zung, Ng Wa-ching, Zau Yong Meu Tea Hong, Zau Tsu-jung, Vong Tsok-kyuin | Tls. 3,000 and interest | Judgment by default against 3rd and 4th |
| Hyui Koen Dzung | Portuguese | Tsu Mong-yoen, Yoen Zung Loong Tea Hong | Tls. 14,977.093 and interest | Proceeding |
| G. H. Wright | British | Dzung Ngok-ding | Land transaction | For plaintiff |
| Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. | do. | Sung Ding-faung | Tls. 575.00 | Proceeding |
| Abe & Co. | Japanese | Yoen Zung Hong | Tls. 28,855.00 | do. |
| Nakazawa Yoko | do. | do. | Tls. 14,000.00 | do. |
| Eikwo Yoko | do. | do. | Tls. 2,300.00 | do. |

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### Parks Report for November.

*Roadside Trees:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Trees pruned | 156 |
| ,, transplanted | 3 |
| ,, numbered | 3,072 |
| Tree-borers destroyed | 1,415 |

*Road Widenings:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Trees transplanted | 106 |
| Shrubs ,, | 13 |

*Nurseries:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Seedlings transplanted | 14,170 |
| *Shrubs transplanted* at Public Garden | 16 |

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,326 |
| Football | 572 |
| Hockey | 242 |
| Players | 2,140 |
| Non-Players | 6,233 |
| Visitors | 8,373 |

*Plants Bedded Out at:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Public Garden | 874 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 922 |
| Kungping Road Public School | 200 |
| | 1,996 |

W. H. ETTERLEY,
*Assistant Superintendent.*

Countersigned:
CHAS. H. GODFREY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

### Decorations.

The Council's stock of flags may be hired for decorative purposes; the scale of charges as below is in force, with a minimum charge of $5. Applications should be made and delivery taken at the Public Works Department, 7A The Bund; two days' notice of requirements should be given. Any flags lost or damaged will be charged for.

*4 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*
Union Jack, Australia, Canada, India, United States of America, Belgium, France, Italy, Russia, Portugal, Japan, China, Servia, Roumania, Montenegro $0.40 each

*3 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*
Union Jack, Red, White and Blue Ensigns, Australia, Canada, Ceylon, Hongkong, India, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, New Zealand, Queensland, Straits Settlements, South Australia, New South Wales and Western Australia. United States of America, Belgium, Denmark, France, Holland, Italy, Japan, China, Mexico, Montenegro, Norway, Portugal, Russia, Servia, Spain, and Sweden $0.25 each

*2 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*
Union Jack, Red, White and Blue Ensigns, St. George's, St. Andrew's and St. Patrick's Crosses, Australia, Canada, India, Ireland, New South Wales, New Zealand, Queensland, Scotland, Victoria and Wales. United States of America, France, Belgium, Italy, Portugal, Russia, Japan, China, Servia, Montenegro $0.10 each

*Banners*, 9-ft. by 3-ft., fitted with pole, ornament and cord $0.15 each

*Banners*, 5-ft. by 3-ft., fitted with stick $0.10 each

*3-ft. Pennants* on lines $0.05 for ten

### Municipal Publications.

The undermentioned publications may be obtained upon application at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund:—

Land Regulations and Bye-laws for the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, North of the Yangkingpang... 1907 $1.00

Handbook of Local Regulations. Containing Land Regulations and Bye-laws, conditions, security and fees attached to the issue of licences; Municipal Regulations and other information ... ... 1918 $2.50

Annual Reports and Financial Statements for the following years, with the Budget for the year ensuing ... 1907-1918 each 4.00

Reports of Ratepayers' Meetings ... 1878-1909 each 0.10

Land Assessment Schedules. Containing the consular and cadastral numbers of lots, registered owners, areas and values, with plans in four parts, one to each district... 1916 each $1.50

Rules with respect to New Foreign and Chinese Buildings ... ... 1918 1.00

Plans accompanying Land Assessment Schedules 1916 each 1.00

Plan of Shanghai. Shewing Foreign and French Settlements, and surrounding districts. Size 4′ 4″ × 2′ 3″. Scale 1,000 feet 1913.
Unmounted ... ... Tls. 5.00
Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... 7.00

Plan of the Country North of Foreign Settlement of Shanghai. Shewing existing roads and consular lots. Size 9′ 0″ × 4′ 10″. Scale 200 feet ... 1907.
Unmounted ... ... Tls. 20.00
Mounted on linen... 27.00
Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... 35.50

### Concreteware Manufactory.

The following is the price list of drain pipes and other articles manufactured. The prices quoted are ex Depôt in Fearon Road near Range Road. Applications for delivery orders should be made at the Public Works Office, 7A The Bund.

| Size | Length | Description | Price in Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12″ | 2′0″ | Pipes (machine made) | 0.80 |
| 9″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.60 |
| 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.40 |
| 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.28 |
| 12″ x 9″ | 2′0″ | Junctions | 1.60 |
| 12″ x 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.45 |
| 12″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.35 |
| 9″ x 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.15 |
| 9″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.05 |
| 6″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 0.80 |
| 6″ | | Knuckle Bends 90° | 0.50 |
| 4″ | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| 6″ | | Bends (long) 45° | 0.50 |
| 4″ | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. A. (without cover) | 0.40 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Yard Gullies Fig. B. (without cover) | 1.25 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.25 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.60 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. C. (without cover) | 0.45 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Revolving Top Gullies incl. C.I. cover | 0.75 |
| 3′ 0″x2′0″ | 3′0″ | Egg-shaped Tubes | 4.50 |
| 2′ 3″x1′6″ | 3′0″ | ,, ,, | 3.10 |
| 1′ 6″x1′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, ,, | 1.70 |
| 3′ 0″ | 3′0″ | Circular Tubes } Price on application | |
| 4′ 6″ | 4′0″ | ,, ,, } | |
| | 3′0″ | Inverts for 12″ pipes | 0.80 |
| 3′ 0″x2′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 2.20 |
| 2′ 3″x1′6″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 1.75 |
| 1′ 6″x1′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 0.85 |
| 3′ 0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Circular Tubes | 4.10 |
| 2′ 0″x2′0″ | 1′0″ | Manhole shafts (large) | 3.00 |
| 2′ 0″x2′0″ | 6″ | ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| 1′ 5″x1′5″ | 6″ | ,, Top Frames | 2.55 |
| 3′10″x1′4″ | 5¾″ | ,, Slabs (large) | 2.90 |
| 3′ 0″x1′5″ | 2¾″ | ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| | | ,, Bricks No. 34a | 0.03½ |
| | | ,, ,, 34b | 0.03½ |
| | | Blind manhole cover (large) | 2.50 |
| | | Blind manhole cover (small) | 1.00 |
| 1′ 6″x1′4″ | 12″ | Street Pot Gullies (bottom) } | 6.50 |
| | | Street Pot Gullies (top) } | |
| 5″ x 2″ | 4′0″ | Kerbs | 0·90 |
| 5″ x 4″ | 4′0″ | Channels | 0·90 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 3′3″ | Pavement Tubes | 1.20 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 2′3″ | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4″ | 9″ | ,, Sockets | 0.38 |
| 3″ | 9″ | ,, ,, | 0.38 |
| 4′0″ x 2′0″ | | Kitchen Sinks | 5.50 |
| 2′6″ x 2′0″ | | ,, ,, | 4.00 |
| 12″ x 4″ | 3′0″ | Boundary Stones | 2.65 |
| | 2′ | M. C. R. Stones | 0.85 |
| | 4′ | ,, ,, | 1.00 |
| 4′0″ x 1′6″ | | Grave Slabs per set of 6 | 9.00 |
| 4′0″ x 1′0″ | | ,, ,, 2 | 2.10 |
| | 18′ | Bearing Pile } Prices on application | |
| | 14′ | ,, ,, | |
| | 10′ | Sheet Pile | |
| | 7′6″ | ,, ,, | |
| | | Fence Post | |
| | | Ridge Tile | 0.27 |
| | | Square Tile | 0.05½ |
| | 2′5¾″ | Sidewalk Slab } Prices on application | |
| | 1′11¾″ | ,, ,, | |
| | 0 11¾″ | ,, ,, | |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2655.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2669.**

**BYE-LAWS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Bye-laws Nos. XXXIII to XXXVII inclusive, drawn up by the Consular Body, published in the Municipal Gazette of June 26, 1919, and passed and approved at the Special Meeting of Ratepayers held on July 10, 1919, in substitution for the existing Bye-laws Nos. XXXIII to XXXVII inclusive attached to the Land Regulations, have received the sanction of the Foreign Ministers in Peking and that the Council is accordingly vested with the powers thereby conferred.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 25, 1919.

AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Tuesday, December 30, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. W. Burkill (*Chairman*)
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
P. Peebles

The meeting adjourned at 7.25 p.m.

AT the special meeting of the Council held on Friday, January 2, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 6.40 p.m.

AT the special meeting of the Council held on Monday, January 5, 1920, at 2 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 3.50 p.m.

AT the special meeting of the Council held on Tuesday, January 6, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m.. there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 6.40 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, January 7, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 6.40 p.m.

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### Volunteer Corps.

*"B" Co. British.*—Leave is granted to 2nd Lieut. L. M. ff Beytagh from January 5 to April 30.

*Italian Co.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, the promotion of Lieut. V. Chieri to be Captain is authorized.

*Light Horse.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, a commission as 2nd Lieutenant is authorized for issue to Sergt.-Major T. G. Drakeford.

### Electricity Committee.

The resignation of Mr. P. Peebles of his seat on the above Committee has been accepted with regret.

### Chinese Advisory Committee

Letter from the Chairmen of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce and the League of Street Unions with the Council's reply, and letter to the Senior Consul:—

Shanghai, January 7, 1920.

SIR,—With a view to the peaceful and satisfactory settlement of outstanding questions, and for the purpose of securing justice and fair-play for the Chinese ratepayers in the International settlement, we, the undersigned, representing the General Chamber of Commerce, and the League of Street Unions (including over 10,000 shops on 40 roads), beg to recommend as a temporary measure to the Municipal Council for recognition a Chinese Committee of six who will be elected by the two Chinese organizations referred to and whose names will be communicated to the Council later. The functions of this Committee are to advise with the Council on all Municipal affairs, particularly those wherein Chinese interests are concerned. For the sake of effective and efficient co-operation on the part of the Chinese rate-payers, the counsel of the Chinese advisers should be respected. It is earnestly hoped that this proposal will meet with the hearty approval and support of the Council, and this Advisory Committee will start to function at an early date. In the meanwhile we shall continue to look for and work out some way whereby the fundamental principle of taxation with representation shall be fulfilled to the satisfaction of the Chinese ratepayers in the settlement.

Awaiting the Council's early and favourable reply,

We are,
Yours faithfully,
CHU PAO-SAN,
*Chairman,*
*The General Chamber of Commerce.*
CHEN TSEH-MIN,
*Chairman,*
*The League of Street Unions.*

The Chairman, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, January 7, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter to the Chairman of Council of January 7, and to forward herein enclosed copy of a letter which the Council addressed to the Consular Body on October 24, 1919, expressing its views upon the subject matter dealt with in your letter under reply.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

MESSRS. CHU PAO-SAN,
Chairman, Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, and
CHEN TSEH-MIN,
Chairman, The League of Street Unions.

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(*Enclosure.*)

Council Room,
Shanghai October 24, 1919.

SIR,—Since so much attention has been focussed during the past few months on the demand made at the time of the Rate Agitation of July and August last, that Chinese should be admitted to membership of the Council, and since it is understood that official representations have recently been made to the Diplomatic Body and referred to the Consular Body for an expression of its views, I have the honour to advise you that the question of admitting Chinese to participation in the administration of the affairs of this Settlement, either through the medium of a Chinese Advisory Board or Committee or by amendment of the Land Regulations to permit of their election to the Council, was considered at a recent meeting of members and ex-members of Council. After full discussion a vote was unanimously recorded against Chinese representation on the Council on any consideration, but in favour of the creation of a Chinese Advisory Board or Committee, provided that its meetings be held in the Council's Offices, that it shall have a membership of five to be nominated annually by the Chinese, that the nominations be subject to the veto of the Consular Body, that the nominees shall have resided in the Settlement for the five years immediately preceding nomination, that they shall have paid General Municipal Rate during the whole of this period on an assessed rental of not less than Tls. 1,200 per annum, that they shall not, at the time of nomination nor whilst on the membership of the committee, hold any official appointment under the Chinese Government, and finally that the functions of the committee be limited to those set forth in Clause 4 of the Settlement Extension Draft Agreement of 1915 hereinafter referred to.

In recording this vote the meeting was unable to dissociate the demand for Chinese representation on the Council from the efforts of the past few years and particularly since the signing of the Armistice, to secure the abolition of Extra-territoriality Settlements, Concessions and Spheres of Influence, and general expression was given to the view that these efforts must be met and resisted until, by good government and by the adoption of a policy of progression and development in accord with the standards common to every enlightened Nation. China has shown that she is fitted to receive full retrocession of those rights which she contends have been wrongfully wrested from her, but which in fact the foreigner either had vested in him by treaty or has been forced to assume and exercise from motives of self-preservation and protection, or because of the hopeless inability of China to exercise them herself for the benefit of her own people and of those who seek a domicile in her lands.

As regards an Advisory Board or Committee, the considerations are different. The Council has always appreciated the value of the Chinese viewpoint and, at every critical time in Municipal affairs where Chinese interests have been concerned, has sought means of learning the opinions of prominent Chinese residents. True it is that its recognition of a so-called representative committee, in 1905-6 led to the passing of a resolution at the Meeting of Ratepayers held on March 1906, declining to confirm its action, but it is believed that the views of Ratepayers on this subject have since undergone considerable change. Indeed when the Draft Agreement for an Extension of the Settlement, with provision for the establishment of a Chinese Advisory Board, submitted to you by the Special Envoy for Foreign Affairs early in 1915, was laid before the Ratepayers in March of that year, their approval was readily accorded. Inasmuch however as approval was sought and given upon the basis that the Settlement area would be extended, and since ratification of the Agreement has remained in abeyance for reasons for which I need not deal, it will now be necessary for the Ratepayers' directions to be sought as to whether such a Board or Committee should be approved irrespective of Settlement Extension. I have the honour to inform you that the Council proposes to seek such directions at the Meeting of Ratepayers in March or April next and to state that there is every reason to believe that such approval will be duly accorded.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul

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### Chinese Government Stamp Tax.

Correspondence with the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce and the Senior Consul on the subject of the levy of Stamp Tax on residents of the Settlement:—

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*Translation of letter from the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce to the Council, dated December 28, 1919.*

With regard to the Chinese Government's order requiring Chinese merchants in the Settlement to pay Stamp Duty, as the arrangements proposed for its collection present many difficulties, indeed, are unworkable, the Chinese merchants (in the Settlement) have sworn not to pay the Stamp Tax. At the same time this Chamber has wired to the Government pointing out the difficulties and asking it to rescind the order. Since the European war Chinese merchants have suffered to no small extent and the levy of a Stamp Duty would be a very heavy burden. The Council is aware of the circumstances and the writer points out that the attempt to collect a Stamp Duty from January 1 next cannot be enforced. Besides addressing the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to give due notice, the Chamber asks the Council to take note and to act in accordance with the sentiments (of the Chinese businessmen of this Settlement.)

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Council Room,
Shanghai, January 2, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of December 28, 1919, recording the protest of your Chamber against any levy of the Chinese Government Stamp Tax on residents of the Settlement, and in reply to inform you that there is not the slightest truth in the reports which have recently gained currency that the Council is about to enforce the payment of this Tax.

Ever since the establishment of the Settlement, the Council has consistently and successfully safeguarded the interests of Chinese residents and merchants by opposing every attempt on the part of outside authorities, in disregard of established agreements, to impose any restraint or restriction upon the trade of the Settlement or to impose any form of taxation upon Chinese resident therein, and I am to assure you that the Council has not approved and does not approve of any change in this policy. Apart from the Chinese Government Land Tax and Customs Duties which are levied under express sanction, no taxation within Settlement Limits is authorized, other than that which is levied by the Council to provide for the proper administration of the Settlement and for the protection of all foreigners and Chinese who reside therein: accordingly any attempt to enforce any other taxation should be promptly reported to the Council for the requisite action.

In thanking you for bringing this matter to the Council's notice, I am directed to inform you that, lest there should be any truth in the report that proposals are under consideration for the extension of the Stamp Tax to the Settlement, the Council's most emphatic protest against any such proposals has been addressed to the Consular Body.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

CHU PAO-SAN, Esq.,
Chairman, Chinese General Chamber of Commerce.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, January 3, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to address you on the subject of certain reports which have recently appeared in the Chinese press in regard to the Chinese Government Stamp Tax and to forward herein for the consideration of the Consular Body copy of correspondence which has passed on this subject between the Council and the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce.

Having regard to the support which the Council has received in the past, both from the Consular and Diplomatic Bodies, against the many attempts made by Chinese Authorities to impose restraint or restriction upon the trade of the Settlement or to impose lekin or other forms of taxation upon Chinese resident therein, in deliberate violation of the agreements frequently recorded and enforced for the exemption of the Settlement from lekin and other forms of Chinese taxation, the Council is loath to believe the report that proposals to extend the levy of the Chinese Government Stamp Tax to the Settlement have been favourably received by the Diplomatic Body, but in view of the credence that this report has obtained amongst the Chinese Community, whose welfare and interests it is ever the Council's endeavour to safeguard, I have the honour to place on record the unanimous and emphatic protest of my colleagues and myself against any such proposals that may be under consideration and that may have this end in view, and, in doing so, to emphasize that the Council cannot assent to any form of Chinese taxation in the Settlement, other than the Chinese Government land tax and Customs duties, which are levied under express sanction, and to observe that the only taxation which is levied by the Council is so levied to provide for the proper administration of the Settlement and for the protection of those, whether Chinese or foreigners, who seek a domicile therein.

In registering this protest I have the honour to refer to the Council's Annual Reports for 1904 pages 47 to 52 inclusive, 1906 pages 192 and 193, 1909 pages 92 to 106 inclusive and 1916 page 54a, which record several typical instances in which Chinese authorities have sought to impose some restraint or restriction on the trade of the Settlement or to impose some form of taxation on Chinese resident therein, the action taken by the Council in connexion therewith and the support accorded by the Consular Body.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.

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*Translation of letter from the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce to the Council, dated January 7, 1920.*

The Chinese General Chamber of Commerce acknowledges receipt of the Council's letter of January 2, 1920, on the subject of the Stamp Tax; the members note its contents and express their appreciation.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Manila Road.* — Arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. Algar & Co., Ld., for the surrender of Lot No. 1764 required for the widening of this road. The area of the lot is Mow 0.226 and the compensation paid Tls. 2,277.

**Public Lighting.**

*Kwenming Road.*—The recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works has been adopted, to erect six additional lamps in the section of Kwenming Road between Alcock Road and Dalny Road, at a cost of Tls. 168 per annum.

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 3.

*Health Department.*—Dr. A. Moore, Assistant Health Officer, is permitted to terminate his service on January 9, 1920, the date of expiry of his agreement.

*Public Works Department.*—Captain H. C. Clements, M.C., is appointed Engineering Assistant under agreement from February 1, 1920.

*Educational Department.*—Mr. J. A. Jackson, returned from war service, is re-engaged temporarily as Assistant Master in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys from December 15.

The appointment of Mr. C. N. de Trafford, Assistant Master in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, is confirmed under agreement from January 1, 1920.

*Finance Department.*—Mr. E. F. Goodale, Treasurer, has withdrawn his resignation. Henceforward his official designation will be "Treasurer and Comptroller."

*Revenue Office.*—Long leave is granted to Collector T. E. Wilson from April 1, 1920.

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## Public Band.

On Sunday next, January 11, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

EIGHTH CONCERT:

1.—(a) Preludium — Jarnefelt
(b) Symphonic Sketch:
"*In the Steppes of Central Asia*" — Borodin
(c) Bridal Procession — Grieg

2.—*Serenade*, for Strings only
(a) Moderato
(b) Valse
(c) Scherzo — Dvorak

3.—First Symphony, B flat major
(a) Andante un poco maestoso —Allegro molto vivace
(b) Larghetto
(c) Scherzo
(d) Allegro animato e grazioso — Schumann

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, January 4, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 22,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 673,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 2 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 18 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 152 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 86 752 4071 | Kiukiang Range Whashing | A. Lafuente Chun Wei Ping Heng Foong Cotton Mfg. Co. | | | altns. addns. wall |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| Un-reg. E of 5965 | Ferry | Sung Kyung Kee | | | addns. |

## Electricity Department.

REPORT ON THE NINE MONTHS ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1919.

From the attached Comparative Table the Committee will note a general increase of the Department's activities over the corresponding period of 1918. The nett profit for the nine months is considerably higher than in the period of the previous year, but I would express the opinion that this would have been greater had the generating plant at Riverside not been run under such adverse conditions. It is the old story of not having sufficient plant to lay off other machines for overhaul. The largest machine installed at present is of 10,000 kilowatts capacity. This machine has been running almost continuously for two years with no opportunity of laying it off for a sufficient time to make a thorough overhaul. As a result of this difficulty a thorough overhaul of the condensing plant cannot be given, and as the vacuum is lower than it should be, there is a corresponding increased steam consumption, which in turn brings about a higher coal consumption than would be the case if a higher vacuum were maintained. With turbine machinery a higher vacuum is such a very necessary condition, that when this is impaired the coal costs must naturally increase. I consider that had we been in a position to give more attention to the running machinery the nett profit for the nine months would have been very much greater than it is.

It will be noted that the units sold for Private Lighting are still on the increase, whilst power units show a very large rise.

T. H. U. ALDRIDGE,
*Engineer-in-Chief & Manager.*

COMPARATIVE TABLE FOR NINE MONTHS ENDING SEPTEMBER, 1919.

| | 1918. | 1919. |
|---|---|---|
| Total lamps connected (equiv. 30 watts) | 670,318 | 744,484 |
| Lamps connected during 9 months (Lighting) | 1,639 | 57,535 |
| Lamps connected during 9 months (Heating) | 53,745 | 53,661 |
| House service connexions during 9 months | 1,016 | 2,101 |
| Motors — horse power to date | 26,007 | 30,794 |
| Units generated | 75,729,092 | 91,091,563 |
| Units sold | 66,959,277 | 79,688,448 |
| Ratio between units generated and sold % | 88.42 | 87.48 |
| Private Lighting | 10,116,967 | 11,415,707 |
| Public Lighting | 817,852 | 854,871 |
| Heating | 621,673 | 584,996 |
| Power | 47,332,266 | 56,767,483 |
| Traction | 2,808,791 | 3,048,124 |
| Units accounted for | 5,261,928 | 7,017,267 |
| Coal tons | 88,171 | 105,105 |
| Coal per unit generated lbs. | 2.61 | 2.58 |
| Coal per unit sold lbs. | 2.95 | 2.95 |
| Oil gallons | 2,197 | 3,242 |
| Water " | 8,761,000 | 13,143,000 |

## Fire Brigade Report for November, 1919.

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 21, as against 11 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 16,150 (Foreign, Tls. 12,000; Chinese, Tls. 4,150), as against Tls. 45,450 (Foreign, Tls. Nil; Chinese, Tls. 45,450) during November, 1918. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 506,700 (Foreign, Tls. 146,700; Chinese, Tls. 360,000), as against Tls. 216,000 (Foreign, Tls. 100,000; Chinese, Tls. 116,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 15, Watch Towers 3, Police 1, Street Alarm 1 and Messenger 1.

The district call was given on 8 occasions, the remaining 13 being station calls.

These calls proved to be 16 small fires, 1 chimney fire, 2 false alarms and 2 fires outside the Settlement.

The supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Dropped match or cigarette end | 7 |
| Charcoal stove in contact with bales of tea | 1 |
| Candle upset | 1 |
| Stove upset | 1 |
| Sparks from chimney | 1 |
| Child playing with matches | 1 |
| Oil overboiling | 1 |
| Ignition of gasolene vapour | 1 |
| Back fire of gas | 1 |
| Unknown | 1 |

The premises affected were:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Foreign buildings | 4 |
| Chinese buildings | 14 |

Of these, 14 houses were more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The water used at fires during the month was 48,820 gallons.

The Brigade was occupied 98¾ hours at fires, or supposed fires.

The fires of note during the month were:—

*S.S. "Kobe Maru," November 14, at 10.45 a.m.*—Valuable assistance was rendered at a serious fire in the No. 2 hold of the above vessel. Hongkew Division with a section of Central working from the wharfside were in time to deal sufficiently with the fire to prevent it from involving the rest of the ship. The Brigade Float with that of the Customs arriving afterwards augmented the

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water supply, and by noon the fire was practically extinguished. The operations of the Brigade were made rather dangerous by the ship heavily listing to starboard and then to port. An appreciative letter was received from the owners congratulating the Brigade on their work.

*8A Chengtu Road, November 18, at 12.40 a.m.*—The above premises, a fairly large three storey silk filature were well alight on the ground floor, the outbreak having started amongst a quantity of silk cocoons, and the fire had already obtained a hold on the first floor. The Sinza Division supported by a section of Central, although severely hampered by smoke got right above and prevented damage to the second floor and but very little on the first, the centre and back portion of the ground floor being damaged. It is very unusual for a building of this description, where the fire has obtained such a hold, for the premises to be saved. As it was the damage only amounted to a sixth of the value of the filature.

M. W. Pett,
*Chief Officer.*

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call | | Alarm given | Locality | District | | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Time of | How received | | | Municipal | Fire | | | Hours | Minutes | |
| Nov. 1 | 9.20 a.m. | Central Tower | Station | Thibet & Amoy Roads | Central | 6 | | | | 15 | False alarm |
| 1 | 12.27 p.m. | Massenger | ,, | Soochow Road | ,, | 3 | | | | 10 | Motor car on fire |
| 2 | 9.15 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | Hannen Road | Northern | 2 | Foreign Hospital | 1 damaged | | 10 | |
| 2 | 6.07 p.m. | ,, | ,, | L 161-3 Canton Road | Central | 4 | Chinese Shop | | | 10 | |
| 3 | 12.04 p.m. | ,, | District | X 149 off North Shanse Road | Northern | 8 | Chinese Tailors | 3 damaged | 24 | | |
| 7 | 11.40 a.m. | ,, | ,, | S. S. "Unda" Yangtszepoo Dock | Outside | | | | | 20 | |
| 7 | 6.09 p.m. | Central Police | ,, | RB 459 Urga Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Foundry | 1 damaged | 2 | | |
| 8 | 6.44 p.m. | Telephone | Station | GG 42 off Pakhoi Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 15 | |
| 12 | 9.29 a.m. | Central Tower | District | D 166 Shantung Road | ,, | 4 | Chinese Printers | 1 damaged | 7 | | |
| 13 | 12.27 p.m. | Telephone | Station | R 252-3 East Hanbury Rd. | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shop | 1 ,, | 1 | | |
| 14 | 10.25 a.m. | ,, | District | S.S. "Kobe Maru" | Outside | | | | 6 | | |
| 15 | 12.28 a.m. | ,, | ,, | G 520 Fokien Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Hong | 2 damaged | 20 | | |
| 18 | 12.40 a.m. | ,, | ,, | 8A Chengtu Rd. | Western | 7 | Foreign Silk Filature | 1 ,, | 16 | | |
| 19 | 1.35 p.m. | ,, | Station | PE 974 off Elgin Road | Northern | 8 | Chinese Dwelling | 1 ,, | 2 | | |
| 20 | 3.00 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Cc 112 East Yu-hang Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shop | 1 ,, | 1 | | |
| 21 | 11.32 a.m. | ,, | ,, | E 613 Burkill Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 15 | Chimney |
| 21 | 9.35 p.m. | ,, | ,, | 162 Dixwell Rd. | Northern | 2 | Foreign Residence | | | 30 | |
| 22 | 1.14 p.m. | ,, | ,, | J 314 Avenue Edward VII | Central | 5 | Chinese Shop | 1 damaged | 5 | | |
| 23 | 11.19 p.m. | Street Alarm | ,, | Peking & Che-kiang Roads | ,, | 6 | | | | 10 | False alarm |
| 26 | 3.05 a.m. | Central Tower | ,, | Nanking Road | ,, | 5 | Foreign Store | | | 30 | |
| 30 | 3.04 a.m. | Telephone | District | 2 Ichang Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Cotton Mill | 1 damaged | 12 | | |

M. W. Pett, *Chief Officer.*

**Municipal Publications.**

The undermentioned publications may be obtained upon application at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund:—

Land Regulations and Bye-laws for the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, North of the Yangkingpang... 1907 $1.00

Handbook of Local Regulations. Containing Land Regulations and Bye-laws, conditions, security and fees attached to the issue of licences; Municipal Regulations and other information ... ... 1918 $2.50

Annual Reports and Financial Statements for the following years, with the Budget for the year ensuing ... 1907-1918 each 4.00

Reports of Ratepayers' Meetings ... 1878-1909 each 0.10

Land Assessment Schedules. Containing the consular and cadastral numbers of lots, registered owners, areas and values, with plans in four parts, one to each district... 1916 each $1.50

Rules with respect to New Foreign and Chinese Buildings ... ... 1918 1.00

Plans accompanying Land Assessment Schedules 1916 each 1.00

Plan of Shanghai. Shewing Foreign and French Settlements, and surrounding districts. Size 4′ 4″ × 2′ 3″. Scale 1,000 feet 1913.
Unmounted ... ... Tls. 5.00
Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... 7.00

Plan of the Country North of Foreign Settlement of Shanghai. Shewing existing roads and consular lots. Size 9′ 0″ × 4′ 10″. Scale 200 feet ... 1907.
Unmounted ... ... Tls. 20.00
Mounted on linen... 27.00
Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... 35.50

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局有權承攬全份或

二 未承攬目錄是極低本局為自有權

三 經行估定必准攬價之後該承辦人局如有不承辦人為

四 所有承攬各信人及承攬之信人報價須寫明付款之價目

五 本局有取閱說明書後方准入標本局公開之後方准入標

六 所有以後登載本局若有此項實驗單付款之價目

後仍將該款明清單內登錄之價目

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

信二部面漆其承攬信項工料等物必於十二月十日上午十一時以前送交工部局總辦處或上海西路二號信箱內

清單來信時之前以至江西路公園內交信箱或由挂號信投遞

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 195 | 20 Miles of Bare Copper Cable | Tls. 5 | March 18 |
| 196 | 13 ,, of Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | do. |
| 197 | 8 ,, of Vulcanised Cable | Tls. 5 | do. |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 189

165,000 tons of Coal for delivery at Riverside Power Station during 1920

†Kailan Mining Administration
Yebara & Co.
†Mitsui Bussan Kaisha
Chung Hsiang Coal Co.
Sam Joe & Co.

Tender No. 190

10,000 tons of Coal for delivery at Fearon Road Power Station during 1920

Yebara & Co.
*Furukawa & Co.
Gt. Buddha Co.
Sam Joe & Co.

Tender No 192

Hardware Sundries

| | |
|---|---|
| *W. Z. Zee & Sons | Prices as per Schedule |
| Ching Chong & Co. | ,, |
| Anglo-Chinese Engineering Association | ,, |
| ‡Yut Sue Chang & Co. | ,, |

Tender No. 193

Gun-Metal and Brass Castings

| | Gun-metal per lb. | Brass per lb. |
|---|---|---|
| Kwong Chong | Tls. 0.70 | Tls. 0.50 |
| Kien Cheong | 0.57 | 0.36 |
| Tuck Tai | 0.56 | 0.36 |
| Way Cheong | 0.50 | 0.36 |
| *Tuh Shun Chong Co. | 0.44 | 0.35 |
| Van Chong | 0.41 | 0.32 |

Tender No. 194

Cast Iron Castings

| | Loam per lb. | Sand per lb. |
|---|---|---|
| Kwong Chong | Tls. 0.07½ | Tls. 0.06 |
| Van Chong | 0.061 | 0.041 |
| Kien Cheong | 0.055 | 0.050 |
| Way Cheong | 0.052 | 0.047 |
| Tuh Shun Chong Co. | 0.051 | 0.037½ |
| *Tuck Tai | 0.047 | 0.043 |

†Accepted for 82,500 tons each
*Accepted
‡Incomplete

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2655.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2671.**

**EXCHANGE AND TOBACCO SHOPS.**

THE public is hereby notified that on and after April 1, all keepers of Exchange and Tobacco Shops are required to take out a licence under Bye-law XXXIV.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

### EXCHANGE SHOP OR STALL LICENCE.

CONDITIONS:

1. That the licence be not transferable.
2. That the licensee shall be the responsible owner of the business conducted at the shop or stall.
3. That the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous place inside the shop or stall.
4. That the word "Licensed Chinese Money Exchange, or Cash Shop" be exhibited conspicuously in large characters on the shop or stall both in English and Chinese.
5. That free access be given to the Police on duty and to officers of the Revenue Office charged with the inspection of licensed premises.
6. That the shop or stall be closed at 12 o'clock midnight and not re-opened until 5 o'clock a.m.
7. That the rate of exchange for the day be exhibited conspicuously in large figures on the shop or stall both in English and Chinese.
8. That the licensee report any change of address of his place of business to the Revenue Office and that the responsible ownership of the business be not transferred without the permission of the Council.
9. That the shop or stall cause no obstruction in the street or thoroughfare.
10. That no counterfeit money or forged notes be knowingly received or uttered by the licensee or by any person in his employ and that all information relating to any such counterfeit money or forged notes be immediately given to the Police.
11. That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
12. That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to cancellation or suspension by the Council and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

From Tls. 1 to Tls. 25 per quarter, according to class of establishment, payable in advance.

### TOBACCO SHOP OR STALL LICENCE.

CONDITIONS:

1. That the licence be not transferable.
2. That the licence number plate be fixed in a conspicuous position at the main outside entrance to the shop or stall and remain at all times legible and undefaced and that the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous place inside the premises.
3. That free access be given to the Police on duty and to officers of the Revenue Office charged with the inspection of licensed premises.

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4. That the shop or stall be closed at 12 o'clock midnight, and not re-opened until 5 o'clock a.m.
5. That the shop or stall cause no obstruction in the street or thoroughfare.
6. That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
7. That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

From Tls. 1 to Tls. 25 per quarter, according to class of establishment, payable in advance.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 15, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, January 9, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m.. there were:—

*Present:*
Mr. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
Mrs. D. Henman
Messrs. W. P. Lambe
W. D McCallum
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Messrs. L. E. Canning
S. C. Lin

The meeting adjourned at 6.35 p.m.

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AT the special meeting of the Counci held on Monday, January 12 1920, at 12 o'clock noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 1.15 p.m

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, January 14, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 7.10 p.m.

**Consular Body.**

A letter from Sir Everard Fraser, K.C.M.G., informs the Council that he has resumed charge of H.M. Consulate-General with effect from January 13.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*Shanghai Scottish.*—The resignation of 2nd-Lieut. C. W. Porter, forwarded by the Commandant, has been accepted by the Council with regret.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, commissions as Lieutenant are authorized for issue to the following gentlemen:—

*Artillery.*—Mr. J. S. Hay.

*Customs Co.*—Mr. W. J. Leahy, M.C.

**Illegal Detention.**

Further correspondence with the Senior Consul and Mr. M. L. Heen, in continuation of that published in the Gazette of November 20:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 17, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to refer to the correspondence which has passed between us on the subject of the illegal arrest and detention by the Chinese Authorities of one Yu Tshung-ling, a Chinese resident of this Settlement.

The Council's representations having, up to the present, failed to secure the release of the unfortunate man concerned, I have the honour to request that the matter be referred to the Diplomatic Body in Peking, in order that such steps as are considered requisite may be taken to attain this result; and also with a view to the preservation inviolate of that protection which it is the Council's duty to extend to all Chinese residents.

In this connexion, I have the honour to point out that the statements so far rendered by the Chinese Authorities are not such as could reasonably be accepted in disproof of the illegality of their action; and to state that, unless the Council's representations are complied with, it is highly probable that cases of this nature will become more frequent, with the inevitable result that the security of person and property, which residence in this Settlement confers, will gradually disappear.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

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Shanghai, December 29, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—As a result of the strong measures taken by the Council, my client Yu Tshung-ling was last Saturday, December 27, 1919, released from the custody of the Shun Pan-ting where he had been unlawfully detained for some months. My client is naturally grateful for all that has been done in his behalf and he is desirous of calling on you personally with this letter for the purpose of giving thanks to the Council.

Yours faithfully,
M. L. HEEN.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, December 30, 1919.

SIR,—I have the honour to refer to the correspondence which has passed between us on the subject of the illegal arrest and detention by the Chinese Authorities of one Yu Tshung-ling, a Chinese resident of this Settlement, and in particular to my letter of December 17 requesting representations in the matter to the Diplomatic Body in Peking and to send you herein enclosed copy of a letter received from Mr. M. L. Heen, counsel for the said Yu Tshung-ling, notifying his release on December 27.

In this connexion I have the honour to express the Council's appreciation of the action taken by the Consular Body.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C PEARCE,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul

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**Chinese Education.**

*Normal School.*—The following students having satisfied the Examiners in

(a) The Theory and Practice of Teaching

(b) Psychology

(c) English Composition and Conversation,

are now entitled to the Final Certificate of the Shanghai Municipal Council Normal School:—

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|---|---|
| Liu Bang-nien | (劉鵬年) |
| F. K. Sing | (郭 信) |
| Wong Yoh-yoong | (王學鏞) |
| Hsu Vung-ping | (王文彬) |
| King Jen-ling | (龔乾麟) |
| Huang Kien-shung | (黃建勳) |
| Lock Siu-yoong | (樂秀榮) |

**Chinese Advisory Committee.**

Correspondence with Mr. Chu Pao-san, Chairman of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. Chen Tseh-min, Chairman, League of Street Unions.

Shanghai, January 10, 1920.

SIR,—We beg to acknowledge receipt of your communication of January 7, with the enclosed copy of your Chairman's letter to the Senior Consul dated October 24 last.

In reply we would beg to lay the following suggestion before the members of Council, viz.:—

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That a Provisional Advisory Committee of five Chinese gentlemen be elected to take office as soon as possible so as to solve the outstanding difficulties, on the terms expressed in your Chairman's letter to the Senior Consul with two exceptions, that their election be not subject to the veto of the Consular Body, and that their functions be not limited to those set forth in Clause 4 of the Settlement Extension Draft Agreement of 1915.

The functions of this Committee shall terminate upon the final confirmation of the amended land regulations and the election of the Chinese councillors.

Yours faithfully,
CHU PAO-SAN,
*Chairman,*
*The General Chamber of Commerce.*
CHEN TSEH-MIN,
*Chairman,*
*League of Street Unions.*

CHAIRMAN, Municipal Council, Shanghai.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, January 12, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—In reply to your letter of January 10, the Council has already communicated to you, in its letter to the Consular Body of October 24, 1919, forwarded to you on January 7, its intention to submit a resolution at the forthcoming Meeting of Ratepayers providing for the establishment of a Chinese Advisory Committee.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Messrs. CHU PAO-SAN,
Chairman, Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, and
CHEN TSEH-MIN,
Chairman, The League of Street Unions.

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Shanghai, January 13, 1920.

SIR,—We have the honour to request that you may see your way to defer the collection of rates from the shops for a period of three days from this date within which time we, the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, will undertake to use our best endeavour to advise and prevail upon the shopkeepers to pay rates.

Anxiously awaiting an early reply,

We have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servants,
THE CHINESE GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,
CHU PAO-SAN,
*Chairman.*

The CHAIRMAN, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, January 14, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of January 13 addressed to the Chairman of Council and in reply to inform you that the collection of rates for the current quarter is proceeding and that the Council regrets that it cannot consent to any deferment as is requested by you.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

CHU PAO-SAN, Esq.,
Chairman, Chinese General Chamber of Commerce.

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**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Avenue Edward VII, Thibet and Yunnan Roads.*—The following correspondence with Messrs. Lester, Johnson & Morriss contains the terms upon which the scheduled area of Lot 695 has been acquired:—

Shanghai, October 21, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We beg to thank you for plan of Cadastral Lot 695, Central, showing land required by the Municipal Council for widening of Avenue Edward VII, Thibet Road and Yunnan Road; we are instructed by the beneficial owners to surrender the land on payment at the rate of assessed value per mow plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender.

In order to save correspondence we are to inform you that no betterment is admitted and that no consideration will be given to any suggestion of deduction of claim under such plea.

Yours faithfully,
LESTER, JOHNSON & MORRISS.

CHAS. H. GODFREY, Esq.,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 28, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—In reply to your letter of October 21, addressed to the Commissioner of Public Works, on the subject of the surrender of the area of Lot 695 required for Avenue Edward VII, Thibet and Yunnan Roads, I am directed to inform you that the Council cannot agree with your contention regarding betterment, since it is considered that such unquestionably results from the fact that the widening from this property forms a part of the scheme for the Avenue Edward VII improvement, and when the present conditions are compared with those which obtained when the old Sungkiang Road and the insanitary Yangkingpang still remained in existence, the contrast is so obvious that in members' opinion it obviates the necessity of advancing further arguments in support of the view that vast improvement therein has since been effected. These remarks apply equally to the Defence Creek and Thibet Road frontages.

In view, however, of the proportionally large area required from your lot, the Council has decided in your case to claim one-sixth only for betterment in respect of the Avenue Edward VII, and Yunnan Road frontages, and one-third for betterment in respect of the Thibet Road frontage, as in the case of the former negotiations with your goodselves on the subject of Lot 1325, in which case the Land Commissioners awarded a deduction of one-third for betterment.

The maximum terms therefore which the Council is prepared to pay in respect of this improvement and without prejudice to the Council's contention that a full deduction of one-third for betterment would not be unreasonable if the matter goes before the Land Commission, are as follows:—

Avenue Edward VII and Yunnan Road.

| | Tls. | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Area Mow 2.098 at Tls. 14,000 | 29,372 | |
| Less 1/6th | 4,895 | |
| | 24,477 | |
| Plus 10% | 2,447 | 26,924 |

Thibet Road.

| | Tls. | |
|---|---|---|
| Area Mow 0.782 at Tls. 14,000 | 10,948 | |
| Less 1/3rd | 3,649 | |
| | 7,299 | |
| Plus 10% | 729 | 8,028 |
| | Tls. | 34,952 |

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Messrs. LESTER, JOHNSON & MORRISS.

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Shanghai, December 3, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of November 28, referring to land surrender Cadastral Lot 695, Central, and informing us that the Council consider that certain deductions should be made from the amount of compensation claimed on account of alleged betterments of various degrees.

We are instructed to draw your attention to the surrender of land lately made ex Cadastral Lot 700, in which case full compensation was paid by the Council, and no deduction whatever was suggested, or asked for, by the Council. We recognize that every case should be judged on its own merits, but we venture the opinion that as regards the south and east frontages of Cadastral Lot 695 the two cases are not dissimilar.

We are authorized to make the following offer in order to meet the Council; if the Council will give the same terms for the land to be surrendered from frontages on Avenue Edward VII and Yunnan Road as were given in the case of Cadastral Lot 700, we will accept the Council's terms for surrender of land on Thibet Road; the total amount of compensation would be Tls. 40,337.

This offer is made without prejudice to our previous claim should it not be accepted.

Yours faithfully,
LESTER, JOHNSON & MORRISS.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, December 19, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of December 3 with further reference to the compensation payable in respect of the Avenue Edward VII and Thibet Road ex Lot 695.

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The Council notes that in submitting your revised claim, you suggest that this lot presents parallel features to that of Lot 700. Examination of the plan, however, will show that the cases are dissimilar inasmuch as the area remaining to Lot 700 after the road surrender was small and with irregular boundaries, whereas the remaining area of Lot 695 will be 6 mow of a uniform depth capable of extensive development and facing on two broad thoroughfares and the large circus formed by the junction of Thibet Road and Avenue Edward VII.

In these circumstances I am directed to inform you that the Council is unable to regard as reasonable any compensation in excess of that offered in my letter of November 28, Tls. 34,952.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Messrs. LESTER, JOHNSON & MORRISS.

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Shanghai, December 29, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 19th instant, and in reply have to inform you that the beneficial owners of Cadastral Lot 695, Central, have instructed us to accept the Council's offer contained in your letter of November 28 last in order to settle the case without further dispute.

The amount payable for the land to be surrendered being Tls. 34,952.

Yours faithfully,
LESTER, JOHNSON & MORRISS.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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*Nanking Road.*—The claim of Messrs. Hanson, McNeill, Jones & Wright has been accepted for the surrender of the scheduled area of Lot 240 at the assessed value, Tls. 50,000 per mow, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, or Tls. 1,925 for Mow 0.035.

*Gordon Road.*—At the request of the Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld., arrangements have been made for a slight deviation in the scheduled line of this road whereby more land is taken from the lots on the west side of the road and Lot 4486 left intact. The lots on both sides of the road are in the ownership of this Company.

### Drainage.

*Tengyueh Road.*—The request of the Midland Packing Company has been sanctioned to lay a sewer in Tengyueh Road at a cost of Tls. 1,200, half of which will be defrayed by the applicants.

### Public Lighting.

*Yochow Road.*—It has been decided upon the recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works to light this road beyond Kungping Road with three 60 c.p. metallic filament lamps at a cost of Tls. 84 per annum.

*Manila Road.*—The recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works has been adopted to substitute four 100 c.p. metallic filament lamps for the five 60 c.p. lamps at present in this road, at an additional annual cost of Tls. 40.

### Public Works Department.

*Haulage.*—The Council has sanctioned the purchase from the China Garage Company of two 2-ton trucks with dump bodies and attachment complete for a sum of Tls. 3,300 each.

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 10.

*Fire Brigade.*—The appointment of Supervising Fireman G. C. Barlett is confirmed under agreement from June 6.

*Police Force.*—J. A. Quayle, returned from war service, is re-engaged as Sergeant and is transferred to the Detective Branch from January 1.

Long leave is granted to Captain E. I. M. Barrett, Assistant Commissioner, from March 13.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. E. O. Wilson, Analyst and Pharmacist, from April 10.

*Public Works Department.*—The appointment of Assistant Inspector E. Tompkins is confirmed under an agreement from January 1, 1920, terminable at three months' notice.

Mr. F. O. Amy is appointed Assistant Inspector on probation from January 9.

Long leave is granted to the following:—

Mr. F. G. Helsby, Assistant Engineer, from January 26.

Mr. L. W. D. Hoffman, Assistant Land Surveyor, from March 29.

Mr. R. C. Young, Assistant Architect, from April 12.

Mr. T. Thurnheer, Clerical Assistant, from May 20.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. G. W. Himus is appointed Boiler House Chemist under agreement from January 10.

*Educational Department.*—Miss R. Elwin is appointed temporarily as Matron in the Public School for Girls, from January 1.

Long leave is granted to Miss F. M. Gaunt, Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, from January 28.

*Finance Department.*—The appointment of Mr. A. H. Campbell, Assistant, is confirmed under agreement from January 1.

*Revenue Office.*—Long leave is granted to Collector J. J. H. Dearn, from March 29.

Mr. D. H. Fulton is appointed Collector on three months' probation from January 12.

### Public Band.

On Sunday next, January 18, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

NINTH CONCERT:

1.—Oxford-Symphony No. 16 in G major — T. Haydn
 (a) Adagio-Allegro Spiritoso
 (b) Adagio
 (c) Menuetto
 (d) Presto

2.—(a) Gavotte and Rondo — Bach
 (b) Serenade — Haydn
 (c) Menuetto — L. Boccherini

3.—Sixth Symphony: "*Pastoral*" or "*Recollections of country life*"
 (a) Allegro ma non moto: "*The awakening of cheerful feelings on arriving in the country*"
 (b) Andante con moto: "*Scene at the Brook*"
 (c) Allegro: "*Merry meeting of country folk*"
 (d) Allegro: "*Thunderstorm, Tempest*"
 (e) Allegretto: "*Song of the Shepherds: Glad and thankful feelings after the Storm*" — Beethoven

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

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### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, January 11, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 28,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 3 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 6 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 13 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 10 | 147 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

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### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | *Foreign* |
| 90 | Hankow | J. Ambrose | | | addns. |
| 64 | Soochow | Credit Foncier d'Extreme Orient | | | servants' quarters |
| 2435 A | Yangtzepoo | J. Ambrose | | | transformer house |
| 386 4603 | Burkill Mokanshan | Shun Nih & Co. Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | 1 | | wall |
| Unreg. W of 3514 | Wuting | Tse Tse Hsiang | | | wall & gates |
| | | | | | *Chinese* |
| Unreg. N of 340 | Shanse | Yung Koong | | | addns. |
| 2693 | Dalny | Oriental Engine Works | 5 | | cupola shed |

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## Health Officer's Report for December, 1919.

The Public Health continued good throughout the month. Smallpox was practically absent, there were no deaths from this disease among the Chinese community. Influenza smouldered on as though its capacity for epidemicity had been knocked out of it. Nevertheless, it caused two deaths among foreigners and 23 among Chinese. Among foreigners also there was an excess of deaths from bronchitis, broncho-pneumonia and 'pneumonia', some at least of which are primarily attributable to Influenza. The precautions recommended in the reports for October and November should still be observed and people, especially the very old and very young, with any tendency towards coughs or 'weak chests' should be particularly careful.

In this connexion as regards the spread of disease it may be noted that man is his own worst enemy. Most infectious diseases are communicated directly from one person to another, and this is particularly the case in that big group of diseases communicated through the mouth, throat and nose, such as Influenza, Measles, Diphtheria, Scarlet fever, Whooping-cough, Cerebrospinal fever, the pneumonias and 'colds.' During recent years the position has been made more baffling by the discovery of human carriers of disease who may themselves be apparently quite well.

The Tuberculosis Hospital has been put into use, two cases having been received.

A Children's Section in connexion with the Victoria Nursing Home is practically ready and should prove a very useful addition.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### DEATHS.

| | Foreign. Resident | Foreign. Non-resident. | Chinese. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Small pox | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 | 4 | 76 |
| Beri-beri | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 0 | 7 |
| Influenza | 2 | 1 | 23 |
| From all causes | 40 | 15 | 650 |

### INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small pox | 2 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 11 |
| Diphtheria | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 |
| Dysentery | 7 |

### ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cases Admitted— | Small pox | 4 | 0 |
| | Diphtheria | 5 | 2 |
| | Scarlet Fever | 5 | 4 |
| | Influenza | 25 | 0 |
| | Tuberculosis | 2 | 0 |
| | Other Diseases | 1 | 34 |
| Discharged | | 42 | 27 |
| Died | | 4 | 1 |
| Remaining last day of month | | 7 | 20 |

### SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen | 1,977 | 6 | 1,977 | 0 | 3 |
| Sheep | 3,237 | 0 | 3,237 | 25 | 1 |
| Calves | 372 | 0 | 372 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs | 576 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

### SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 246 | 603 | 208 | 333 | 1390 |
| Rats plague infected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation | 1200 | 3000 | 2500 | 1400 | 8100 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1220 | 4273 | 3185 | 1926 | 10604 |
| Poisoned baits laid | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier | 0 | 0 | 192 | 0 | 192 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner | 0 | 1 | 37 | 2 | 40 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

### MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 7,078 |
| Bacterial " " | 203 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 12 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 512 |
| Analyses | 68 |

### VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted. | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 33 | 7 |
| Surgical | 34 | 1 |
| Maternity | 17 | 2 |
| Mental | 7 | 1 |
| Infectious | 0 | 4 |
| Total | 91 | 15 |

### REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.

Sample received December 8, 1919.
Report sent out January 6, 1920.
Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.

Physical Characters.—Yellowish green colour with considerable opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 14.4 |
| (a) Volatile | 4.8 |
| (b) Fixed | 9.6 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 9.2 |
| (a) Temporary | 4.8 |
| (b) Permanent | 4.4 |
| Chlorine | 2.1 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0521 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0012 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0088 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° C. | 0.0486. |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° and 37° C. showed an average of 170 and 20 micro-organisms per cubic centimetre respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in all quantities tested from 0.5 c.c. and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Shows satisfactory filtration.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox | 396 | 299 | 250 | 153 | 1,098 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 3 | 6 | 9 | 8 | 26 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 10 | 74 | 53 | 15 | 152 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 63 | 81 | 100 | 250 | 494 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 674 | 938 | 1,147 | 2,221 | 4,980 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 0 | 86 | 285 | 94 | 465 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 17 |
| Defective drainage amended | 22 | 22 | 35 | 10 | 89 |
| Proper water supply provided | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 1 | 10 | 5 | 0 | 16 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 7 | 1 | 19 | 3 | 30 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 0 | 76 | 8 | 84 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 9 | 16 | 2 | 27 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 9 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 7 | 11 | 10 | 5 | 33 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 42 | 46 | 95 | 31 | 214 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 5 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 0 | 12 | 19 | 26 | 57 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 0 | 615 | 950 | 645 | 2,210 |
| Outside hawkers licensed | 575 | 670 | 611 | 369 | 2,225 |
| Food prosecutions | 0 | 25 | 15 | 3 | 43 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 0 | 41 | 11 | 0 | 52 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 0 | 0 | 19 | 1 | 20 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,890 | 3,824 | 2,325 | 3,060 | 13,099 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 7,206 | 4,009 | 2,483 | 1,981 | 15,679 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 1,909 | 423 | 216 | 540 | 3,088 |

### MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Known as | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fok Hyung | Phe Sz-zung | JE 1600 Tongshan Rd. | 56.9% added water |

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**Report of Commissioner of Public Works for December, 1919.**

The carrying out of concrete work has been considerably delayed on account of the frosty weather, work of this nature having been partially suspended on fourteen days during the month.

Good progress has been made on the culverting of Defence Creek from Peking Road to the Soochow Creek and the last of this evil-smelling creek will shortly have been dealt with. The filling in over the tubes is in hand and the making up of the resulting roadway will be proceeded with as soon as all settlement has taken place. This latter work will, it is anticipated, be carried out in the course of 1920.

The reclamation of the Bund Foreshore is making headway, work now being carried out in two sections simultaneously.

The original contract was for the supply of the necessary labour, plant and mud filling for the whole length of the work from Peking Road to Avenue Edward VII. It was found, however, that the contractor was unable to proceed with the work at a satisfactory rate of progress and it was accordingly decided to divide the work up into two sections, the original contractor to complete the section from Peking Road to Hankow Road, and another contractor being employed for the section from Hankow Road to Avenue Edward VII. Since this arrangement was made the progress has been decidedly more marked.

*Roads.*—The widening of Bubbling Well Road on the south side from Hart Road to east of Siccawei Road is practically complete and similar work on the north side opposite to the Country Club is well in hand.

The ballasting and metalling of Tsitsihar Road north of Ward Road is in progress.

The forming and raising of Kwenming Road from Alcock Road to Dalny Road is in hand.

A surfacing of asphaltum has been laid in Chinwangtao Road south of Yangtszepoo Road.

*Bundings.*—The construction of the concrete bunding in West Soochow Road east of Cadastral Lot 731 W. has been completed for about two-thirds of its height.

*Drainage.*—The construction of the 3-ft. diameter culvert in Gordon Road north of Macao Road and in Macao Road west of Gordon Road has been completed.

The construction of the 12-in. diam. sewer in Bubbling Well Road east of Ferry Road has been completed.

A 12-in. diam. sewer is being laid in Whashing Road from Yangtszepoo Road to north of Rangoon Road.

A 12-in. diam. sewer is being laid in Kirin Road east of Thorburn Road. The culverting of the Singkeipang from Singkeipang Road to Dent Road is completed with the exception of a length of 150-ft west of Chaoufoong Road.

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

*General.*

*Central Offices.*—The construction of the external heating trenches has been commenced, and the internal plastering and electrical work are well in hand.

*Fire Brigade.*

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—The foundations have been completed and the brick walls and concrete columns are in hand.

*New Workshops at Hongkew Fire Station.*—The falsework and reinforcing steel for the roof are being placed in position, and the tubing for the electrical work is being proceeded with.

*Hongkew Fire Station.*—The internal painting of this building is proceeding.

*Police Force.*

*Gaol—Deport Block.*—These extensions have been completed.

*Educational Department.*

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*—The land recently acquired for extension is being raised to the level of the present site.

*Volunteer Corps.*

*Rifle Range.*—The repairs to the wooden shield on top of the Stop Butt have been completed.

*Electricity Department.*

*Woochang Road Substation.*—Concrete work has been completed to the level of the second floor and the centering is in place for the walls of the third storey.

*Tonquin Road Substation.*—All the concrete for the structural portion of the building has been completed, there only remaining a portion of the cubicles to be concreted. The brick curtain walls have been completed for the second storey.

*Riverside Power Station.*—The excavation for the foundation of the office building and switch house has been completed, and the driving of timber piles is in progress, about one-third of the total number required having been driven.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—493 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected | 4,717 cartloads |
| Used for raising land | 480 „ |
| Water used for street watering | 2,707,200 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,576 |
| Artisans | 319 |
| Foremen | 242 |
| Mafoos | 162 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 4,579 pieces |
| Machine made | 2,071 „ |
| | 6,650 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 66 admissions during the month and 150 bundles of wood chopped.

*New Buildings.*

Summary of work done during the month:—

| *Description of work* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 363 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 97 |
| Plans approved | 55 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 3,107 |
| Boundary walls erected<br>Carpenter sheds erected<br>Repairs to buildings effected<br>New shop fronts inserted<br>Shop fronts, etc., painted<br>Alterations effected<br>Fences erected<br>Sign-boards erected<br>Drying stages erected<br>Temporary mat sunshades erected | 369 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 2 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 25 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 42 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Reported by Public Works Department | 2 |
| First intimation notices issued | 2 |

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 48 |
| Boundary stone certificates issued | 34 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 16 |
| New lots put under taxation | 12 |
| Assessed value of land placed under taxation | Tls. 58,714 |
| Official plans prepared | 30 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 287 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 206 |
| Surveys made in connexion with road widenings and/or extensions | 56 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 48 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Eastern District | 8 |
| Western „ | 8 |

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 本局自有權不承攬之權

三 擇人而用之

四 所有承攬人之保證金

五 本局有取決之權

六 所有承攬人之信章

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

此次概免交說明

清單費

信章送來最善

二時之前以用

部局辦須知

總明送至信

面寫明送達江西路二十號工部局

漆其承攬工程項目

所有承攬人之信章

後仍將該款一律退還

明所收之錢得有此實承攬內容

本局必將錢數在若干日內登載

所取決後其款項須付清之日起

目以後承攬各人本公司及承攬人之信用

行到之後該承攬人之合同辦理

估定之價須寬付錢則

未定必准本局不承認之

所有承攬人之信用

獲得承攬者須繳保證金

本局自有權亦不承認

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 148 | Convicts' Food, in the following quantities monthly from March 1 :— Vegetables about 5,800 lbs.; Onions „ 2,900 „; Salt fish „ 1,030 „; Beef „ 1,200 „; Pork „ 1,100 „; Salt „ 1,200 „; Bean Oil „ 800 „; Tea „ 90 „ — For 6 or 12 months. | — | January 30. Tenders should be accompanied by samples. |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 195 | 20 Miles of Bare Copper Cable | Tls. 5 | March 18 |
| 196 | 13 „ of Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | do. |
| 197 | 8 „ of Vulcanised Cable | Tls. 5 | do. |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 356

Administration Building Heating Plant

| | |
|---|---|
| Gordon & Co., Ld. | Tls. 51,056.80 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld. | 33,521 approx. |
| *Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld. | 33,219.16 |

*Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2655.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2671** *(Amended)*

**EXCHANGE AND TOBACCO SHOPS.**

THE public is hereby notified that on and after April 1, all keepers of Exchange and Tobacco Shops are required to take out a licence under Bye-law XXXIV.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

### EXCHANGE SHOP OR STALL LICENCE.

CONDITIONS:

1. That the licence be not transferable.
2. That the licensee shall be the responsible owner of the business conducted at the shop or stall.
3. That the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous place inside the shop or stall.
4. That the word "Licensed Chinese Money Exchange, or Cash Shop" be exhibited conspicuously in large characters on the shop or stall both in English and Chinese.
5. That free access be given to the Police on duty and to officers of the Revenue Office charged with the inspection of licensed premises.
6. That the shop or stall be closed at 12 o'clock midnight and not re-opened until 5 o'clock a.m.
7. That the rate of exchange for the day be exhibited conspicuously in large figures on the shop or stall both in English and Chinese.
8. That the licensee report any change of address of his place of business to the Revenue Office and that the responsible ownership of the business be not transferred without the permission of the Council.
9. That the shop or stall cause no obstruction in the street or thoroughfare.
10. That no counterfeit money or forged notes be knowingly received or uttered by the licensee or by any person in his employ and that all information relating to any such counterfeit money or forged notes be immediately given to the Police.
11. That each shop be provided with a suitable grille or other protective device approved by the Council.
12. That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
13. That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to cancellation or suspension by the Council and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

From Tls. 1 to Tls. 25 per quarter, according to class of establishment, payable in advance.

### TOBACCO SHOP OR STALL LICENCE.

CONDITIONS:

1. That the licence be not transferable.
2. That the licence number plate be fixed in a conspicuous position at the main outside entrance to the shop or stall and remain at all times legible and undefaced and that the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous place inside the premises.

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3. That free access be given to the Police on duty and to officers of the Revenue Office charged with the inspection of licensed premises.
4. That the shop or stall be closed at 12 o'clock midnight, and not re-opened until 5 o'clock a.m.
5. That the shop or stall cause no obstruction in the street or thoroughfare.
6. That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
7. That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

From Tls. 1 to Tls. 25 per quarter, according to class of establishment, payable in advance.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 22, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Volunteer Corps Commission held on Tuesday, January 20, 1920, at 5 o'clock p.m., there were:

*Present:*

Rev. J. R. Hykes *(Chairman)*
Messrs. R. E. S. Gregson
S. J. Halse
Colonel M. H. Logan
Mr. C. G. S. Mackie

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, January 21, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
D. Goh
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

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**Council for 1919-20.**

Mr. D. Goh has accepted the Council's invitation to fill the vacancy in the membership caused by the recent death of the late Mr. T. Ibukiyama. He will serve on the Finance Committee.

**Land Commission.**

Mr. H. E. Campbell has accepted the Council's invitation to serve as its representative on the Commission in place of Mr. A. D. Bell, who has resigned owing to his early departure on home leave.

**Municipal Salaries Commission.**

Mr. W. C. Sprague has accepted the Council's invitation to serve on the above Commission in the place of Mr. H. J. Everall, resigned owing to his projected departure from Shanghai.

**Educational Grants in Aid.**

*St. Francis Xavier's College.*—Report and working account for 1919 of the Orphanage attached to this Institution:—

Shanghai, January 17, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—I have the pleasure of forwarding you, herewith, the Working Account of the Orphanage, attached to the College, for the year 1919.

During the year 205 pupils attended the Orphanage, viz:—

Boarders:—
23 at an average pension of $8 per month=$1,840
46 entirely free
5 half-boarders at a pension of $4 per month=$200
} Rec. $1,522

Day-Scholars:—
40 at $2 per month =$800
15 at $1 per month =$150
76 entirely free
} Rec. $807

Will you be so good as to convey to the Members of the Council our sincerest thanks for the great assistance they give us in the education and support of the poor children of Shanghai.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
BROTHER ANTONIN,
*Director.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

WORKING ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Municipal Grant, Tls. 2,500 | $3,406.20 |
| *Fees:* Day Scholars | 807.00 |
| Boarders | 1,322.00 |
| Half-Boarders | 200.00 |
| Society of St. Vincent de Paul | 300.00 |
| Debit Balance | 12,927.80 |
| | $18,963.00 |

EXPENSES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Board of 69 boys at $10 per month during 10 months | $6,900.00 |
| Board of 30 boys at $10 per month during 2 months (holidays) | 600.00 |
| Half-Boarders | 500.00 |
| Washing and Mending | 1,856.00 |
| New Clothes | 950.00 |
| Games | 95.00 |
| Medical Attendance | 115.00 |
| Medicines | 57.00 |
| Stationery and books supplied | 539.00 |
| Fuel, Light and Water | 1,224.00 |
| Shoes and Boots supplied, etc. | 986.00 |
| Repairs to Premises and Playground | 425.00 |
| Servants' wages | 216.00 |
| Salaries of Teachers | 4,500.00 |
| | $18,963.00 |

BROTHER ANTONIN,
*Director.*

*St. Joseph's Institution.*—Statement of account for 1919:—

*Translation of letter from St. Joseph's Institution, dated January 13, 1920.*

SIR,—I have the honour to send you herewith enclosed the accounts of the Providence Orphanage for the year 1919.

Kindly convey to the Members of the Council our very sincere thanks for the grant which has been given so liberally each year and which enables us to take under our charge a greater number of children.

I am, etc.,
M. DE ST. PHILOMENE,
*Mother Superior.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

WORKING ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Grant: English Municipality | $4,014.30 |
| ,, French Municipality | 3,177.80 |
| Fees received | 2,136.00 |
| Donation | 1,200.00 |
| Revenue of the Work-room | 1,117.85 |
| | 11,645.95 |
| Expenses | $26,075.96 |
| Receipts | 11,645.95 |
| Difference | $14,430.01 |

EXPENSES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 123 pupils at $8 per month | $11,808.00 |
| Location (part) | 5,578.00 |
| Washing | 2,952.00 |
| Water | 102.00 |
| Fuel and Light | 1,311.40 |
| Medicines | 55.68 |
| Outside Teachers (part) | 125.00 |
| Servants (3) | 240.00 |
| Books and Stationery | 175.20 |
| Shoes | 251.50 |
| House linen and clothes | 655.38 |
| Excursions and rewards | 178.60 |
| Annual Prizes | 85.00 |
| Furniture | 58.20 |
| Rebuilding bath-rooms and lavatories, whitewashing and repairs | 2,500.00 |
| | 26,075.96 |

95 pupils entirely free of charge.
28 paying on an average $6 per month.

*Institution of the Holy Family.*—Statement of accounts for 1919:—

Shanghai, January 13, 1920.

SIR,—I beg to enclose the Financial Statement of our Institution for the year 1919.

Kindly accept the expression of our gratitude for the assistance given to us, which greatly helps us in our work.

With renewed thanks,
Believe me, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
M. DE ST. SIMON,
*Mother Superior.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

WORKING ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Grants: Tls. 1,800 | $2,462.69 |
| School Fees, Day Scholars | 2,273.25 |
| | $4,735.94 |

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EXPENDITURE.

| | |
|---|---|
| Salaries to Teachers | $10,080.00 |
| Salaries to Extra Teachers | 2,530.00 |
| Food, Boarders | 6,192.00 |
| Food, Half Boarders | 1,140.00 |
| Washing | 1,548.00 |
| Water | 127.80 |
| Lighting | 481.25 |
| Fuel | 1,019.67 |
| Repairing of Buildings | 4,160.22 |
| Infirmary | 71.00 |
| Linen, Clothes and Shoes | 1,867.88 |
| Books and Stationery | 139.47 |
| Servants | 1,585.00 |
| | $30,942.29 |

Loan for Buildings and Interest for Loan $32,869.50

43 Boarders:

21 gratis, 46 at very reduced fees equivalent to 22 gratis } *Gratis.*
40 Half Boarders
191 Day Scholars

124 Day Scholars at very reduced fees.

## Municipal Properties.

*Administration Building.* — In view of a tendency towards excessive subsidence in the foundations of this new building, which has become manifest in recent months, the Council has sanctioned expenditure of an additional sum of Tls. 5,000, on piling, etc., as and where directed by the Commissioner of Public Works.

## Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Avenue Edward VII.*—Arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. Moorhead & Halse for the surrender from Lot No. 61 of Mow 0.041 of land required for the widening of this road, for the sum of Tls. 3,500.

*Bubbling Well Road.*—A small piece of unregistered land has been purchased for the widening of this road west of boundary stone No. 13, involving payment of Tls. 300 for Mow 0.120.

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 17.

*Fire Brigade.*—The appointment of Supervising Fireman W. J. Josephs is confirmed under agreement from November 1, 1919.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Sergeant C. J. Curtis from January 20, with permission to terminate his service on June 19, the date of expiry of his agreement.

Long leave is granted to Sergeants T. McKenna and G. H. Hall and Warder F. Down from January 27.

*Health Department.*—Miss G. M. Gull and Miss H. M. Lennox are appointed temporarily as Nurses from November 20, 1919 and December 10, 1919, respectively.

*Public Works Department.* — Long leave is granted to Inspector R. J. Harris from February 6.

*Electricity Department.*—Captain R. A. Williams, Testing Engineer, returned from war service, resumed duty on December 21, 1919.

The appointment of Collector I. Tuttleman is confirmed under an agreement from June 4, 1917, terminable at three months' notice.

Mr. C. Binns is appointed Foreman Mechanic on probation from December 22, 1919.

Long leave is granted to the following:—

Mr. T. Rogers, Electrical Assistant in Power Station from January 24.

Mr. A. Kane, Storekeeper, from March 22.

Mr. C. Wagstaff, Collector, from March 22.

The appointment of Shift Engineer J. S. Tyson is confirmed under an agreement from December 19, 1918, terminable at three months' notice.

Mr. A. C. Chalmers is appointed Clerical Assistant under agreement from January 1.

Captain H. G. Reed, returned from war service, resumed duty on December 18, 1919, from which date he is appointed Clerical Assistant under agreement.

*Educational Department.*—Miss D. E. James is appointed Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Chinese under agreement from January 10.

*Finance Department.*—Mr. G. H. Charlton, Assistant, is permitted to terminate his service on May 31.

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 23 | Bund and Peking | Stewardson & Spence | | | block offices |
| 5555 | Lay | China Realty Co., Ld. | | | wall & gates |
| W of 1620 | Tongshan | Van Seng Kee | | | foundry building & latrine |
| 6066 | Yangtszepoo | Chun Wei Ping | | | watchman's lodge & pavilion |
| 2619 | do. | Shun Tah Lumber Co. | | | saw mill & shed |
| E of 6014 | Singapore | R. A. Curry | 1 | | |
| 3070 | Sinza | M. Mishima | | | summer house |
| 2431 | Tsongchow | Eastern Construction Co. | | | addns. |
| E of 1814 | Weihaiwei | Chow Yung Sing | | | stable & watchman's lodge |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 496 | Fokien | Ngai Lee Sze | 1 | | |
| E of 372 | Urga | Zee Shan Kee | 8 | | |
| 980 | Yochow | Zah Sue Kee | 3 | | |

## Public Band.

On Sunday next, January 25, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

TENTH CONCERT:

1.—Scenes Pittoresques Massenet
*(a) Marche*
*(b) Air de Ballet*
*(c) Angelus*
*(d) Fête Boheme*

2.—Danze Piemontesi L. Sinigaglia
No. 1: *Andantino mosso*
2: *Allegro con brio*

3.—"Tasso" *Lament and Triumph*
Poem Symphonic Fr. Liszt

4.—Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2
Fr. Liszt

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, January 18, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 884,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 3 | — |
| Diphtheria | 6 | 3 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 6 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 20 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 0 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 187 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

## Report of Acting Commissioner of Police for December 1919.

Strength of the Force on December 31.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 225 | |
| Japanese | 26 | |
| Sikhs | 666 | |
| Chinese | 1,469 | |
| | | 2,395 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 87 | |
| Followers | 225 | |
| | | 312 |
| | Total | 2,707 |

*Robberies.*—Four reports of armed robbery from premises were received during the month. In one of these cases two persons were wounded by bullets and subsequently died. A robber was shot dead by the Police and another

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was arrested and handed over to the Chinese Authorities. Three cases of armed highway robbery and one case of attempted highway robbery from the person were reported. In connexion therewith five persons have been arrested and are at present under remand. One case of highway robbery in which acid was thrown on the victim was recorded.

Constable Allen and seven Chinese were arrested on December 30 in connexion with the robbery of a quantity of opium from a Chinese dwelling house in Tientsin Road, and are still under remand.

*Stolen Property.*—During the month 379 reports of stolen property were received by the Police. In 136 of these cases investigation was made with successful results.

*Executions.* — Three persons found guilty of being concerned in armed robberies in the Settlement were executed at Loongwha in the presence of a representative of the Municipal Police.

*Bribery.*—A case of bribery of certain Chinese Constables by several shopkeepers engaged in the secret sale of opium was concluded at the Mixed Court on December 24. Three Chinese Constables were convicted and sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment each, whilst the shopkeepers were each fined $300.

*Strikes.*—There was very little labour unrest during the month. A strike of bamboo workers which lasted about a week was settled on December 1 when the employers granted a wage increase of 12 per cent. to piece workers and 15 per cent. to time workers. Threats to strike by silversmiths and shoe sole makers did not materialise.

*Crime Outside Limits.*—A case of murder and thirteen cases of piracy and robbery were reported during the month from beyond Settlement limits.

*Political.*—Local activities in connexion with the Anti-Japanese Movement were renewed on December 2, when a large public meeting, organized by the Shanghai Students' Union and the National Organizations' Union, was held on the Public Recreation Ground in the City. After the meeting a procession was formed which paraded round the Chinese City and suburbs and ended in disorder. On the plea that certain shopkeepers were selling Japanese goods the processionists commenced to wreck shops and destroy goods in various streets. Altogether some thirty stores were more or less damaged during the proceedings. Concurrently with the procession a meeting of students' representatives was held at the headquarters of the Students' Union, 14 Nyi Woo Lee, Rue Amiral Bayle, at which it was decided that all students in Shanghai should take three days' holiday commencing from Thursday, December 3. Accordingly on that day about 1,000 students from various schools assembled at the Public Recreation Ground and, separating into groups, proceeded to various parts of the Chinese City and Chapei and delivered speeches in support of the boycott of Japanese goods. They also searched shops and took possession of and burnt any goods which they considered to be of Japanese origin. This action was continued energetically until December 7 and then intermittently until December 9. Since that date only isolated cases of similar seizure and destruction of goods have occurred.

On December 1, thirty representatives of Street Unions called at the Bureau of Foreign Affairs and presented a petition praying for Chinese representation on the Municipal Council and a revision of the Land Regulations. From December 1 to December 7 the majority of shopkeepers in the Settlement displayed flags and posters on which appeared the characters (修改洋涇浜章程 華人要求市民權) the translation of which is "Revise the Yangkingpang Regulations. Chinese Demand Representation on the Municipal Council." On December 23 and 27 meetings of Street Union leaders were held at the Headquarters of the Amalgamated Association of Street Unions, 13 Avenue Edward VII, at which it was decided that as no answer to their petition had been received from the Consular Body they would advise shopkeepers not to pay Municipal taxes at the January collection and that if measures to enforce payment were taken by the Municipal Council a general strike would be declared by the Street Unions.

The Stamp Duty, which the Chinese Government proposed to extend to Foreign Concessions and Settlements from January 1, 1920, met with considerable opposition from various Chinese representative bodies, and its proposed levy in the Settlement was the subject of a vigorous protest by the Council to the Consular Body, published in the Municipal Gazette of January 8, 1920.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 384 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 128 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 152 records were received from the French Police out of which number 72 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For Identification | 536 |
| Identified | 200 |
| Percentage | 37 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 5 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 24 |
| | 29 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 12.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 197 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 59 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 57 | *Second offenders.* |
| 19 | *Third offenders.* |
| 4 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 48 | *Habitual offenders* (serious). |
| 384 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for December.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. | Tls. 2,972.33 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 1,456.42 |
| Total | Tls. 1,515.91 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. 1,515.91 |

**Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.**

A. HILTON-JOHNSON,
*Acting Commissioner of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:—* | |
| Absent from ship without leave | 1 |
| Deserters | 2 |
| 2.—*Offences Against Property:—* | |
| Forgery | 1 |
| Larceny | 1 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:—* | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:—* | |
| Dog | 1 |
| Motor Cars | 3 |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:—* | |
| Nuisance | 2 |
| Disorderly conduct | 3 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 4 |
| Indecent advertisement | 1 |
| Soliciting alms | 1 |
| The Shanghai Municipal Police Regulations, 1910. | 2 |
| 4.—*Miscellaneous Cases* | 1 |
| Total | 23 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,283 | 1,283 |
| Others | 43 | 886 | 929 |
| Total | 43 | 2,169 | 2,212 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cases Withdrawn | 2 |
| Cautioned | 1 |
| Dismissed | 2 |
| Fined | 6 |
| Handed over to Naval Authorities | 5 |
| Imprisonment | 5 |
| Released on Security | 1 |
| Remanded | 1 |
| Total | 23 |

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PRISONERS IN CUSTODY

on December 31.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 12 |
| Louza Station | 5 |
| Hongkew Station | 9 |
| Harbin Road Station | 5 |
| West Hongkew Station | 4 |
| Wayside Station | 10 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 4 |
| Sinza Station | 3 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 4 |
| Gordon Road Station | 5 |
| Gaol | 1,421 |
| Reformatory | 65 |
| Total | 1,547 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 532 | 417. |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 532 | 417 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN

November 29 and December 26.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 47,451.68 |
| Recovered | 26,406.70 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 30. 11. 19. | 22 | 278 |
| Captured | 256 | |
| Returned | 56 | 278 |
| Killed | 197 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 1 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 24 | |

## Mixed Court Report for December 1919.

A Silk Filature situated to the North of the Mixed Court compound and separated from the Female Prison by a very narrow alleyway was gutted by fire on 5th of this month. Little damage was done to the prison owing to the fact that its windows on the north side are protected by metal hoppers and small mesh wire netting. It is to be hoped that when new buildings are erected on the site more space will be allowed between the new buildings and the prison.

The following foreigners who are not recognized by any Consulate in Shanghai were before the Court during the month on criminal charges:—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| Zolikha (female) | Persian | Begging | Discharged |
| Emmerick Norak | Hungarian | Travelling without a passport | To return uniform to British Authorities. |

Increasing laxity on the part of landlords in not sending their representative to assist the police in the sealing of premises after sealing orders have issued has led the Court to order cancellation where the landlords representative does not present himself at the police station within a period of three days from date of issue of a sealing order.

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with, Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

M. O. SPRINGFIELD,
*Registrar.*

Countersigned,
A. HILTON-JOHNSON,
Acting Commissioner of Police.

OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| **1.—Offences Against the Person:—** | |
| Abduction | 4 |
| Allowing Children in Brothels | 1 |
| Assault | 32 |
| Attempted Suicide | 5 |
| Murder | 3 |
| Manslaughter | 3 |
| Wounding (causing grievous bodily harm) | 4 |
| **2.—Offences Against Property:—** | |
| Arson (or Criminal Negligence) | 3 |
| Burglary | 15 |
| Cruelty to animals | 11 |
| Embezzlement | 1 |
| Extortion (Obtaining money by threats) | 3 |
| False Pretences | 1 |
| Forgery | 4 |
| Fraud | 15 |
| Godown-breaking | 6 |
| House-breaking | 5 |
| Larceny | 193 |
| Receiving stolen property | 8 |
| Robbery | 14 |
| **3.—Offences of a Public Nature:—** | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 27 |
| Carts | 49 |
| Dairies | 2 |
| Dogs | 4 |
| Foodshops | 7 |
| Hawkers | 61 |
| Motor cars | 47 |
| Opium | 21 |
| Pawnshops | 31 |
| Ricshas | 904 |
| Tea-shops | 4 |
| Wheel-barrows | 64 |
| Wine-shops | 3 |
| Breach of Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| Dangerous Materials | 1 |
| Fireworks | 7 |
| House refuse | 91 |
| Indecent Advertisements | 2 |
| Lotteries | 3 |
| Nuisances | 782 |
| Prostitutes | 49 |
| Traffic | 82 |
| Bribery | 8 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 4 |
| Contempt of Court | 1 |
| Disorderly conduct | 51 |
| Gambling | 67 |
| Loitering with intent | 10 |
| Obstructing the Police | 3 |
| Returning after expulsion | 1 |
| Trafficking in Women or Children | 2 |
| Vagrancy | 2 |
| Political | 1 |
| **4.—Miscellaneous Cases:—** | |
| Husband and Wife | 2 |
| Insanity | 1 |
| Seeking protection of Door of Hope | 4 |
| Witnesses in Criminal Case | 5 |
| TOTAL | 2,734 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 1,955 |
| Cases withdrawn | 2 |
| Cautioned | 26 |
| Compensation | 2 |
| Dismissed | 83 |
| Expulsion | 2 |
| Fined | 383 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 2 |
| Imprisonment | 194 |
| " and expulsion | 59 |
| Reformatory | 3 |
| Released on Security | 1 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 13 |
| Sent to Military Governor of Shanghai | 5 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 4 |
| TOTAL | 2,734 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On December 1 | 43 |
| Received | 39 |
| Released | 42 |
| On December 31 | 40 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 162 |
| " served | 177 |
| Warrants issued | 56 |
| " executed | 19 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 9 |
| " executed | 8 |
| " withdrawn | 1 |
| Summonses issued | 22 |
| " served | 18 |
| " withdrawn | 4 |
| Persons apprehended on Warrants | 8 |
| " summoned | 25 |
| Sealing orders issued | 62 |
| " " executed | 3 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 26 |
| " " withdrawn | 12 |
| " " pending | 21 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 3 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 84 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 40 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 61 |
| " heard | 133 |
| " in course of hearing | 19 |
| " concluded | 71 |
| " awaiting first hearing on Dec. 31 | 63 |
| Summonses issued | 80 |
| " served | 71 |
| " withdrawn | 7 |
| Warrants issued | 45 |
| " executed | 20 |
| " withdrawn | 5 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 20 |
| " summoned | 82 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 55 |
| Sealing orders issued | 24 |
| " " executed | 4 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 16 |
| " " withdrawn | 2 |
| " " pending | 2 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 5 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 70 |
| Bonds accepted | 57 |
| " rejected | 32 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On December 1 | 46 |
| Received | 29 |
| Released | 27 |
| On December 31 | 48 |

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SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ed. Evans & Sons Ld. | British | Loo Zung-tsz | Tls. 5517.21 | For plaintiffs with costs |
| Petros Noronsaiants | Russian | C. T. de L. Savine | $150 | For plaintiff |
| G. Morando & Co. | Italian | Tsang Ah-pau | Tls. 500 | For plaintiffs for $150 and costs |
| Garner, Quelch & Company | British | Yau Lien-sung | $317.85 | Adjourned *sine die* with leave to apply |
| Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. | do. | Sung Ding-faung | Tls. 575 | Proceeding |
| Arkell & Douglas | American | Tsang Tsong-ching | G.$6,195 | Judgment by default for Tls. 2,530.75 & G.$1,000 |
| Dzung Yoen-lan | Japanese | Te Tung-tshoen & Zau Erh-khaung | $75,000 and Tls. 134,000 | Proceeding |
| Hyui Koen-dzung | Portuguese | Yoen Zung Loong Tea Hong | Tls. 14,993.093 | do. |
| Standard Tobacco Company, Inc. | American | Li Zae-kyeu | Infringement of Trademark | do. |
| S. H. McKean | British | *re* B. C. Lot 9734 | To remove a grave | Granted |

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬工程章程

一 所有承攬各項工程章程由英文開列於下

二 所有承攬本局工程章程亦有相同之效力

三 擬承攬本局工程者須將其姓名及價目開列於一封內加蓋公司圖章或個人圖章交由上海工部局工程師收

四 所有承攬本局工程者必須遵照本局之准定辦法辦理

五 本局有取消承攬之權

六 本局有權將所承攬之工程全部或一部轉讓他人

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單之最後一款係明示本局有權將所承攬之工程全部或一部轉讓他人

信內必須附入一律退還的保證金

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2655.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2671** *(Amended)*

**EXCHANGE AND TOBACCO SHOPS.**

THE public is hereby notified that on and after April 1, all keepers of Exchange and Tobacco Shops are required to take out a licence under Bye-law XXXIV.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

### EXCHANGE SHOP OR STALL LICENCE.

CONDITIONS:

1. That the licence be not transferable.
2. That the licensee shall be the responsible owner of the business conducted at the shop or stall.
3. That the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous place inside the shop or stall.
4. That the word "Licensed Chinese Money Exchange, or Cash Shop" be exhibited conspicuously in large characters on the shop or stall both in English and Chinese.
5. That free access be given to the Police on duty and to officers of the Revenue Office charged with the inspection of licensed premises.
6. That the shop or stall be closed at 12 o'clock midnight and not re-opened until 5 o'clock a.m.
7. That the rate of exchange for the day be exhibited conspicuously in large figures on the shop or stall both in English and Chinese.
8. That the licensee report any change of address of his place of business to the Revenue Office and that the responsible ownership of the business be not transferred without the permission of the Council.
9. That the shop or stall cause no obstruction in the street or thoroughfare.
10. That no counterfeit money or forged notes be knowingly received or uttered by the licensee or by any person in his employ and that all information relating to any such counterfeit money or forged notes be immediately given to the Police.
11. That each shop be provided with a suitable grille or other protective device approved by the Council.
12. That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
13. That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to cancellation or suspension by the Council and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE

From Tls. 1 to Tls. 25 per quarter, according to class of establishment, payable in advance.

### TOBACCO SHOP OR STALL LICENCE.

CONDITIONS:

1. That the licence be not transferable.
2. That the licence number plate be fixed in a conspicuous position at the main outside entrance to the shop or stall and remain at all times legible and undefaced and that the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous place inside the premises.

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3. That free access be given to the Police on duty and to officers of the Revenue Office charged with the inspection of licensed premises.
4. That the shop or stall be closed at 12 o'clock midnight, and not re-opened until 5 o'clock a.m.
5. That the shop or stall cause no obstruction in the street or thoroughfare.
6. That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
7. That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

From Tls. 1 to Tls. 25 per quarter, according to class of establishment, payable in advance.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 22, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2672.**

**THOMAS HANBURY SCHOOL FOR BOYS.**

THE attention of parents is directed to the following revised scale of fees which will have effect from March 1, 1920.

Boarders $30 per mensem
Day Scholars 9 per mensem

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 29, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Thursday, January 22, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
C. M. Bain
D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 6.40 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, January 26, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. W. L. Merriman (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock p m.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Monday, January 26, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
D. Goh
H. A. J. Macray

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, January 28, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
D. Goh
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 6.40 p.m.

### Consular Body.

A letter from Mr. J. E. Hultman, Consul-General for Sweden, informs the Council that during his temporary absence from Shanghai he has handed over charge of the Consulate-General to Mr. T. Raaschou, Consul-General for Denmark, with effect from January 24.

A letter from M. R. Reau, Consul-General for France, informs the Council that he has assumed charge of the French Consulate-General in the place of M. Dufaure de la Prade, Vice-Consul for France, with effect from January 22.

### Court of Foreign Consuls.

A communication from the Consular Body informs the Council of the election of the representatives of Great Britain, Denmark and Belgium, to constitute the Court for 1920, in accordance with the provisions of Article XXVII of the Land Regulations.

### General Hospital.

A communication from the Consular Body informs the Council of the election of the Consuls-General for Italy, Japan and the United States of America as representatives on the Board of Governors for the ensuing year.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Staff.*—Leave is granted to Major H. W. Pilcher from February 1 to November 30.

### Electricity Committee.

Mr. C. G. S. Mackie has accepted the Council's invitation to serve on this Committee in the place of Mr. P. Peebles, resigned.

### Tramways.

*Railless Route.*—The Company notifies the Council of the inauguration of the extended service along Peking Road from Fokien Road to Thibet Road.

Shanghai, January 21, 1920.

SIR,—I beg to advise you that, it is proposed, with the approval of the Council, to open for traffic on Friday, January 23, the short extension of the Railless route along Peking Road from Fokien Road to Thibet Road. Direct services will thus be provided between Fokien Road (South End) and Thibet Road and Honan Road Bridge. Copy of the proposed Fares Bill is enclosed.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. McCOLL,
*General Manager.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

(*Enclosure.*)

RAILLESS TRAMS.—

*Route* No. 16—FOKIEN ROAD (South End) and THIBET ROAD.

| SECTIONS | |
|---|---|
| 1 | Thibet Road & Corner of Peking and Fokien Roads |
| 2 | Corner of Peking and Fokien Roads & Nanking Rd. |
| 3 | Nanking Road & Foochow Road |
| 4 | Foochow Road & Fokien Road (South End) |
| "UP" to Fokien Road (South End) "DOWN" to Thibet Road | |

| FARES | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Fokien Road (South End) | Foochow Road | Nanking Road | Corner of Peking and Fokien Roads |
| Foochow Road | 2¹ | | | |
| Nanking Road | 2¹ | 2¹ | | |
| Corner of Peking and Fokien Roads | 3² | 2¹ | 2¹ | |
| Thibet Road | 3² | 3² | 2¹ | 2¹ |

### Electricity Department.

The subjoined report by the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager will be submitted at the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Ratepayers:—

*Extension Scheme.*—On December 6, 1918, I presented a Report to the Committee on the suggested programme of generating plant extensions, estimated demand in kilowatts and safe load with due allowance for spare plant. I also outlined the probable expansion of the undertaking and drew up a schedule of the principal items of generating and distributing plant necessary to meet the requirements up to and including the year 1924.

The demands for electricity in Shanghai since that Report was written have outstepped to a remarkable extent the limitations which were then considered probable, and the question of taking steps to meet the demands of the immediate future has already become urgent. Members of the Committee are referred to the Report above mentioned, copies of which are attached to this Report. In the December 6 Report of last year the following figures are given as showing the plant capacity in kilowatts, estimated demand from 1919 to 1924. Side by side with these are shown the requirements as they are now revised in the light of the past twelve months' experience, carrying us up to 1923.

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*Report of December 6, 1918.*

| | Plant Capacity in kilowatts. | Estimated demand in kilowatts. | Safe Load in K. W. with due allowance of spare plant. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1919 | 38,000 | 29,000 | 27,000 |
| 1920 | 79,000 | 34,000 | 36,000 |
| 1921 | 65,000 | 39,000 | 42,000 |
| 1922 | 83,000 | 45,000 | 60,000 |
| 1923 | 83,000 | 53,000 | 60,000 |
| 1924 | 83,000 | 58,000 | 60,000 |
| or | 103,000 | | |

*Report of December 22, 1919.*

| | Plant Capacity in kilowatts. | Estimated demand in kilowatts. | Safe Load in K. W. with due allowance of spare plant. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1919 | 38,000 | 29,000 | 27,000 |
| 1920 | 77,000 | 45,000 | 54,000 |
| 1921 | 106,000 | 64,000 | 78,000 |
| 1922 | 122,000 | 80,000 | 94,000 |

The estimated load of 29,000 kilowatts for 1919 will not probably be quite reached, 28,000 kilowatts is the probable maximum, but whereas in the original estimates 1920 allowed for a load of 34,000 kilowatts, it is practically certain that next year the maximum load will total 45,000 kilowatts, thus we are in 1920 placed in the position which we expected to be in in 1922.

From the business point of view this rapid growth may be regarded as exceedingly encouraging, not only from the point of view of electricity supply, but as indicating the actual growth of Shanghai as an industrial centre. The effect of this industrialism must re-act favourably upon the city generally. There is little doubt that Shanghai can maintain its industrial greatness. Industries breed industries, and the channels of supply opened for one purpose are conveniently available for others. Besides this the reciprocal interaction of an industry and its sources of supply should not be overlooked. For example, to begin with, Cotton supply bought the Cotton Mills, then the mills stimulated the supply, and in turn the stimulated supply attracted more mills. The same effect should eventually be secured in relation to quality. The mills demand better cotton. Better cotton will encourage finer spinning and finer spinning will demand more improvement in the cotton staple. This process is already at work in the silk industry and will doubtless spread to others dependent upon local agricultural produce.

In my Report of December last year the following passage occurred:—

"It will be seen from the foregoing remarks that the ultimate demands for electricity supply in Shanghai and its neighbourhood cannot be foreseen. It may, however, be seen with a very reasonable degree of accuracy what has to be met within the next five years. My personal opinion, which is also shared by the executive technical staff of the Department, is that these extensions which I have outlined do not by any means cover the ultimate possibilities of Shanghai's electrical requirements, therefore, whilst these proposals might seem to embody very large extensions indeed, they should not be looked upon as approaching the ultimate capacity of the undertaking. They should, on the other hand, indicate how very much greater will be the expansion in the not very distant future."

This passage, taken in conjunction with the actual position of affairs at the present time, shows very conclusively how difficult it is to forecast with any degree of accuracy the expansion of the undertaking, and therefore the recommendations which I am making in this Report now laid before the Committee, may again prove to be too conservative. I think it may safely be said that they do not err on the side of undue optimism or that the rate of expansion over the next four years is estimated at figures beyond which the expansion is likely to take place. Within the past twelve months the electrical development has been so great that I forecast the future demands upon the Electricity Department with a good deal of reserve. In recommending to the Committee schemes for meeting future demands, whilst it is a simple matter to draw up schemes which will provide an unlimited amount of electricity when required, yet from the engineering as well as well as the financial point of view such practice would be unsound and might be financially disastrous, because the line must be drawn where it is profitable to have a certain amount of plant more than what is actually required at the moment, or having a super-abundance of spare plant lying idle. It is in the endeavour to strike the line where development can be safely taken care of without an excessive capital expenditure that the present scheme is now submitted.

The following shows the proposals for meeting the anticipated loads of 1920, 1921 and 1922. In perusing these details the Committee's attention is recalled to my Report of December 6, already referred to, wherein the whole of the Fearon Road steam generating plant of 5,000 kilowatts is to be removed in the year 1920 and the A.E.G. plant of 14,000 kilowatts at Riverside was scheduled to be removed in 1921. In order to instal additional switchgear at Fearon Road, already provided for, it is absolutely necessary to remove 3,000 kilowatts out of the total 5,000 kilowatts next year, but in order to more safely meet the requirements of 1920 it is proposed to retain 2,000 kilowatts of steam driven generating plant at Fearon Road. This must be regarded as an expediency measure and not one which is preferred.

With regard to the A.E.G. plant at Riverside, this, as the Committee is aware, is not considered reliable and therefore cannot be taken as an 100 per cent. asset. The two 2,000 kilowatt generators, however, were completely rewound during the present year, and as far as can be judged these two machines may be considered fairly reliable for another two or three years. As regards the two 5,000 kilowatt sets, the same views are held as were expressed eighteen months ago, that they must not be considered as reliable. In my former scheme the 14,000 kilowatts of A.E.G. plant was scheduled to come out of Riverside in 1921 to be replaced by an 18,000 kilowatt turbine which was to have been in commission in 1922. Circumstances have so shaped themselves that this programme cannot with safety now be adhered to, and, whilst the A.E.G. plant is not reliable, it is considered safer to keep it and make the most of it until two more 18,000 kilowatt machines are installed and in commission at the North end of the present turbine room. Last year's scheme as approved left us in 1922 with a generating plant capacity at Riverside of 83,000 kilowatts made up of:

3—18,000 K. W. turbines
2—10,000 ,, ,,
1— 5,000 ,, ,,
2— 2,000 ,, ,,

This was to meet an anticipated maximum load of 45,000 kilowatts, but, as already explained, this load of 45,000 kilowatts is expected next year, or two years before the preconceived date.

The problem of meeting the load of 1920 can only be met be retaining the 2,000 kilowatts at Fearon Road and the A.E.G. plant at Riverside. With regard to this latter plant, it has been considered advisable to regard it as equal to only 10,000 kilowatts instead of its full rated value of 14,000; by rating it at this figure it takes more into account the factor of unreliability.

If the anticipated load in 1921 develops, it will be difficult to meet it unless a bold policy of extension is decided upon. We have for so long a time been running our plant without adequate spares, with consequent losses of efficiency, that I feel sure the Committee will agree that such conditions of operation should not and cannot be allowed to continue, and in order to get over the difficulty the schedule for meeting the 1921 demands has been drawn up as shown below. This schedule is drawn up on the presumption that we may be able to have two more 18,000 kilowatt machines in commission in the Autumn of 1921, but I regard this as a little doubtful in view of the time taken to build generators of this size and the experience usually encountered of manufacturers not living up to their contract deliveries. If the worst comes to the worst and these machines are not in commission in 1921, the estimated load of 64,000 kilowatts could be met by the plant running at its full output without any spare except a small amount of 5,000 kilowatts which could be obtained from one of the House turbines. It will be seen, therefore, that unless two more 18,000 kilowatt machines are ordered very soon the position in 1921 will be as critical as it is this present year; a position which is neither fair to the public, both domestic and industrial, which is dependent on the undertaking for its electrical needs, nor to the undertaking itself.

It will be noted that in 1921 the whole of the A.E.G. plant should be removed and the space formerly occupied by it in the 1912 section

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of the turbine room be made ready for the accommodation of two 10,000 kilowatt machines, which it is proposed to instal in 1922. The Committee may wonder why it is proposed to instal two 10,000 kilowatt turbines in the space formerly occupied by 14,000 kilowatts of A.E.G. plant instead of installing an 18,000 kilowatt set there, according to the programme drawn up last year. The reason is this, that before we dare take out the A.E.G. plant it is absolutely necessary to have the third and fourth 18,000 kilowatt machines in commission. These two machines should be installed at the North end of the turbine room extension in which the first and second 18,000 kilowatt machines are now being erected. There is and always will be a considerable amount of distribution in the Eastern District at 6,600 volts through the existing underground cables which are laid for distribution at that pressure, and although a 10,000 kilowatt unit is not so economical in steam consumption as a larger machine, after careful consideration the recommendation to instal two units of 10,000 kilowatts has been arrived at because it best meets the needs of the situation. The 1912 boiler house contains eight boilers, all in excellent condition, and which there is no reason to doubt should be good for another ten to fifteen years' service, and unless generating plant is installed in the 1912 section of the turbine room these particular boilers would no longer be of practical use, as they would be too far away from the larger turbines to economically supply them with steam.

Adverting to my Report of December last year, it is there stated that with the installation of the second 18,000 kilowatt machine the present limit of the power station site would be reached, and that the time would then come to erect a second power house on the adjacent property acquired last year. This view must in the light of circumstances now be modified, for the simple reason that the demands for electricity have increased beyond all anticipations and have, assuming my estimates are correct, put us two years ahead of our former schedule. If time were of less moment I should strongly urge the construction of an entirely new power house in which the boilers and turbines would be designed to operate at a much higher steam pressure, thereby gaining increased economy. To design a new power house and to thoroughly study the conditions for coal handling, water supply for condensing purposes, and other subjects intimately connected with power house design would occupy several months. Had the development marched along the lines anticipated only twelve months ago, ample time would have been given for the full consideration and design of the second power house, whilst the new plant already ordered for the No. 1 power house was being installed. Circumstances, however, have changed all this, and if we are to meet the electrical demands of Shanghai the only safe method is to adopt the scheme outlined in this Report.

Below is shown the estimated plant capacity and load for the year 1922, from which it will be seen that if these demands actually take place, and there is little reason to see why they should not, then by the end of 1922 we should not have more than an adequate reserve of spare plant to meet our obligations. Long before 1922 the construction of the No. 2 power house will have to be considered but the scheme outlined above gives time to meet the pressing demands of the next three years and to allow time to draw up the best design for the No. 2 power house, which I expect will have to be in commission towards the end of the year 1923. At the present time a good deal of attention is being given in England to the operation of turbines at very much higher steam pressures than has been the usual practice, and there is very little doubt that when the time comes to plan the No. 2 power house, much higher steam pressure than in the No. 1 power house will be adopted. If time permitted I should incline to recommend taking in hand the No. 2 power house at once and instal the new turbines operating at a higher pressure therein, but, as already hinted, considerable delay would take place if this alternative were adopted. By enlarging our No. 1 power house to the extent suggested in this Report the best solution will, in my opinion, be found to meet what would appear to be the very pressing demands which have to be met.

In my Report of last December, which the Committee adopted, four 80,000 lb. boilers were to be ordered this present year and four more were to be ordered in 1920. The first four have been ordered, and it is now necessary to order the other four, but inasmuch as we propose increasing the plant capacity beyond the limits of the last year's programme, two more boilers will be required, i.e., a total of ten boilers in the No. 3 boiler house instead of eight originally scheduled. Tenders have already been received and hold good up till April next from both Messrs. Babcock & Wilcox and the Stirling Boiler Company, and my recommendation is to order three more boilers from Messrs. Babcock & Wilcox and three more from the Stirling Boiler Company. This arrangement will enable us to compare the relative merits of the two types of boiler side by side and under identical operating conditions. It is hoped that the experience gained by this selection will be of use when deciding upon the type of boiler to instal in the No. 2 power house.

With regard to the boiler house buildings, it is suggested that the first section to contain the first four boilers already on order should be constructed locally, as it is most important that the building should be erected before the arrival of the boilers next year. For that section of the boiler house to accommodate the other six boilers and also the extension of the turbine room to accommodate the third and fourth 18,000 kilowatt sets, I would suggest that tenders be called for these in London. At the same time competitive tenders might be asked for in Shanghai to see whether this would work out cheaper than getting fabricated steelwork from Europe or America.

In addition to the generation plant there is also the problem of distribution. To give the Committee an idea of how rapidly things are developing, I would instance the Tonquin Road Substation which is now nearing completion. This sub-station has been designed to contain switchgear equipment for handling about 24,000 kilowatts of load, i.e., for distributing this amount of energy in the immediate neighbourhood. Judging by the industrial development in the Western District, it now appears that this sub-station will be too small, and the conclusion has been reached that if it is possible to secure additional land this building should be doubled in size, so that ultimately the equipment which it will contain will be sufficient to deal with 45,000 to 50,000 kilowatts. In addition to the enlargement of this Tonquin Road Sub-station, it is planned to have a distributing switchhouse located between Tonquin Road and Jessfield, but nearer the latter place. This switchhouse will be designed primarily to provide large bulk supplies of electric power to various mills in the district, and it will also serve as a tie connexion between Tonquin Road super-substation and another super-substation which will shortly be required beyond Jessfield. In order to adequately meet the demands in the Western District additional trunk cables from Riverside will be required, and in this scheme of extensions provision has been made for these cables in the estimates which appear at the end. A large quantity of switchgear and transformers will also be necessary, and additional buildings for switchhouse and super-substations. To detail at length the technical requirements to meet the Department's expansion would not, in a Report of this nature, serve any useful purpose, but the question has been most carefully considered and the estimates drawn up as closely as possible with a view more to giving a general outline of the extension scheme than to giving the technical detail.

Whilst this Report outlines the salient features of the extensions, it must be remembered that beyond the items detailed there will always be required from time to time additional underground and overhead cable, switchgear, transformers, meters, sub-station buildings and the numerous minor accessories associated with the supply of a public utility such as electricity, and provision must be made for them as they become necessary.

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The estimated cost of the scheme outlined herein is Tls. 4,304,000 exchange being taken at 6s. 0d.

In addition to this there are plant, cables, apparatus, etc. on order, and local expenditure on foundations, buildings etc. amounting to approximately Tls. 2,039,000, already authorized. The total capital expenditure during 1920 is estimated at Tls. 4,006,000, of which Tls. 1,967,333 is on the (1920) Extension scheme forming the subject of this report.

**1920.**

*Estimated maximum load.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1919 | 29,000 | K.W. |
| 1920 | 45,000 | ,, |
| 1921 | 64,000 | ,, |
| 1922 | 80,000 | ,, |
| 1923 | 100,000 | ,, |

*Proposals for meeting 1920 load of 45,000 K.W.*

| *Plant* | *Riverside.* | |
|---|---|---|
| G.E.C. | 10,000 | |
| F. & C. | 5,000 | |
| Parsons | 10,000 | (1920) |
| G. E. C. | 18,000 | ,, |
| ,, | 18,000 | ,, |
| Fearon Road | 2,000 | |
| A. E. G. | 10,000 | |
| Willans | 4,000 | |
| | 77,000 | K.W. |
| Plant capacity | 77,000 | K.W. |
| Spare 18,000 and 5,000 | 23,000 | ,, |
| | 54,000 | K.W. |
| Safe load | 54,000 | K.W. |
| Estimated load | 45,000 | ,, |
| | 9,000 | K.W. |

Two 18,000 K.W. sets to be ordered early in 1920 and delivered in Shanghai in April or May 1921, on load November 1, 1921.

Two 5,000 K.W. House Turbines to be ordered at sanie time with delivery as early as possible.

**1921**

*Proposals for meeting 1921 load of 64,000 K.W.*

| *Plant* | |
|---|---|
| G. E. C. | 10,000 |
| F. & C. | 5,000 |
| Parsons | 10,000 |
| G. E. C. | 18,000 |
| ,, | 18,000 |
| To be ordered | 18,000* |
| ,, | 18,000* |
| Willans | 4,000 |
| | 101,000 |
| House Turbine | 5,000† |
| | 106,000 |

*Arrive April or May 1921 on load November 1921.

†(*2 in station-one on load*) on load early as possible.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Plant Capacity | 106,000 | K.W. |
| Spare 18,000 and 10,000 | 28,000 | ,, |
| | 78,000 | K.W. |
| Safe load | 78,000 | K.W. |
| Estimated load | 64,000 | ,, |
| | 14,000 | K.W. |

When the above plant is running the whole of the A.E.G. plant to be replaced by two 10,000 K.W. sets ready to be put on load June 1922.

These sets must be ordered for delivery in Shanghai by January or February 1922.

**1922**

*Estimated load 80,000 K.W.*

| *Plant* | | |
|---|---|---|
| G. E. C. | 10,000 | |
| F. & C. | 5,000 | |
| Parsons | 10,000 | (1920) |
| G. E. C. | 18,000 | (1920) |
| ,, | 18,000 | (1920) |
| | 18,000 | (1921) |
| | 18,000 | (1921) |
| House Turbines | 5,000 | (1921)‡ |
| In place of 10,000 K.W. of A. E. G. | 10,000 | (1922) |
| | 10,000 | (1922) |
| | 122,000 | K.W. |

‡(*2 in station one on load*).

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Plant Capacity | 122,000 | K.W. |
| Spare 18,000 and 10,000 | 28,000 | ,, |
| | 94,000 | K.W. |
| Safe load | 94,000 | K.W. |
| Estimated load | 80,000 | ,, |
| | 14,000 | K.W |

T. H. U. ALDRIDGE,
*Engineer-in-Chief and Manager.*

**Charity Organization Committee.**

Report and Statement of Accounts for 1919 and Budget for 1920:—

Shanghai, January 26, 1920.

SIR,—The Committee of the Charity Organization beg to hand you herewith a report on their work for the year 1919, together with a statement of their accounts and their budget for the year 1920.

Yours truly,
ADA. WHEEN,
*Secretary.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

*Report of the Charity Organization Committee for the year ending December 31, 1919.*

Seven members were appointed to serve on the Committee at the commencement of the year:

Mrs. Gorton.
Mrs. Chambers.
Mrs. Garner.
Mrs. Grant.
Miss Jansen.
Mrs. Lancaster.
Mrs. Macdonald.

In view of the near departure of several members on furlough it was decided to ask Mrs. Everall and Mrs. Henman to join the Committee in order that they might become cognisant of the present working.

Owing to the serious and lengthy illness of the Chairman, Mrs. Everall was elected to take her place. Mrs. Garner kindly consented to act as Hon. Treasurer, Mrs. Porter joined the Committee as Leader of The King's Daughters' Society to replace Miss Jansen, and Mrs. Algar was elected to take Mrs. Lancaster's seat.

The meetings have been held fortnightly, the total number being 21, and the average attendance has been 6.03.

The number of visitors during the year has been approximately 3,528; about 593 visits have been made by the Secretary, an increase of 300 visitors is interesting.

*Visiting Committee.*

A sub-committee was formed in April for the object of visiting with the Secretary and/or the District Nurse in order that the Committee should become more familiar with the cases under their notice and also to assist in the distribution of milk, butter and eggs.

Applications for relief have been more frequent at the rooms during the past few months, owing to the great influx of refugees from Siberia. The many generous donations received have greatly facilitated meeting these needs, and as the supply of warm underclothing was speedily exhausted it was decided to spend a portion of the money received for refugees in making good the shortage for the most deserving cases.

One or two cases may be of interest:—

(*a*) An English lady married o a Russian, refugees from Vladivostock, was earning a very small salary teaching English. By arrangement with The King's Daughters she was engaged as an interpreter to facilitate the work of investigating Russian cases. The Committee felt that money thus expended not only helped one family but was also beneficial to many others.

(*b*) Two young Russians who were trying to return to Odessa had tickets only as far as Port Said. To avoid giving them cash, arrangements were made through Messrs. Thos. Cook and passages paid for them to Odessa, leaving them a little nioney for use when they reach their destination.

The work during the year has been principally that of investigation, disbursements on behalf of different benevolent societies, and also private individuals, and the finding of employment.

There are still a number of old cases on the books, whilst the total number of new ones dealt with during the year aniount to 340, made up of the following nationalities:—

| | |
|---|---|
| British | 51 |
| Finns | 32 |
| Rumanian | 35 |
| Russians | 72 |
| Portuguese | 39 |
| Filipino | 14 |
| American | 10 |
| Belgian | 8 |
| Danish | 6 |
| Spanish | 3 |
| Arabian | 4 |
| Corean | 2 |
| French | 8 |
| Italian | 4 |
| Norwegian | 5 |
| Servian | 4 |
| Swedish | 6 |
| Bohemian | 4 |
| Jews | 4 |
| Poles | 3 |
| Armenian | 2 |
| Dutch | 4 |
| Letts | 7 |
| Czechs | 4 |
| Esthonian | 9 |

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Positions have been found for 64 cases, 21 have been assisted to leave Shanghai whilst 617 persons and/or families have been supplied with clothing and helped in other ways.

It is noticeable that the Charity Organization is being made use of more frequently as an employment bureau, both by employers and those seeking positions who are of other than the well-known "won't work" class.

The Committee would like once more to call attention to the undesirability of promiscuous giving of monetary assistance without investigation. As an example the case of "X" might here be quoted, who has for many years extracted considerable sums from charitable persons by writing begging letters, and calling on business men. Some of his letters are in the possession of the Committee and invariably run in this strain:—

"It is with a sorrowful heart I come to appeal to your kind and generous disposition towards a man who finds himself in the last dregs of life.

"I am without work, sick in bed, with a wife and two poor little innocent children, all suffering from the bare necessities of life, such as food, fire, medicines, and house rent and I unable even to leave my bed to look for work."

The Committee feels that it is most desirable to prevent money from being wasted on such people and reserved for genuine cases of distress.

*Tenement House.*

Regarded experimentally every justification is given not only for the existence of this house, but also for the suggestion that in the near future other flats should be added thereto. Thus would be given the means of tiding a family over a critical period until a situation is found and sufficient earnings saved to start afresh.

Among the many cases sheltered during the year the following may be of interest:—

(*a*) Application made by a Czech family for rooms. The husband is earning only $25 a month addressing envelopes and collecting accounts. When visited were found living in one room, which though small was very clean. The wife was expecting her first confinement and arrangements were made for this and clothes supplied for herself and child. In the interval they were given a "flat" and are being supplied with coal during the winter months.

(*b*) Russian officer and wife with one little girl. He had been a surgeon's assistant in the army. Is a specialist in the cure of rheumatism. They were given quarters and coal, and the wife, who is delicate, was supplied with butter, eggs and milk. One of the Circles of the King's Daughters' Society undertook the payment of the little girl's education for the time being. The man eventually obtained a good position and is now ever ready to help other unfortunates.

*Public Library and Reading Room.*

Acting on the suggestion made by the Committee of the Charity Organization in last year's report of the need for a Public Library and Reading Room on the north side of the Garden Bridge, The King's Daughters have opened a library and free reading room adjoining their rooms for women and girls only.

*Mental Deficients.*

The problem of dealing with this class of person continues to be a difficult one, owing firstly, to the lack of any proper institution to which they can be sent, and secondly to the lack of any power to keep them in any institution if such were available. The steamship companies are also unwilling to take them away from Shanghai.

The proportion of mental deficients amongst applicants for help is large. Many can never be self-supporting and fall easy victims to unscrupulous persons and temptations of all kinds. Such people are a burden and a danger to themselves and the community when standing alone, but in suitable surroundings often lead happy and cheerful lives.

In both Europe and America much attention has been and is being given to this question and it is hoped that ultimately it may be possible to have applied to Shanghai recent legislation in certain countries which would make it possible to deal with such deficients. But this would apply only to the nationals of these countries and the need for the institution would still remain.

It is encouraging that following upon an application made to H.B.M.'s Consul-General the support of one case which has been on the books since the commencement of the Organization, has been undertaken by the Consulate until arrangements can be made to send him to England or Australia.

The Committee again take this opportunity of thanking the various local benevolent societies, the Committee of the "Cottage" and private individuals for their ever ready help both monetary and otherwise in cases which have been referred to them; and also Mr. R. W. Davis for kindly auditing the accounts.

EVELYN MACDONALD,
*Chairman.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

ORDINARY EXPENDITURE.

*Charity Organization Committee of the King's Daughters' Society Estimates for 1920.*

| Pay: | 1920 | 1919 |
|---|---|---|
| Foreigners | 2,880 | |
| Chinese | 300 | |
| | 3,180 | 3,180 |
| Rent and Taxes | 588 | 588 |
| Telephone Service | 98 | 98 |
| Stationery and Postage | 75 | 75 |
| Fuel | 70 | 70 |
| Light | nil | nil |
| Water | 36 | 36 |
| Maintenance and Repairs | 50 | 70 |
| Locomotion | 540 | 540 |
| Miscellaneous | 30 | 30 |
| Tls. | 4,667 | 4,687 |

EVELYN MACDONALD,
*Chairman.*

FRANCES L. GARNER,
*Hon. Treasurer.*

WORKING ACCOUNT

| | |
|---|---|
| To Balance (1918) | $1,679.52 |
| Municipal Grant | 6,360.25 |
| Charges to K. D. S. (Rent & Telephone) | 578.77 |
| Interest at 2% to date | 10.24 |
| | $8,628.78 |
| By Salaries and Wages— | |
| Foreigners | $3,606.24 |
| Chinese | 121.00 |
| Rent and Taxes | 1,409.22 |
| Telephone charges | 154.92 |
| Water | 48.00 |
| Fuel | 69.00 |
| Locomotion | 639.00 |
| Stationery | 72.85 |
| Postage and Sundries | 84.46 |
| Maintenance and Repairs | 107.10 |
| Balance in Bank | 2,314.99 |
| | $8,628.78 |

CHARITY ACCOUNT

| | |
|---|---|
| To Balance (1918) | $ 123.30 |
| Donations—Disbursements on account of Local Charity | 1,667.25 |
| Beaumont Trust | 292.65 |
| Sundry Sales | 10.00 |
| Interest | 14.18 |
| Tenement House—Subscriptions and Donations | 520.00 |
| | $2,627.38 |
| By Board and Lodging | $ 642.50 |
| Alms | 796.15 |
| School Fees | 73.85 |
| Passages | 54.00 |
| Payments for Beaumont | 304.40 |
| Refunded to Ladies' Benevolent Society | 25.00 |
| Medicine | 3.25 |
| Miscellaneous | 1.00 |
| Tenement House—Rent and Taxes | 385.97 |
| Water | 14.40 |
| Furniture and Repairs | 114.78 |
| Balance in hand | 212.08 |
| | $2,627.38 |

TENEMENT HOUSE FUND.

| | |
|---|---|
| To Balance (1918) | $ 62.11 |
| Subscriptions | 420.00 |
| Donations | 100.00 |
| | $582.11 |
| By Rent | $ 360.00 |
| Taxes | 25.97 |
| Water | 14.40 |
| Furniture | 83.40 |
| Repairs | 31.38 |
| Balance in hand | 66.96 |
| | $582.11 |

Audited and found correct,

R. W. DAVIS.

FRANCES L. GARNER,
*Hon. Treasurer.*

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### Road Extensions and Widenings

*Bubbling Well and Great Western Roads.*—Purchase has been effected of Mow 4.380 of unregistered land, west of Tifeng Road, for a sum of Tls. 9,855. Mow 0.711 of this area will be used for the extension of Bubbling Well Road, Mow 0.160 for the widening of Great Western Road, and the balance of Mow 3.509 will remain as surplus land.

### Drainage.

*Siccawei Road.*—The proposal of the French Council has been accepted to participate in the cost of a sewer in this road, west of Route Say Zoong, approximately 190 metres in length. The Council's contribution is estimated at Tls. 670.

### Public Lighting.

*Town Hall.*—On the recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works, four 600 and five 120 candle power gas lamps have been installed in the Town Hall.

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 24.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to the following:—

Sub-Inspector M. Gibson from February 10.
Inspector G. M. Merrison from February 15.
Sergeant J. Anderson from February 15.

Warder No. 29, Fazal Khan, is discharged, invalided, from January 20.

The following are promoted to be Sergeants from January 15:—

J. F. Gabbutt.
C. Schooler.
A. M. Cameron.

Constable T. G. Coyne is permitted to terminate his service on January 29.

*Educational Department.*—Miss M. Firth is appointed Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls under agreement from January 16.

Miss E. M. Adlam is appointed Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Chinese, under agreement from January 16.

The appointment of Miss A. H. Ware, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is confirmed under an agreement from March 1, terminable at three months' notice.

Mr. H. Standring is appointed Assistant Master in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys under agreement from January 16.

Mr. F. C. Millington, Assistant Master in the Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, returned from war service, resumed duty on January 16.

*Finance Department.*—Major J. T. Ford, O.B.E., Assistant Treasurer, returned from war service, resumed duty on January 16.

Mr. S. H. Ross is appointed Assistant under agreement from January 16.

*Secretariat.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. T. L. Rawsthorne, Assistant, from April 26.

*Revenue Office.*—Long leave is granted to Collector A. Dahl from May 1.

*Unattached.*—The Council learnt with deep regret of the death on January 18 of Mr. G. Lanning.

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, January 25, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 3 | — |
| Diphtheria | 3 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 21 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 9 | 207 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 27 | Yuen-Ming-Yuen | Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld. | | | altn. & addn. |
| 5020 | Funing | Palmer & Turner | | 2 | |
| 5028 | Yangtszepoo | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | 1 | |
| 6003 | do. | China Import & Export Lumber Co. | | | shed |
| 6044 | do. | do. | | | " |
| 2190 | B'bling Well | Brandt & Rodgers | 1 | | |
| 4351 | Markham | Hong Yue Cotton Mill Co. | | | addn. to latrine |
| 4558 | W. Soochow | H. M. Cumine | | | staircase |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 149 | Tientsin | Ko Dee Fu | | | addns. |
| 682 | Haining | Ching Loong | | | " |
| 2351 | Baikal | Yao Ning Kee | 7 | | |
| E of 5180 | Rangoon | Chang Quen Woo | 1 | | |
| S of 7168 | Ward | King Kee | 2 | | |
| N of 6863 | Yangtszepoo | do. | 2 | | |
| 2190 | B'bling Well | Brandt & Rodgers | 5 | | |
| 1241 / 1274 | Burkill | H. M. Cumine | 60 | | gate house |
| N of 2593 | Siccawei | Lee Shuo Kee | 2 | | |
| S of 126 | Wenchow | Chi Ching Kee | | | addns. |

### Public Band.

On Sunday next, February 1, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

ELEVENTH CONCERT:

*"French Composers"*

1.—*"Phaeton"* Poem Symphonic — Saint-Saëns

2.—(a) *"Romeo and Juliette"* Scène d' Amour
(b) *"Damnation de Faust"* Ballet des Sylphes
(c) *"Le Carneval Romain"* — H. Berlioz

3.—(a) *"Serenade"*
(b) *"A Mules"* from the Suite *"Impression d' Italie"* — G. Charpentier

4.—(a) *"Prelude"*
(b) *"Serenade"*
(c) *"Fête foraine"* — Ed. Lalo

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

### Sanitary Station.

Shanghai, January 22, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to hand you, enclosed, a statement of Receipts and Payments in connexion with the Sanitary Station at Woosung for the December Quarter 1919.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

The CHAIRMAN, Municipal Council.

| RECEIPTS. | *Haikwan Taels* | |
|---|---|---|
| Balance from September Quarter 1919 | — | |
| Foreign Municipal Council's Contribution | 1,346.50 | |
| French Municipal Council's Contribution | 471.27 | |
| Superintendent's Contribution | 2,693.00 | |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 506.28 | |
| *Interest on Mortgage A/c | — | |
| | | 5,017.05 |
| Total Receipts | | 5,017.05 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | |
| Salaries, Foreign Staff | 2,418.84 | |
| " Chinese " | 1,087.00 | |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 448.83 | |
| Maintenance Account | 684.94 | |
| Advertisements, Telegrams, etc. | 48.91 | |
| Coal and Stores for Tender | 910.02 | |
| Loss by Exchange | 49.37 | |
| | 5,647.91 | |
| Balance due on September 30, 1919 | 11,938.16 | |
| | | 17,586.07 |
| Debit Balance on Dec. 31, 1919 | | 12,569.02 |

*Total interest received to date Hk. Tls. 1,795.32

Prepared by
J. STEINBERG,
*District Accountant.*

L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

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**Parks Report for December 1919.**

| | |
|---|---|
| *Roadside Trees—* | |
| Trees pruned | 1,871 |
| ,, transplanted | 7 |
| ,, planted | 28 |
| ,, staked | 35 |
| ,, fastened | 35 |
| Dead trees removed | 19 |
| Tree borers destroyed | 609 |
| *Road Widenings—* | |
| Trees transplanted | 29 |
| ,, planted | 40 |
| ,, staked | 40 |
| ,, fastened | 40 |
| *Nurseries—* | |
| Plants transplanted | 3,470 |
| Trees transplanted | 2,071 |
| Shrubs transplanted | 350 |
| Young trees pruned | 470 |
| Various cuttings inserted | 1,060 |
| *Public Garden—* | |
| Shrubs planted | 149 |

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | players |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,225 |
| Football | 110 |
| Hockey | 88 |
| Total number of players | 1,423 |
| ,, ,, non-players | 4,800 |
| Total number of Visitors | 6,223 |

| | |
|---|---|
| *Plants bedded out—* | |
| Reserve Garden | 3,850 |
| Public Gardens | 12,700 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 5,040 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 1,945 |
| Jessfield Park | 7,970 |
| Wayside Park | 9,730 |
| Quinsan Square | 560 |
| Secretariat | 640 |
| Victoria Nursing Home | 600 |
| Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Boys | 800 |
| Hanbury School for Boys | 450 |
| Hanbury School for Girls | 230 |
| Public School for Chinese | 300 |
| Public School for Girls | 2,880 |
| Bubbling Well Police Station | 530 |
| Sinza Police Station | 1,340 |
| Hongkew Police Station | 300 |
| Yangtszepoo Police Station | 900 |
| | 50,765 |

W. H. ETTERLEY,
*Assistant Superintendent.*

Countersigned:
CHAS. H. GODFREY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承攬事宜由局自有權斟酌全權

二 凡未辦妥承准後之用款目下所有各項本局自有權斟酌全權

三 輝行定保證金之後其該款承辦人到局之保證金之後其該款承辦人

四 所有以後承擔公信及辦理的人

五 目前所取阻登擔各人之信合人

本所必將錢其該明清局之公同

明所將該之款錢一俟得數清若辦須

後仍收款錢律退還的此若理的

承單付人攬承辦覓

本局內錢知之實

攬信登則墨價保自

目有以承擔公信及辦理的人攬之實付人局亦

所有承攬各項本局承攬事宜由英文開列於下

六 所有承攬各項本局承攬事宜由英文開列於下

面漆所寫其有承攬承攬信款錢一俟律退還的實驗承單付人攬內錢知之信登則墨價

部局寫明送至江西路二號十工信火

二部局寫明送至江西路二號十工信火

信送時辦處在定料二十四號信

信送之前以須送信定料二十四號信

清單來最善用此次概免交由挂午號十

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## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|

### POLICE FORCE

Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 148 | Convicts' Food, in the following quantities monthly from March 1 :— Vegetables about 5,800 lbs.; Onions ,, 2,900 ,,; Salt fish ,, 1,030 ,,; Beef ,, 1,200 ,,; Pork ,, 1,100 ,,; Salt ,, 1,200 ,,; Bean Oil ,, 800 ,,; Tea ,, 90 ,, — For 6 or 12 months. | — | January 30. Tenders should be accompanied by samples. |

### ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT

Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 195 | 20 Miles of Bare Copper Cable | Tls. 5 | March 18 |
| 196 | 13 ,, of Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | do. |
| 197 | 8 ,, of Vulcanised Cable | Tls. 5 | do. |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

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## NOTICE.

THE undersigned, in pursuance of the respective provisions of Articles IX and VIA of the Land Regulations for the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, hereby give notice that Monday and Tuesday, February 16 and 17, are fixed upon for the election of Councillors and for the election, by registered owners of land in the Settlement, of a Land Commissioner, for the Municipal year 1920.

Nomination papers should be returned to the Council Room not later than 4 p.m. on Monday, February 9, 1920.

Shanghai, February 1, 1920.

D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium.*
T. RAASCHOU,
*Consul-General for Denmark.*
E. D. H. FRASER,
*Consul-General for Great Britain.*
V. GROSSE,
*Consul-General for Russia.*
J. E. HULTMAN,
*Consul-General for Sweden.*
G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy.*
JORGE R. D'OLIVEIRA,
*Consul-General for Portugal and in charge of Cuban Consulate-General.*
K. YAMASAKI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*
E. S. CUNNINGHAM,
*Consul-General for the United States of America.*
S. A. SCHUURMAN,
*Consul-General for the Netherlands.*
S. STECKMEST,
*Consul-General for Norway.*
DUFAURE DE LA PRADE,
*Acting Consul-General for France.*
HUGO REISS,
*Consul for Brazil.*
JULIO PALENCIA,
*Consul for Spain.*

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2655.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2671 *(Amended)***

**EXCHANGE AND TOBACCO SHOPS.**

THE public is hereby notified that on and after April 1, all keepers of Exchange and Tobacco Shops are required to take out a licence under Bye-law XXXIV.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

### EXCHANGE SHOP OR STALL LICENCE.

CONDITIONS:

1. That the licence be not transferable.
2. That the licensee shall be the responsible owner of the business conducted at the shop or stall.
3. That the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous place inside the shop or stall.
4. That the word "Licensed Chinese Money Exchange, or Cash Shop" be exhibited conspicuously in large characters on the shop or stall both in English and Chinese.
5. That free access be given to the Police on duty and to officers of the Revenue Office charged with the inspection of licensed premises.
6. That the shop or stall be closed at 12 o'clock midnight and not re-opened until 5 o'clock a.m.
7. That the rate of exchange for the day be exhibited conspicuously in large figures on the shop or stall both in English and Chinese.
8. That the licensee report any change of address of his place of business to the Revenue Office and that the responsible ownership of the business be not transferred without the permission of the Council.

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9. That the shop or stall cause no obstruction in the street or thoroughfare.
10. That no counterfeit money or forged notes be knowingly received or uttered by the licensee or by any person in his employ and that all information relating to any such counterfeit money or forged notes be immediately given to the Police.
11. That each shop be provided with a suitable grille or other protective device approved by the Council.
12. That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
13. That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to cancellation or suspension by the Council and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE

From Tls. 1 to Tls. 25 per quarter, according to class of establishment, payable in advance.

TOBACCO SHOP OR STALL LICENCE.

CONDITIONS:

1. That the licence be not transferable.
2. That the licence number plate be fixed in a conspicuous position at the main outside entrance to the shop or stall and remain at all times legible and undefaced and that the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous place inside the premises.
3. That free access be given to the Police on duty and to officers of the Revenue Office charged with the inspection of licensed premises.
4. That the shop or stall be closed at 12 o'clock midnight, and not re-opened until 5 o'clock a.m.
5. That the shop or stall cause no obstruction in the street or thoroughfare.
6. That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
7. That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

From Tls. 1 to Tls. 25 per quarter, according to class of establishment, payable in advance.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 22, 1920.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 2672.

THOMAS HANBURY SCHOOL FOR BOYS.

THE attention of parents is directed to the following revised scale of fees which will have effect from March 1, 1920.

| | |
|---|---|
| Boarders | $30 per mensem |
| Day Scholars | 9 per mensem |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 29, 1920.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 2673.

THE following additional licence conditions will be enforced with effect from February 16.

WHEEL BARROW.

7A.—All loose material such as broken stone, sand, gravel, coal, ashes, feathers, etc., be carried in properly constructed receptacles so that the material cannot be spilled on the road.

HANDCART.

9A.—That the materials be carried in properly constructed baskets and not dropped on the road and that when landed they be immediately taken away.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 5, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Friday, January 30, 1920, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 1 o'clock p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, February 4, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
D. Goh
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 6.10 p.m.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*First Reserves.*—Leave is granted to Captain G. A. Johnson from February 15 to November 30.

**Parks Committee.**

Mr. F. Ayscough has accepted the Council's invitation to serve as a member of the Committee in place of Mr. P. Peebles.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*East Yuhang Road.*—The claim of Messrs. Moorhead and Halse has been accepted for the surrender of the scheduled area of Lot 280 at the assessed value, Tls. 6,000 per mow, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, or Tls. 1,551 for Mow 0.235.

**Landing Accommodation.**

The pontoon on the Bund foreshore opposite the Telegraph Company's building, will be closed to traffic from to-day's date and until February 20, during reconstruction of the Bund at this point.

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 31.

*Fire Brigade.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. H. Upton, Station Officer, from March 25.

*Police Force.*—Constables H. A. Brown and M. Healy are dismissed the Force from January 27.

Constable J. Allen is dismissed the Force from January 29.

The following Constables are transferred to be Assistant Warders on probation from February 1:—

W. R. Chisholm.
W. N. Webb.
W. Hall.
H. T. Hulbert.
H. C. Jackson.
G. H. Craik.

Long leave is granted to Mr. M. O. Springfield, Assistant Commissioner, from April 10.

*Health Department.*—Miss E. C. Brotherhood is appointed Nurse under agreement from January 26.

Long leave is granted to Nurse M. I. Clarke from February 1, with permission to terminate her service on August 21, the date of expiry of her agreement.

Long leave is granted to Nurse G. Morris from February 23, whereafter her service will terminate.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to Inspector H. Fitz George from February 1.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. H. G. Whitcher, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Chinese, is permitted to terminate her service on February 29.

*Finance Department.*—Mr. F. Oldfield, temporary Assistant, is permitted to terminate his service on January 31.

*Secretariat.*—Mr. H. J. D. Lowe, returned from war service, is re-engaged temporarily as Assistant from January 12.

**Public Band.**

On Sunday next, February 8, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

TWELFTH CONCERT:

1.—(*a*) Prelude
(*b*) Choral
(*c*) Fuga — J. S. Bach
2.—Overture "Leonora N. 3" — Beethoven

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3.—Symphony C major N. 7

(a) Andante—Allegro ma non troppo

(b) Andante con moto

(c) Scherzo

(d) Allegro vivace Schubert

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, February 1, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 2 | 3 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 11 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 178 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 628 | Nanking | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | altns. |
| 47/8 | Szechuen | Palmer & Turner | | | altns. & addns. |
| 871 | Dent | M. C. Yeh | | | addns. |
| N of 5200 | Pingliang & Lay | W. C. Seeds | | 5 | block offices boiler house & wall |
| 2465 | Whashing | C. Luthy | | | transformer house |
| 2758 | Yangtszepoo | Oriental Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. | | | water-closet |
| 2825 | Gt. Western | Algar & Co., Ld. | 1 | | servants' quarters |
| 3240 | Seymour | William Katz | | | water-closet |
| 4845 | W. Soochow | Wong Sung Kee | | | addns. |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 77 | Nee Pah Doo | Percy Tilley | | | addns. |
| 730 | Off East Yuhang | Wong Kou Sung | 2 | | shed |
| N of 5090 | Ferry | King Kee | 13 | | |
| E of 5760 | Penang | Chiao Shun Kee | 5 | | |

## Concreteware Manufactory.

The following is the price list of drain pipes and other articles manufactured. The prices quoted are ex Depôt in Fearon Road near Range Road. Applications for delivery orders should be made at the Public Works Office, 7A The Bund.

| No. | Description | Price Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | 12" Pipe | 0.80 |
| 2 | 9" " | 0.60 |
| 3 | 6" " | 0.40 |
| 4 | 4" " | 0.28 |
| 5 | 12" x 6" Junction | 1.60 |
| 6 | 12" x 6" " | 1.45 |
| 7 | 12" x 4" " | 1.35 |
| 8 | 9" x 6" " | 1.15 |
| 9 | 9" x 4" " | 1.05 |
| 10 | 6" x 4" " | 0.80 |
| 11 | 6" Knuckle Bends | 0.50 |
| 12 | 4" " " | 0.45 |
| 13 | 6" Bend (long) | 0.50 |
| 14 | 4" Bend " | 0.45 |
| 15 | 4" Fig. A. Yard Gullies without cover | 0.40 |
| | 4" Fig. A. Yard Gullies concrete cover | 0.15 |
| | 4" Fig. A. Yard Gullies C. I. cover | 0.20 |
| 16 | 6" Fig. B. Yard Gullies without cover | 1.25 |
| | 6" Fig. B. Yard Gullies concrete cover | 0.25 |
| | 6" Fig. B. Yard Gullies C. I. cover | 0.60 |
| 17 | 4" Fig. C. Yard Gullies without cover | 0.45 |
| | 4" Fig. C. Yard Gullies concrete cover | 0.15 |
| | 4" Fig. C. Yard Gullies C. I. cover | 0.20 |
| 18 | Revolving Top Gullies incl. C. I. cover | 0.75 |
| 19 | 3'0" x 2'0" Invert | 2.20 |
| 20 | 2'3" x 1'6" " | 1.75 |
| 21 | 1'6" x 1'0" " | 0.85 |
| 22 | 12" | 0.80 |
| 23 | 3'0" x 2'0" Egg-shaped Tube | 4.40 |
| 24 | 2'3" x 1'6" " " | 3.10 |
| 25 | 1'6" x 1'0" " " | 1.70 |
| 26 | 3'0" Circular Tube | 7.30 |
| 27 | 4'6" " " | 16.00 |
| 28 | 3'0" Invert | 4.00 |
| 29 | 2'0" x 2'0" Manhole shaft (large) | 2.90 |
| 30 | 2'0" x 2'0" " " (small) | 1.80 |
| 31 | 1'5" x 1'5" manhole top frame | 2.55 |
| 32 | Manhole slabs (small) | 1.60 |
| 33 | " " (large) | 2.00 |
| 34 | Manhole bricks | — |
| 35 | Blind Manhole cover (small) | 1.00 |
| 36 | " " " (large) | 2.50 |
| 37 | S. P. Gullies (bottom) | 5.75 |
| 38 | (top) | |
| 39 | Kerbs | 1.10 |
| 40 | Channels | 1.10 |
| 41 | 3'3" Pavement tubes | 1.20 |
| 42 | 2'3" " " | 0.90 |
| 43 | 2'0" " " | 0.90 |
| 44 | 4" diam. socket | 0.38 |
| 45 | 3" " " | 0.38 |
| 46 | Boundary stones | 2.60 |
| 47 | M. C. R. Stones 2'0" | 0.85 |
| 48 | " " 4'0" | 1.00 |
| 49 | Grave slabs (large) per set of 6 | 8.50 |
| 50 | " " (small) per set of 2 | 2.00 |
| 51 | 18'0" Bearing pile | 30.00 |
| 52 | 14'0" " " | 20.00 |
| 53 | 10'0" Sheet pile | 8.50 |
| 54 | 7'6" " " | 6.00 |
| 55 | Fence post | 4.25 |
| 56 | Kitchen sink (large) | 5.25 |
| 57 | " " (small) | 3.00 |
| 58 | Ridge tile | 0.26 |
| 59 | Square tile | 0.05½ |
| 60 | Sidewalk slab 2'5¾" | 0.75 |
| 61 | " " 1'11¾" | 0.60 |
| 62 | " " 0'11¾" | 0.30 |
| 63 | Cable poles 40'0" | 25.00 |

## Municipal Publications.

The undermentioned publications may be obtained upon application at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund:—

Land Regulations and Bye-laws for the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, North of the Yangkingpang... 1907 $1.00

Handbook of Local Regulations. Containing Land Regulations and Bye-laws, conditions, security and fees attached to the issue of licences; Municipal Regulations and other information ... ... 1918 $2.50

Annual Reports and Financial Statements for the following years, with the Budget for the year ensuing ... 1907-1918 each 4.00

Reports of Ratepayers' Meetings ... 1878-1909 each 0.10

Land Assessment Schedules. Containing the consular and cadastral numbers of lots, registered owners, areas and values, with plans in four parts, one to each district... 1916 each $1.50

Rules with respect to New Foreign and Chinese Buildings ... ... 1918 1.00

Plans accompanying Land Assessment Schedules 1916 each 1.00

Plan of Shanghai. Shewing Foreign and French Settlements, and surrounding districts. Size 4' 4" × 2' 3". Scale 1,000 feet 1913.

Unmounted ... ... Tls. 5.00

Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... 7.00

Plan of the Country North of Foreign Settlement of Shanghai Shewing existing roads and consular lots. Size 9' 0" × 4' 10". Scale 200 feet ... 1907.

Unmounted ... ... Tls. 20.00

Mounted on linen... 27.00

Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... 35.50

## Decorations.

The Council's stock of flags may be hired for decorative purposes; the scale of charges as below is in force, with a minimum charge of $5. Applications should be made and delivery taken at the Public Works Department, 7A The Bund; two days' notice of requirements should be given. Any flags lost or damaged will be charged for.

*4 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*

Union Jack, Australia, Canada, India, United States of America, Belgium, France, Italy, Russia, Portugal, Japan, China, Servia, Roumania, Montenegro $0.40 each

*3 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*

Union Jack, Red, White and Blue Ensigns, Australia, Canada, Ceylon, Hongkong,

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India, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, New Zealand, Queensland, Straits Settlements, South Australia, New South Wales and Western Australia. United States of America, Belgium, Denmark, France, Holland, Italy, Japan, China, Mexico, Montenegro, Norway, Portugal, Russia, Servia, Spain, and Sweden $0.25 each

*2 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*

Union Jack, Red, White and Blue Ensigns, St. George's, St. Andrew's and St. Patrick's Crosses, Australia, Canada, India, Ireland, New South Wales, New Zealand, Queensland, Scotland, Victoria and Wales. United States of America, France, Belgium, Italy, Portugal, Russia, Japan, China, Servia, Montenegro $0.10 each

*Banners*, 9-ft. by 3-ft., fitted with pole, ornament and cord $0.15 each

*Banners*, 5-ft. by 3-ft., fitted with stick $0.10 each

*3-ft. Pennants* on lines $0.05 for ten

**Public Library.**

The Library, situated at the north-west corner of the Town Hall, is open *To the Public* without charge as a Reading Room from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. To *Subscribers* for the exchange of books from 9 a.m to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

The subscription is as follows:—

$16 per year
9 ,, half-year
5 ,, quarter
2 ,, month

Subscribers are entitled to the loan of four books at a time and in addition certain magazines are provided for circulation, of which one at a time is allowed to each subscriber.

It contains about 14,650 volumes, of which some 7,880 are devoted to Fiction; 2,710 to Travel and History; 1,850 to Biography and the rest to Scientific and General subjects. Additions to these are made constantly.

Residents desirous of subscribing should communicate with the Librarian at the Town Hall.

**Fire Brigade Report for December 1919.**

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 35, as against 17 for the corresponding month last year. The damage, on assessed property within the Settlement, is estimated at Tls. 80,700 (Foreign, Tls. 34,200; Chinese, Tls. 46,500), as against Tls. 8,125 (Foreign, Tls. 2,500; Chinese, Tls. 5,625) during December 1918. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 2,680,500 (Foreign, Tls. 2,465,500; Chinese, Tls. 215,000), as against Tls. 546,000 (Foreign, Tls. 500,000; Chinese, Tls. 46,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows: — Telephones 17, Watch Towers 8, Police 7 and Street Alarms 3.

The district call was given on 10 occasions, the remaining 25 being station calls.

These calls proved to be 24 small fires, 4 false alarms, 6 fires outside the Settlement and 1 not traced.

The supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Sparks or embers from stove | 4 |
| Lamp upset | 3 |
| Defective flue or grate | 3 |
| Spontaneous combustion | 2 |
| Charcoal stove overheated or in contact with matting | 2 |
| Sparks from fire built to thaw water pipe | 1 |
| Wooden hood of stove overheated | 1 |
| Dropped match or cigarette end | 1 |
| Clothes too close to stove | 1 |
| Fat overboiling | 1 |
| Electric wires fusing | 1 |
| Herbs overheated | 1 |
| Foreign substance in machine | 1 |
| Unknown | 2 |

The premises affected were:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Foreign buildings | 11 |
| Chinese buildings | 22 |

Of these 3 houses were destroyed by fire, and 15 others were more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The water used at fires during the month was 192,320 gallons.

The Brigade was occupied 452¾ hours at fires, or supposed fires.

The month was rather conspicuous for the number of fires which were somewhat out of the ordinary. In the Settlement the more important were:—

*December 5, Dah Ching Silk Filature, 88 Kansuh Road at 8.58 p.m.*—

The south section of the filature was in flames when the Brigade arrived and although the fire spread with extraordinary rapidity, the north section was saved. Some of the windows of the Women's Cells of the Mixed Court on the other side were slightly damaged.

*December 29, V 163 off North Kiangse Road at 1.10 a.m.*—This was a fatal fire, one man was got down at the back of the premises by the Brigade, but the front portion was well alight, and it was impossible to penetrate until a number of jets were brought to bear on the fire, when the bodies of a woman, and two boys were found in the front room of No. 164, which connected with No. 163. From the upper floors of both houses, there was only one staircase, which was cut off, as the outbreak was against it.

*December 29, 8 Hankow Road at 12.26 p.m.*—On the same day a serious outbreak occurred in the godown at the back of No. 8 Hankow Road. This godown is surrounded by high buildings, and as it was fairly old and contained merchandise, mainly electrical goods, and paper on the ground floor, and a large quantity of strawbraid on the first floor, the fire naturally burnt stubbornly, and gravely endangered the valuable buildings around. The Central and Hongkew Divisions, however, soon covered it from every direction, and undoubtedly saved a large conflagration. Practically all the fire damage was confined to the half section of the godown upstairs, and a number of cases at the south-east corner on the ground floor.

It is interesting to note that the Brigade received 8 calls this day, all of which were genuine fires, and attended three within an hour. Apart from the Hankow Road fire, there was also an outbreak at a cotton mill; by no means an easy one to deal with, owing to the high wind.

*Outside Limits.* — The Brigade rendered assistance at a big conflagration in Chapei, and two ship fires, in addition to minor others. The one in Chapei was at the Pao Foong Cotton Mill, when the mill proper was gutted, but where the Sinza Division, assisted by a section of Central, working under great disadvantages, having to cross the creek, with a number of lines of hose, etc., saved two very valuable godowns, full of yarn, etc., a medium sized flour mill, and a large block of weaving sheds. All of which, either connected or were right against the main mill. This was the largest fire in and around Shanghai during the year, and but for the services of this Brigade, the fire would have swept through and devastated the whole block, which is a very large and congested one, and would have possibly crossed the creek to the mills on this side.

The Brigade also attended to fires on the s.s. Yusang and the s.s. Foochow on the same day, December 19, at 2.53 a.m. and 11.33 p.m. respectively. Both outbreaks were of a similar nature, being amongst jute, in the lower No. 1 holds of both vessels. The one on the former being the more serious, and harder to extinguish, as the hold was fully loaded, mainly with jute, and had to be very carefully extinguished, especially as regards water, owing to the liability of the expanding jute forcing the ship's side, and the possibility of the ship sinking in deep water. The Hongkew Division working from the shore side by getting men down in the between decks to cut the fire

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off from working forward to the bunkers, and as soon as it was sufficiently held, the Brigade Float, with that of the Custom's standing by, kept at work whilst the ship was taken down river to shallow water, for the final extinction of the fire. Altogether the Department was working 20 hours. During the latter period the Floats were used for pumping out the lower hold, whilst the fire in the between decks was being dealt with.

The s.s. Foochow had little cargo, and the fire amongst the jute in the lower hold was put out in less than two hours. The outbreaks on these two ships were certainly peculiar, and of an extremely suspicious nature.

M. W. Pett,
*Chief Officer.*

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call: Time of | Call: How received | Alarm given | Locality | District: Municipal | District: Fire | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire: Hours | Time at fire: Minutes | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. 1 | 2.59 p.m. | Bubbling Well Road | Station | 8 Hart Road | Western | 7 | Foreign Residence | 1 damaged | 3 | | |
| 5 | 8.58 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | District | 88 Kansuh Rd. | Northern | 8 | Chinese Silk Filature | 1 " | 234 | | |
| 6 | 2.00 p.m. | " | Station | G 527A Tiendong Road | " | 2 | Chinese Shop | | 1 | | |
| 6 | 2.07 p.m. | Telephone | " | S 243 Ningpo Road | Central | 6 | " | | | 15 | |
| 9 | 2.12 a.m. | Street Alarm | " | Hoopeh & Foochow Roads | " | 5 | | | | 10 | False alarm |
| 12 | 12.07 p.m. | Sinza Tower | " | M 110-1 Avenue Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | | 2 | | |
| 12 | 1.39 p.m. | Telephone | " | 33 Quinsan Rd. | Northern | 2 | Foreign Residence | | 1 | | |
| 14 | 5.18 a.m. | Central Police | " | 19 W. Soochow Road | Western | 7 | Foreign Cotton Shed | 1 damaged | 8 | | |
| 14 | 5.10 p.m. | Sinza Tower | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | | 35 | |
| 15 | 1.32 a.m. | Sinza Police | " | 62 Gt. Western Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | 1 " | 3 | | |
| 15 | 2.37 a.m. | Sinza Tower | District | Chapei | Outside | | | | 18 | | |
| 15 | 4.25 p.m. | Telephone | " | 18A Burkill Rd. | Western | 7 | Foreign Dwelling | 1 " | 6 | | |
| 16 | 2.38 p.m. | Central Police | Station | A 192 Yunnan Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Factory | | | 10 | |
| 17 | 2.00 a.m. | Street Alarm | " | Nanking and Shanse Roads | " | 4 | | | | 5 | False alarm |
| 18 | 9.30 a.m. | Central Police | " | RC 302-7 Hailar Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Cotton Mill | | 1 | | |
| 19 | 2.43 a.m. | Street Alarm | " | N. Szechuen and Haining Rds. | Northern | 2 | | | | 10 | False alarm |
| 19 | 2.53 a.m. | Telephone | District | s.s. "Yusang" | Outside | | | | 20 | | |
| 19 | 4.18 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | Station | Urga Road Extension | " | | | | 1 | | |
| 19 | 7.52 p.m. | Sinza Tower | " | Sinza and Hart Roads | Western | 7 | | | | 20 | Not traced |
| 19 | 11.33 p.m. | Telephone | " | s.s. "Foochow" | Outside | | | | 3 | | |
| 21 | 1.56 a.m. | " | District | J 1583-5 East Seward Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shop | 2 destroyed 3 damaged | 14 | | |
| 22 | 2.00 a.m. | " | Station | off Yangtszepoo Road | " | 1 | Chinese Wood Yard | | 5 | | |
| 23 | 2.21 a.m. | " | " | Wayside & Ward Roads | " | 1 | | | | 30 | False alarm |
| 25 | 8.10 a.m. | " | " | 8 Tsongchow Road | Western | 7 | Foreign Residence | | 6 | | |
| 28 | 9.28 a.m. | " | " | C 1188 off Woosung Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 15 | |
| 29 | 1.10 a.m. | Police Box No. 6 | District | V 163 off North Kiangse Road | " | 2 | " | 1 destroyed 2 damaged | 20 | | 3 lives lost |
| 29 | 7.58 a.m. | Telephone | " | 1 Jessfield Road | Western | 7 | Foreign Cotton Mill | | 56 | | |
| 29 | 11.25 a.m. | " | Station | EA 420 off Wuchow Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Cotton Godown | | 1 | | |
| 29 | 12.00 noon | " | District | 23 Ferry Road | Western | 7 | Foreign Chemical Works | | | 35 | |
| 29 | 12.26 p.m. | " | " | 8 Hankow Road | Central | 4 | Foreign Godown | 1 damaged | 28 | | |
| 29 | 3.52 p.m. | Wayside Police | Station | 9 Ward Road | Eastern | 1 | Foreign Residence | | 1 | | |
| 29 | 4.09 p.m. | Telephone | " | 36 Kiangse Rd. | Central | 4 | Foreign Offices & Flats | | | 20 | |
| 29 | 10.12 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | District | LA 2628 off Yangtszepoo Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | 4 damaged | 16 | | 1 boy injured |
| 31 | 1.03 p.m. | Telephone | Station | 1A Hankow Rd. | Central | 4 | Foreign Offices & Flats | | 1 | | |
| 31 | 6.27 p.m. | " | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | | 20 | |

M. W. Pett, *Chief Officer.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 未行估定之價必須承認後方准承攬本局自有權利認定各項工程之價目是否合宜

三 擇人承攬之後該承攬人須繳保證金方准開工

四 所有承攬人之信用及承攬人之資格本局有權查明其所開之價是否公允

五 本局有權取消承攬人之資格清單內所開之價如有錯誤本局有權更正之

六 所有承攬人之資格清單內所開之價如有錯誤本局有權更正之

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## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 149 | Bean Oil, during 9 months from April 1<br>750 to 800 Catties per mensem | — | March 15 |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7A The Bund | | |
| 540 | Water Service and Sanitary Fittings, Administration Building | — | February 12 |
| 541 | Electric Wiring work at Yangtszepoo Fire Station | — | ,, 13 |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 195 | 20 Miles of Bare Copper Cable | Tls. 5 | March 18 |
| 196 | 13 ,, of Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | do. |
| 197 | 8 ,, of Vulcanised Cable | Tls. 5 | do. |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### POLICE FORCE

Tender No. 148

Convicts' Food

*For Twelve Months*

| | Vegetables | Onions | Fish | Beef | Pork | Salt | Bean Oil | Tea |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Cents | per lb. | | | | |
| Lee Ching Kee | 4½ | 8 | 15 | 15 | 30 | 5 | 25 | 30 |
| Wong Zung Shing | 4 | 8 | 12 | 18 | 26 | 4 | 20 | 30 |
| Yue Yung Tah | 3¼ | 7½ | 10 | 14 | 23 | 2¾ | 16½ | 13 |
| *Nyer Dar & Co. | 3 | 6 | 9 | 14¼ | 17½ | 3½ | 15½ | 10 |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2674.**

**ELECTION OF COUNCILLORS AND LAND COMMISSIONER.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the following Ratepayers, duly qualified under Article XIX of the Land Regulations, have been proposed and seconded, and have given their written consent to serve, if elected, as Councillors for the Foreign Community of Shanghai for the Municipal year 1920/21:—

Messrs. A. E. Algar
C. M. Bain
M. Benjamin
E. T. Byrne
Lt.-Col. P. A. Cox, O.B.E.
Messrs. G. T. M. Edkins
S. Fessenden
D. Goh
A. J. Hughes
W. P. Lambe
J. F. Macgregor
H. A. Macintyre
W. B. O. Middleton
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

The Poll will remain open from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday, February 16 and 17.

No Voting Tickets are issued. Qualified Ratepayers desiring to vote are required to attend at either of the Voting Stations and to mark on a list the names of the persons, not exceeding nine, for whom they intend to vote.

Voting Stations will be established at—

The Revenue Office, 7A The Bund
The Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, Sub-Agency, 9 Broadway.

Notice is hereby also given that Dr. R. S. Ivy, having been duly nominated by land-owners, is, in accordance with Article VIA of the Land Regulations, considered to be elected as Land Commissioner for the Municipal year 1920/21.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000. Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2672.**

**THOMAS HANBURY SCHOOL FOR BOYS.**

THE attention of parents is directed to the following revised scale of fees which will have effect from March 1, 1920.

Boarders $30 per mensem
Day Scholars 9 per mensem

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2673.**

THE following additional licence conditions will be enforced with effect from February 16.

WHEEL BARROW.

7A.—All loose material such as broken stone, sand, gravel, coal, ashes, feathers, etc., be carried in properly constructed receptacles so that the material cannot be spilled on the road.

HANDCART.

9A.—That the materials be carried in properly constructed baskets and not dropped on the road and that when landed they be immediately taken away.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 5, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2675.**

**TAVERN LICENCES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Watch Committee will sit on Friday, April 9, to decide upon the number and locality of Foreign Taverns to be licensed during the ensuing year.

Applications for new licences, upon the form obtainable at the Revenue Office, must be forwarded to the undersigned on or before March 15. Applications received after March 15 will not be considered.

Thereafter, by public notification, an opportunity will be afforded to Ratepayers to protest against or support before the Committee the issue or renewal of any licence.

No fresh licences will be issued during the twelve months ensuing and until the next annual sitting of the Committee.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 12, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2676.**

**CLOSE SEASON FOR GAME.**

THE public is hereby reminded that the sale of pheasants is prohibited after February 16, and that of deer, hare, patridges and all small birds after March 1. No prohibition attaches to the sale of snipe, quail, woodcock and wild fowl.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room.
Shanghai, February 12, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2677.**

**CHINESE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Municipal Offices will be closed to public business from Friday, February 20, to Tuesday, February 24, inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room.
Shanghai, February 12, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, February 6, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
W. P. Lambe
W. D McCallum
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. L. E. Canning
Mrs. D. Henman
Mr. S. C. Lin

The meeting adjourned at 7 o'clock, p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, February 11, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
D. Goh
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.

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### Volunteer Corps.

*Light Horse.*—Six months' leave is granted to 2nd Lieut. T. G. Drakeford from February 26.

### Paulun Hospital.

Report and Statement of Accounts for 1919:—

Shanghai, February 4, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that at the annual meeting of the Dong Chee Hospital committee (late Paulun Hospital), which was the first full meeting of the committee since May 13, last year, your letter dated May 28, 1919, was discussed at length.

As the committee has kept its promise during its tenure of charge for the year 1919 not to employ any German in any capacity in the Dong Chee Hospital, I have the honour to request you to kindly issue the grant-in-aid of Tls. 2,000 for 1919 towards the up-keep of the hospital.

Enclosed I beg to hand you the statement of accounts for 1919, together with the Medical Report.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
C. L. CHOW,
*Honorary Secretary.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

MEDICAL REPORT.

During the year 1919, 12,684 patients have been treated at the hospital's policlinic, of whom 1,380 were admitted to the hospital. The corresponding numbers for the preceding four years were:—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1915 ... ... | 6,685 and | 981 |
| 1916 ... ... | 9,568 and | 1,039 |
| 1917 ... ... | 10,075 and | 892 |
| 1918 ... ... | 10,468 and | 1,199 |

Regarding frequency, the cases are ranging as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Diseases of the eye | 3,456 |
| Venereal diseases and skin diseases | 3,369 |
| Surgical cases | 2,791 |
| Internal diseases and gynecological cases | 2,670 |
| Diseases of the ear, nose and throat | 398 |

86 patients being indigents had free treatment during 1,829 days.

There were 801 operations, 85 of which were major ones. In 7 cases were major gynecological operations performed.

To meet the high prices of drugs and dressings, the patients of the 1st and 2nd classes had to pay a certain percentage of such hospital expenses.

There were 119 cases of death, 37 of which were delivered in a dying state.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Donations | $ 2,413.93 |
| Municipal Council Grant Outstanding | — |
| Receipts at Hospital from Patients | 14,750.56 |
| Receipts from X-Ray Department | 928.15 |
| Loss in working account | 5,308.47 |
| | $23,401.11 |

EXPENSES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Instruments, Drugs, Bandages and Cotton | $3,895.88 |
| Household requisites, Furniture | 1,031.59 |
| Land and House Taxes | 120.47 |
| Fire Insurance | 148.81 |
| Telephone | 71.23 |
| Expenses of X-Ray Department | 404.48 |

*Expenses at Hospital*:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Wages | $3,639.48 | |
| Salaries | 5,225.00 | |
| Foodsupply | 2,381.97 | |
| Washing, Soap, etc. | 823.05 | |
| Repairs | 1,105.94 | |
| Stationery | 100.05 | |
| Coal, Ice, Water | 917.56 | |
| Gas and Electricity | 2,803.67 | |
| Miscellaneous | 685.55 | |
| Erection of 6 Outhouses | 546.38 | 18,228.65 |
| | | $23,401.11 |

BALANCE SHEET
per 31st December, 1919.

LIABILITIES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Various Creditors | $15,140.62 |
| | $15,140.62 |

ASSETS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Capital short 1/1.19 | $ 9,832.15 |
| Loss in working account 1919 | 5,308.47 |
| | $15,140.62 |

### Traffic.

Chaoufoong Road, between East Seward Road and Tongshan Road, will be closed to vehicular traffic from Monday, February 16, for a period of two weeks, to permit of the culverting of the Singkeipang Creek.

### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Stonebridge Road.*—Arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. Algar & Co., Ld. for the surrender from Lot 688 of a strip of land required to improve the roadline, at the assessed value Tls. 6,500 per mow plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender and less one-third for betterment, or a sum of Tls. 591 for Mow 0.124. Payment of an additional sum of Tls. 500 has been agreed upon for the demolition of the houses on this lot and the adjoining unregistered land, the free surrender of which was published in the Gazette of September 4, 1919.

### Public Lighting.

*Medhurst Road.*—It has been decided, upon the recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works, to substitute two 60 c.p. centrally suspended metallic filament lamps for the one existing 60 c.p. lamp in the section of this road between Bubbling Well and Avenue Roads; also to convert the 100 c.p. metallic filament lamp at the Bubbling Well Road corner of Medhurst Road into a 200 c.p. lamp. The additional annual cost will be Tls. 68.

### Hongkong Local Examinations.

The results achieved by pupils from the Council's schools, in the examinations held in December, 1919, are as follows:—

*Public School for Chinese*:—

Matriculation Examination:—

Pass: Kwok Tak-kum 郭德金
Ng King-ching 吳錦慶
Hu Cheng-yung 胡承榮
Chang Yu-yen 張玉延
Feng Wah-koh 馮華國

Senior Examination:—

Pass: Tai Chong-tsao 戴昌藻

Junior Examination:—

Pass: Ma Char-zur 馬家壽
*Dzun Zau-zung 鄭紹成
Chun Foh-ziang 陳復祥
Oong Teh-zee 鍾德齊
Hu Cheng-en 胡承恩
†Lai Shau-wei 賴孝威
Chow Ta-kang 周大綱
Liang Chah-dsin 梁家俊
Shou Piao 壽 標
Soey Shing-sung 單興生
Feng Wah-pong 馮華邦
‡Wang Sze-yuen 王自芸
Tsai Yu 蔡 牖

*Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese*:—

Junior Examination:—

Pass: †Chang Nyee-tsung 張年徵
Ting Soeh-chang 丁俶强
†Nyee Ching-Bae 嚴堯培

*Distinction in Chinese and Bookkeeping
† do. Chinese
‡ do. Bookkeeping

### Public Band.

On Sunday next, February 15, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

THIRTEENTH CONCERT

1.—"*My Fatherland*"
Symphonic Poem No. 4
*(a)* Molto Moderato—*(b)* Al'egro pocovivo—*(c)* Allegro
Smetana

2.—*(a) In Garden*
*(b) Dance* C. Goldmark

3.—Symphony No. 5 E. minor
*(a)* Adagio—Allegro molto
*(b)* Largo
*(c)* Scherzo
*(d)* Allegro con foco Ant. Dvorak

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, February 8, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 3 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 26 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 2 | 0 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 12 | 176 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 695 | Av. Ed. VII, Yunnan & Thibet | Wong Chi Zu | 2 | | |
| 27 | Jinkee | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | altns. |
| 628 | Nanking | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | do. |
| 2300 | Baikal & Macgregor | China Realty Co., Ld. | | | factory |
| 6015 | Kwanghsin | Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | | | water-closet |
| 5555 | Lay | H. Y. Moh | | | do. |
| 980 | Yochow | Zah Sui Kee | | | shed |
| 4985 | Ichang | Naigai Wata Kaisha | | | switch house |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 695 | Ad. Ed. VII, Yunnan & Thibet | Wong Chi Zu | 62 | | 3 gate houses |
| 479 | Chekiang | Brandt & Rodgers | 1 | | |
| 632 | Yunnan & Kiukiang | Chang Yuen Kee | 3 | | |
| W of 93 | Haining | Ting Feng | | | addn. |
| 393 | N. Fokien | Palmer & Turner | 5 | | gate-house |
| E of 1991, 1991, 1992 | Ward | Davies & Brooke | 25 | | gate-house |
| 6856 | Yangtszepoo | Wong Tsu Kee | 36 | | gate-house |
| W of 2191 | B'bling Well & Medhurst | Chew Zen Chong | 2 | | |
| 3571 | Medhurst | Woo Feng | | | addn. |

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7.

*Fire Brigade.*—Motor Mechanic R. F. Block is permitted to terminate his service on February 28.

Mr. A. C. Spong and Mr. L. Heap are appointed Supervising Firemen under agreements from January 1.

*Police Force.*—Esaburo Okajima is appointed Japanese Interpreter on probation from February 10.

The appointment of Interpreter H. S. Kim is confirmed under agreement from February 15.

Long leave is granted to the following:—

Chief Inspector A. H. Aiers from March 26.

Inspector W. H. Howell from March 25.

Sub-Inspector J. Campbell from March 1.

Sen. Warder J. W. Jackson from February 6.

Sergeant J. F. W. Milne from March 1.

Sergeant J. Hunter from March 22.

Sergeant S. Costelloe from March 27.

Sergeant D. Ginnane from March 27.

Sergeant A. O'Dwyer from March 27.

Sergeant J. Sullivan from March 27.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Inspectors B. T. Prideaux and A. Watson from March 1.

Long leave is granted to Miss L. M. Dawson from May 10.

*Public Works Department.*—Inspector T. V. Jenkins is dismissed the Service from February 9.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. J. Withers is appointed Storekeeper on probation from January 2.

*Secretariat.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. J. M. McKee, Assistant Secretary, from May 10.

*Revenue Office.* — Henceforward the official designations of the undermentioned will be:—

Mr. E. L. Allen, Commissioner of Revenue.

Mr. F. A. Sampson, Assistant Commissioner of Revenue.

## Electricity Department.

The following scale of charges for electricity will have effect from January 1, 1920:—

LIGHTING.

*Flat Rate* of Tls. 0.13 per Unit.

*Discounts* of 5 per cent. for a consumption of over 1,000 Units per month.

7½ per cent. for a consumption of over 1,500 Units per month.

10 per cent. for a consumption of over 2,000 Units per month.

15 per cent. for a consumption of over 3,000 Units per month.

20 per cent. for a consumption of over 4,000 Units per month.

25 per cent. for a consumption of over 5,000 Units per month.

30 per cent. for a consumption of over 6,000 Units per month.

*Heating.*—Tls. 0.035 per Unit.

*Cooking.*—Tls. 0.035 per Unit.

*Charging Batteries* (For Electrically Propelled Vehicles).—See Power Rates.

POWER.

Tls. 0.045 per Unit if Units consumed are less than 150 per connected Horse Power per month.

Tls. 0.041 per Unit if Units consumed are more than 149 and less than 250 per connected Horse Power per month.

Tls. 0.036 per Unit if Units consumed are more than 249 and less than 350 per connected Horse Power per month.

Tls. 0.030 per Unit if Units consumed are 350 or more per connected Horse Power per month.

*Special Rates* quoted for bulk supply to mills, factories, shipyards, etc., on application.

*Direct Current Lift and Hoist Supply.*—Tls. 0.12 per Unit.

*Electric Motors* are stocked and hired to Consumers at the following rates:—

| | | | | per month. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Horse Power | = | Tls. | | 3.00 |
| 2 | ,, | ,, | ,, | 4.00 |
| 3 | ,, | ,, | ,, | 5.00 |
| 5 | ,, | ,, | ,, | 6.00 |
| 7½ | ,, | ,, | ,, | 7.00 |
| 10 | ,, | ,, | ,, | 9.00 |
| 15 | ,, | ,, | ,, | 12.00 |
| 20 | ,, | ,, | ,, | 15.00 |
| 30 | ,, | ,, | ,, | 17.00 |
| 40 | ,, | ,, | ,, | 20.00 |
| 60 | ,, | ,, | ,, | 25.00 |
| 80 | ,, | ,, | ,, | 30.00 |
| 120 | ,, | ,, | ,, | 40.00 |

*Hire of Radiators.*—Tls. 0.50 per month.

*Hire of Cookers.*—Tls. 0.50 per month.

## Report of Acting Commissioner of Police for January.

Strength of the Force on January 31.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 221 | |
| Japanese | 26 | |
| Sikhs | 680 | |
| Chinese | 1,459 | |
| | | 2,395 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 89 | |
| Followers | 230 | |
| | | 319 |
| | Total | 2,714 |

*Burglaries—Warning to Householders.*—The following warning was issued in the press on January 24:—

"An unidentified burglar is active in the Western district just now. He enters houses through a verandah window. One method is to open the outer shutters by removing a slat so that an arm can be inserted and the bolts pulled, and then to cut a whole pane of glass out of the window. Another method, when the shutters cannot be opened because the space between them and the window is too small for the arm to be inserted, is to remove a shutter slat, cut out a piece of window glass, insert the arm, turn the knob and so open the window.

"In cases where entry has been effected in one of these ways it is almost always found by the Police that one of the bolts, either on the window or the door, has been left unfastened when the house was shut up for the night. This is due to the carelessness of the servant who has not shot the bolt into its socket, or of the householder who has not had the fastenings kept in proper repair.

"It is difficult to render the ordinary verandah window proof against a determined burglar, but the following measures, if adopted, will make entry more difficult:—

"1.—Window and shutter fastenings to be in good order. Bolts to be kept oiled and sockets well screwed in. Warped shutters, which prevent the bolts being shot home, to be repaired. Servants to be impressed with the importance of properly securing all fastenings at night.

"2.—Shutter slats to be closed and properly hooked up or wedged so as to render them immovable from the outside. This makes cutting them out much more difficult and noisy.

"3.—A screwed bolt-fastening between window and shutter makes it impossible to open either until the bolt is removed. The latter passes through a hole in the window frame and screws into a socket in the shutters. Its position should be such that a hand inserted from the outside to turn the window handle as described above, cannot reach the bolt head to unscrew it.

"4.—An additional bolt, top and bottom, on the window frame would usually frustrate an entry by the second of the two methods mentioned above."

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*Robberies.*—During the month three cases of armed robbery from dwelling houses, two similar cases in which no arms were used and one case of highway robbery were reported to the Police.

*Stolen Property.*—There were 414 reports of stolen property during the month. These included 47 cases of burglary, 12 cases of housebreaking, 9 cases of shop or office breaking and 4 of godown breaking. Successful investigations were made in 127 cases.

*Bombs.*—A bomb explosion occurred on a verandah of the Wing On Building on Nanking Road on January 18. No one was injured and little damage was done to property.

*Executions.*—During the month two armed robbers were executed at Loongwha in the presence of a representative of the Municipal Police.

*Bicycle Thefts.*—Bicycle stealing is on the increase. Residents are warned of the risk they run in leaving machines in exposed places unprotected by some form of lock or chain.

*Crime Outside Limits.*—Two cases of murder and 15 cases of robbery and piracy in the district around the Settlement were reported to the Police during the month.

*Strikes.*—Although there were many reports of demands by workers in various industries for advances in wages during the month, only in one case did stoppage of work actually occur. This was on January 2, when 4,000 assistants employed in medicine shops in the Settlement and the City went on strike. The matter ended the following day after the strikers had been granted a flat rate increase of $1.50 each per month.

*Fingerprints.*—Fingerprint investigations are made wherever possible in connexion with all crime. In cases where good prints are obtainable a search is made immediately through the fingerprint records on file at C. I. D. Headquarters. These at present total over 90,000. If no identification is made at the time, the prints are reproduced, placed on file and compared daily with the prints of all persons arrested both in this Settlement and in Frenchtown.

*Opium.*—On January 23 four Chinese were convicted by the Mixed Court of the larceny of opium from 459 Tientsin Road on December 28, 1919. Sentences ranging from 1 to 4 years' imprisonment were passed. On January 27 ex-P. C. Allen, who accompanied the party which stole the opium, was acquitted in the British Court of the same offence.

Numerous raids on opium dens were made by the police during the month.

*Political.*—The passage through Shanghai *en route* for Peking of Mr. Lu Cheng-hsiang (陸徵祥), Chief of the Chinese Delegation to Versailles Peace Conference, on January 22 was made the occasion for rejoicing and demonstrations among local Bodies which support the stand taken by the delegates in refusing to sign the Peace Treaty. The arrival in Shanghai two days later of Dr. C. T. Wang, another member of the Peace Delegation, caused further rejoicing.

There was no development regarding the Internal Peace Conference during the month, but from reports received it appears likely that negotiations may be re-opened after Chinese New Year.

Anti-Japanese Boycott activities were continued during the month. A mass meeting was held under the auspices of the Amalgamated Association of Street Unions in the Public Recreation Ground near St. Catherine's Bridge on January 1. About 3,000 people representing over 50 different societies attended, and all present pledged themselves to refrain from dealing in Japanese goods. Visits of students in search of Japanese goods to shops situated in Chinese territory continued during the month. In one instance they seized 390 bundles of cotton yarn which they burned on the Public Recreation Ground.

The Shantung Question was again prominent. The offer made by Japan to open direct negotiations with the Chinese Government caused strong protests from several political groups in Shanghai. A mass meeting was held on the Public Recreation Ground on January 31. Owing to wet weather only about 1,200 people, representing some 70 societies and Street Unions, were present.

The agitation for Chinese representation on the Municipal Council assumed a serious aspect early in the month. From December 31 to January 6 an advertisement inserted by the Amalgamated Association of Street Unions, the headquarters of which is situated at 13 Avenue Edward VII in Frenchtown, appeared in several of the leading Chinese daily papers. This notice urged Chinese ratepayers not to pay Municipal rates for the first quarter of the new year unless their demand for Municipal representation was granted. A handbill emanating from the same source and worded in the same strain was widely distributed on January 3. At one of the meetings held at the headquarters of the Amalgamated Association of Street Unions between December 23 and 27 it was also decided that a general strike should be ordered in the event of the Municipal Authorities taking measures to enforce the payment of rates; and it is to be noted that had this threat been made effective the resulting strike would have embraced not only merchants and students but in all probability labour as well.

The effect of this anti-authority propaganda on the part of the Amalgamated Association of Street Unions was apparent when the collection of the first quarter's taxes commenced on January 9. Householders in Fokien and Honan Roads who were visited on that date with few exceptions refused to pay. Accordingly on the following day 19 defaulters were summonsed before the Mixed Court. None of them appeared. Mr. Linebarger, a lawyer engaged for their defence, was suspended in the course of the proceedings. Having heard the evidence the Court ordered the defendants to pay the taxes with costs forthwith; and as this was not done, distraint warrants were issued and executed the same afternoon. In five cases the police who undertook the execution of the warrants succeeded in getting cash from the defaulting shops: in the remaining cases goods to the equivalent value were seized. Some commotion resulted from the proceedings taken at Nos. 808/9 Fokien Road, a shop owned by the President of the Street Union, and in consequence a few of the adjoining shops began to close their doors. As crowds collected others followed suit, and the movement thereafter continued rapidly until it embraced nearly all the shops south of Nanking and east of Thibet Road. It also affected others in the North Fokien and Haining Roads on the north side of the Soochow Creek.

It appears that the summary action taken by the authorities to enforce their rights completely surprised the agitators. The Amalgamated Association of Street Unions immediately summoned a conference at their Headquarters in Frenchtown. This meeting lasted for many hours and gave rise to much heated discussion. Fortunately for themselves and their followers, instead of attempting to carry out their threat of a general strike the leaders eventually advised the shopkeepers who had closed their doors to resume business on the following day.

The collection of taxes was continued on January 13, but in Szechuen and Kiangse Roads, the two streets visited, the result was only about one-fourth normal. More summonses were accordingly applied for and distraint warrants executed, after which the people came to their senses and the collection proceeded satisfactorily.

On January 14 the committees of the various Street Unions and representatives of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce held a meeting in the Chamber of Commerce Building on North Honan Road and decided to abandon further anti-tax agitation.

During this period a good deal of semi-official negotiation was taking place between the leaders of the movement and certain foreigners, the former consisting of Chen Tseh-ming (陳則民), President of the Amalgamated Association of Street Unions; Sung Hang-chang (宋漢章), C. C. Nieh (聶雲台), David Zeh Tseng-yue (余日章), Secretary of the Y.M.C.A.; and Dr. F. C. Tong (湯節之), President of the Commercial Federation.

A point that was particularly noticeable during the agitation was the absence of a sense of responsibility among local Chinese journalists. As already stated, some of the leading Chinese daily papers began by publishing the advertisement of the Amalgamated Association of Street Unions urging residents to refuse to pay their rates. Later, 5 papers mischievously and maliciously accused the police, who executed the distraint

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warrants, of assaulting employes of shops and wantonly damaging goods in some of the shops they visited. The "Min Kuo Pao" (民國報), one of the offending newspapers, was proceeded against in the Mixed Court and Yih Tsu-tsaung (葉楚傖), the editor, was fined $300. Four other newspapers, namely, "The National Herald" (神洲日報), "The China Times" (時事新報), "The Sin Wan Pao" (新聞報), and "The Da Sheng Jih Pao" (大生日報) were thereupon only too eager to publish apologies completely withdrawing their libellous statements; and similar proceedings against them were accordingly withdrawn.

In connexion with this agitation, it is a matter for great regret that the Headquarters of an organization which has openly and continually threatened the peace and good order of this Settlement for some time past should continue to function in the neighbouring Settlement.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 503 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 167 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 179 records were received from the French Police out of which number 87 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For Identification | 682 |
| Identified | 254 |
| Percentage | 37 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 6 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 30 |
| | 36 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 10.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 256 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 80 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 58 | *Second offenders.* |
| 37 | *Third offenders.* |
| 1 | *Habitual offender* (minor). |
| 71 | *Habitual offenders* (serious). |
| 503 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for January.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. Tls. | 1,823.39 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 906.41 |
| Total Tls. | 916.98 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour Tls. | 916.98 |

**Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.**

A. HILTON-JOHNSON,
*Acting Commissioner of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:*— | |
| Causing grievous bodily harm | 3 |
| 2.—*Offences Against Property:*— | |
| Larceny and in possession of a dangerous weapon | 2 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:*— | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:*— | |
| Dog | 1 |
| Motor Car | 1 |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:*— | |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 4 |
| Gambling | 7 |
| Obstructing the Police | 1 |
| Permitting gambling | 1 |
| Vagrancy | 1 |
| Riding a bicycle after sunset without a light | 1 |
| Soliciting alms | 1 |
| Total | 23 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,507 | 1,507 |
| Others | 51 | 888 | 939 |
| Total | 51 | 2,395 | 2,446 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Dismissed | 3 |
| Fined | 8 |
| Imprisonment | 10 |
| Imprisonment and Explusion | 1 |
| Sent to Manila | 1 |
| Total | 23 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on January 31.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 1 |
| Louza Station | 3 |
| Hongkew Station | 5 |
| Harbin Road Station | 5 |
| West Hongkew Station | 13 |
| Wayside Station | 12 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 7 |
| Sinza Station | 7 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 2 |
| Gordon Road Station | 2 |
| Gaol | 1,491 |
| Reformatory | 66 |
| Total | 1,614 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 744 | 371 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 744 | 371 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN December 27, 1919 and January, 30, 1920.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 65,540.02 |
| Recovered | 15,265.22 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 31/12/19 | 24 | 266 |
| Captured | 242 | |
| Returned | 55 | 266 |
| Killed | 180 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 4 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 27 | |

**Health Officer's Report for January.**

There was a moderate prevalence of the Typhoid fevers, Influenza and Diphtheria during January. The Diphtheria was of the customary mild type. The incidence of Influenza resembled that of the two preceding months, namely, was of a smouldering rather than epidemic type. The indications are that it will not flare up into epidemic proportions in Shanghai as it is now being reported to be doing in Japan and parts of America. The death rate both among foreigners and Chinese showed no exceptional gravity for January.

Although the water supply has not been so pure as usual, due to the exceptional lowness and resulting concentration of the river water, yet it does not appear to have caused any exceptional incidence of disease. Cases of Typhoid and Paratyphoid fever were above the average for the year but this is customary during abnormally dry winter months. It is more probable that this is due to excessive watering of vegetables with nightsoil rather than to the concentration of typhoid organisms in the water supply; but the latter cannot be disregarded. The conditions certainly emphasize the importance of carefully following the constant recommendations of the Public Health Notice not to consume water which has not been boiled or filtered through a germ-proof filter. Only a very few of the domestic filters advertised as germ-proof are, when put to the test, genuinely germ-proof; and, even where such is the case, the candle of the filter wants weekly cleaning and boiling and the washers examined for soundness. Boiling the water is the safer method. The flat taste of boiled water can generally be removed by aeration when cold by thoroughly shaking the closed water bottle.

During the nineteenth century the importance of water in spreading Typhoid fevers, Bacillary Dysentery, Cholera and other diseases was exaggerated. The application of more scientific methods to the study of pathogenic organisms and water purification has shown that while the water supply is a factor of great importance, it is not as important as was once supposed. As a matter of fact most pathogenic organisms cannot long survive in water, and this emphasizes the importance, apart from filtration, of providing large storage reservoirs in waterworks. Water-borne outbreaks of disease are usually explosive in character and are frequently of short duration. Large storage reservoirs are a very important factor in restraining and preventing such outbreaks. It may also be pointed out that in China the universal use of nightsoil as a manure tends largely to maintain the pathogenic purity of the rivers but at the same time greatly increases the danger of conveyance of disease by market garden produce. Hence the special need of following the recommendations of the Public Health Notice as regards such foods.

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Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign. | | Chinese. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Resident | Non-resident. | |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 | 8 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 21 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 | 2 | 86 |
| Beri-beri | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Influenza | 4 | 0 | 20 |
| From all causes | 45 | 18 | 860 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 3 |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 11 |
| Diphtheria | 12 |
| Scarlet Fever | 2 |
| Dysentery | 6 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases Admitted—Diphtheria | 11 | 20 |
| Scarlet Fever | 6 | 1 |
| Influenza | 8 | 1 |
| Cerebrospinal fever | 1 | 3 |
| Other Diseases | 12 | 38 |
| Discharged | 20 | 45 |
| Died | 0 | 6 |
| Remaining last day of month | 25 | 33 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 23,500 |
| Bacterial " " | 99 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 3 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 542 |
| Analyses | 58 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen | 1,953 | 14 | 1,953 | 0 | 0 |
| Sheep | 3,156 | 4 | 3,156 | 8 | 0 |
| Calves | 359 | 0 | 359 | 0 | 1 |
| Pigs | 570 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 284 | 576 | 186 | 440 | 1486 |
| Rats plague infected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation | 966 | 3000 | 2000 | 1400 | 7366 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1588 | 3940 | 2725 | 3207 | 11460 |
| Poisoned baits laid | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier | 0 | 0 | 200 | 0 | 200 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted. | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 32 | 6 |
| Surgical | 40 | 1 |
| Maternity | 13 | 1 |
| Mental | 1 | 1 |
| Infectious | 0 | 7 |
| Total | 84 | 16 |

REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.

Sample received January 26, 1920.
Report sent out February 7, 1920.
Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.

Physical Characters.—Greyish yellow colour with marked opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 34.0 |
| (a) Volatile | 8.0 |
| (b) Fixed | 26.0 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 11.3 |
| (a) Temporary | 6.2 |
| (b) Permanent | 5.1 |
| Chlorine | 11.4 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0453 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0078 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0080 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Traces |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |

Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 87° C. 0.056.

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° and 37° C. showed an average of 634 and 37 micro-organisms per cubic centimetre respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in all quantities tested from 0.5 c.cs. and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Shows an excess of bacteria and organic matter together with the presence of about 0.6 per cent. of sea water due to temporary small volume of the Yangtsze and Whangpoo Rivers.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox | 228 | 60 | 33 | 101 | 422 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 1 | 14 | 11 | 11 | 37 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 38 | 91 | 52 | 27 | 208 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 94 | 118 | 135 | 368 | 715 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 1,342 | 1,129 | 1,396 | 3,294 | 7,161 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 4 | 46 | 274 | 116 | 440 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 4 |
| Defective drainage amended | 21 | 25 | 44 | 10 | 100 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 3 | 5 | 10 | 3 | 21 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 0 | 36 | 20 | 56 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 23 | 22 | 11 | 56 |
| Offensive trade processes amended | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 11 | 18 | 29 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 14 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 43 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 37 | 73 | 64 | 27 | 201 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 17 | 5 | 0 | 22 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 0 | 10 | 20 | 23 | 53 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 0 | 340 | 1,425 | 867 | 2,632 |
| Outside hawkers licensed | 540 | 663 | 548 | 333 | 2,084 |
| Food prosecutions | 0 | 32 | 14 | 5 | 51 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 0 | 50 | 5 | 5 | 60 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 0 | 1 | 22 | 0 | 23 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,929 | 3,699 | 4,061 | 3,064 | 14,753 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 8,009 | 4,305 | 2,463 | 1,692 | 16,469 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 2,580 | 412 | 220 | 454 | 3,666 |

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Known as | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Ang Hwo | Sung Ah-mau | Edinburgh Road | 9% added water |

## Report of the Commissioner of Public Works for January.

Frosty weather again caused some delay in outside work particularly in work entailing the use of concrete. Several of the larger drainage works have been hindered as the frost has interfered with the manufacture of concrete tubes at the Depôt. Low water in the creeks up country has interrupted the supply of road and building materials as the larger boats have been unable to come down.

The demolition of the concrete bridge at Peking Road is well advanced. This work has to proceed cautiously as there are a number of mains and cables to be dealt with. The removal of this bridge will make it possible to lower the road at this point and permit of the elimination of an awkward "hump" in the tramway track.

*Roads.*—The widening of Bubbling Well Road East of Siccawei Road is completed with the exception of a small area near the corner of Siccawei Road. This is held up on account of a shortage of spalls as also is the relaying of the tramway track along the centre of the road.

The widening of Bubbling Well Road west of Ferry Road is practically completed on the north side. The widening on the south side cannot be effected until the brick boundary wall has been set back to the new line.

The ballasting and metalling of a 12 ft. strip of Tsitsihar Road north of Ward Road has been completed.

*Bundings.*—The concrete bunding in West Soochow Road east of Cadastral Lot 731 W. has been

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completed and the roadway is being made up.

*Drainage.*—The foundation of the Defence Creek culvert has been completed throughout. Pipes have been laid as far as Amoy Road and for a distance of 250 feet south of the Soochow Creek.

The construction of the 3-ft. diam. culvert in Ichang Road west of Gordon Road has been completed.

The culverting of the Singkeipang from Singkeipang Road to Dent Road has been completed with the exception of the section replacing Chaoufoong Road bridge.

12-in. diam. sewers have been laid as follows:—

Penang Road east of Gordon Road.
Kirin Road east of Thorburn Road.
Whashing Road north and south of Rangoon Road.

*Jetties and Pontoons.*—The P. & O. jetty has been reconstructed in connexion with the Bund reclamation scheme, and similar work is in hand on the Peking Road jetty and the jetty opposite the Telegraph building.

A reinforced concrete jetty has been constructed in Dixwell Road north of Broadway East.

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

*General.*

*Administration Building.*—The external heating trench is about half finished. The floor battens and concrete filling on the second floor are completed. Another consignment of window casements for the third floor arrived during the month.

*Fire Brigade.*

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—The walls are now nearly up to the level of the first floor and the erection of the falsework for this floor will shortly be commenced.

*Hongkew Fire Station Workshops.*—The concreting of the roof has been completed.

*Electricity Department.*

*Woochang Road Substation.*—All reinforced concrete work has been completed.

*Tonquin Road Substation.*—Work on the construction of this building is suspended awaiting a decision as to extension.

*Administration Building Substation.*—Reinforcement is in place for the first floor.

*Riverside Power Station.*—Progress with the pile driving and foundations has been rather slow owing to obstruction encountered in the nature of pipes, cables and old foundations. All piles are driven excepting for the footings on the west side.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—551.75 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

*Cleansing and Watering.*

Road sweepings collected 4,810 cartloads
Used for raising land 640 ,,
Water used for street watering 2,268,800 gallons.

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,170 |
| Artisans | 293 |
| Foremen | 211 |
| Mafoos | 155 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 3,566 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 48 admissions during the month and 120 bundles of wood chopped.

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 74 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates issued | 31 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 40 |
| New lots put under taxation | 3 |
| Assessed value of land placed under taxation | Tls. 8,612 |
| Official plans prepared | 26 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 180 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 160 |
| Surveys made in connexion with road widenings and/or extensions | 63 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 74 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Central District | 2 |
| Northern ,, | 2 |
| Western ,, | 18 |

*New Buildings.*

Summary of work done during the month:—

| *Description of work.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 373 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 68 |
| Plans approved | 50 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,984 |
| Boundary walls erected | 445 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 2 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 4 |
| Encroachments reported and rectified | 1 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 15 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 43 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Reported by Public Works Department | 4 |
| First intimation notices issued | 4 |

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

## 7 per cent. Loan 1919.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed to the above loan, as on February 7, 1920:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ld. | Tls. 100,000 | |
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | 50,000 | |
| Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. | 50,000 | |
| Canton Insurance Office, Ld. | 50,000 | |
| One Investor of | 47,000 | |
| Nippon Yusen Kaisha | 40,000 | |
| Yokohama Specie Bank, Ld. | 40,000 | |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, Ld. | 40,000 | |
| Osaka Shosen Kaisha | 20,000 | |
| Nisshin Kisen Kaisha | 20,000 | |
| South Manchuria Railway Co., Ld. | 20,000 | |
| Bank of Chosen | 20,000 | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | |
| One ,, | 16,500 | |
| Japan China Spinning and Weaving Co., Ld. | 15,000 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 15,000 | 30,000 | |
| One Investor of | 14,300 | |
| One ,, | 14 000 | |
| Estate of R. W. Shaw, deceased | 13,600 | |
| Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha, Ld. | 13,000 | |
| Mitsubishi Bank, Ld. | 13,000 | |
| Shanghai Paper Mill | 13,000 | |
| One Investor of | 13,000 | |
| One ,, | 12,500 | |
| One ,, | 11,000 | |
| One ,, | 10,600 | |
| Shanghai Produce and Stock Exchange, Ld. | 10,000 | |
| C. Itoh & Co., Ld. | 10,000 | |
| International Savings Society | 10,000 | |
| Nippon Menkwa Kabushiki Kaisha | 10,000 | |
| F. A. Kennedy | 10,000 | |
| Suzuki & Co. | 10,000 | |
| Mogi & Co. | 10,000 | |
| Furukawa & Co., Ld. | 10,000 | |
| Three Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 30,000 | |
| | | Tls. 816,500 |
| 299 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 443,900 |
| 337 Foreign Investors | | Tls. 1,260,400 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Shanghai Benevolent Industrial Institution | Tls. 100,000 | |
| Yung Tsung King | 40,000 | |
| One Investor of | 25,000 | |
| One ,, | 18,000 | |
| Chek Sou Char | 15,000 | |
| One Investor of | 15,000 | |
| One ,, | 10,500 | |
| Hangkee | 10,000 | |
| Sisson Nie and/or Mrs. Isabella Nie | 10,000 | |
| | | Tls. 243,500 |
| 52 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 122,100 |
| 61 Chinese Investors | | Tls. 365,600 |
| | | Total Tls. 1,626,000 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承攬全份或係本局自有有權利

二 未定有承攬價目雖低本局亦不承認辦有如是極

三 行估價必准之後該款承辦本局認付人自

四 所有人到局之後人須覓的保

五 所有以承攬保入各人之合同辦理實

六 所本局必取殆登攬本人信及承人攬知信

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

所有承攬各項本局承攬全份或係本局自有有權利雖低是極如有不認付人亦自

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## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 149 | Bean Oil, during 9 months from April 1<br>750 to 800 Catties per mensem | — | March 15 |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7A The Bund | | |
| 540 | Water Service and Sanitary Fittings, Administration Building | — | February 12 |
| 541 | Electric Wiring work at Yangtszepoo Fire Station | — | ,, 13 |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 195 | 20 Miles of Bare Copper Cable | Tls. 5 | March 18 |
| 196 | 13 ,, of Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | do. |
| 197 | 8 ,, of Vulcanised Cable | Tls. 5 | do. |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2678.**

**ELECTION OF COUNCILLORS.**

IN accordance with Article XVIII of the Land Regulations, we, the undersigned scrutineers duly appointed by the Council, hereby declare that the following nine Ratepayers polled the greatest number of votes at the election held on February 16 and 17, and are therefore declared to have been duly elected as the Council for the Foreign Community of Shanghai for the year 1920/21:—

| | |
|---|---|
| A. Brooke Smith | 770 |
| C. M. Bain | 661 |
| D. Goh | 586 |
| W. P. Lambe | 503 |
| G. T. M. Edkins | 457 |
| H. A. Macintyre | 447 |
| M. Benjamin | 398 |
| Lt.-Col. P. A. Cox, O.B.E. | 347 |
| S. Fessenden | 337 |

Total number of votes 883 and 22 irregular votes.

P. W. MASSEY,
H. G. SIMMS,
*Scrutineers.*

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 17, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2673.**

THE following additional licence conditions will be enforced with effect from February 16.

WHEEL BARROW.

7A.—All loose material such as broken stone, sand, gravel, coal, ashes, feathers, etc., be carried in properly constructed receptacles so that the material cannot be spilled on the road.

HANDCART.

9A.—That the materials be carried in properly constructed baskets and not dropped on the road and that when landed they be immediately taken away.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 5, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2675.**

**TAVERN LICENCES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Watch Committee will sit on Friday, April 9, to decide upon the number and locality of Foreign Taverns to be licensed during the ensuing year.

Applications for new licences, upon the form obtainable at the Revenue Office, must be forwarded to the undersigned on or before March 15. Applications received after March 15 will not be considered.

Thereafter, by public notification, an opportunity will be afforded to Ratepayers to protest against or support before the Committee the issue or renewal of any licence.

No fresh licences will be issued during the twelve months ensuing and until the next annual sitting of the Committee.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 12, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2676.**

**CLOSE SEASON FOR GAME.**

THE public is hereby reminded that the sale of pheasants is prohibited after February 16, and that of deer, hare, partridges and all small birds after March 1. No prohibition attaches to the sale of snipe, quail, woodcock and wild fowl.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 12, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2677.**

**CHINESE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Municipal Offices will be closed to public business from Friday, February 20, to Tuesday, February 24, inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 12, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2679.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR CHINESE**

(*Translation.*)

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the Spring term on Monday, March 8, at 9 a.m.

Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.

Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads.

Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.

Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25 except for the Public School for Chinese and the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $30 and $20, respectively, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Friday, March 5, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Saturday, March 6, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive and examine new pupils.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 19, 1920.

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AT the special meeting of the Finance Committee held on Thursday, February 12, 1920, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 5 o'clock, p.m.

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AT a meeting of the Watch and Works Committees held on Thursday, February 12, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman

*Absent*:

Mr. A. Howard

The meeting adjourned at 6.50 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Health Committee held on Friday, February 13, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. H. A. J. Macray (*Chairman*)
S. J. Halse
W. P. Lambe

*Absent*:

Drs. J. W. Jackson
R. J. Marshall

The meeting adjourned at 6.15 p m.

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AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, February 13, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
Mrs. D. Henman
Mr. W. P. Lambe
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent*:

Messrs. L. E. Canning
S. C. Lin
W. D McCallum
Dr. F. Rawlinson

The meeting adjourned at 7.10 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Watch Committee held on Tuesday, February 17, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray

The meeting adjourned at 6.45 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the War Memorial Committee held on Monday, February 16, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
P. Le Bris
K. Kodama
L. Straetmans
Sung Han-chang and
Messrs. H. Boissezon, S. J. Halse, R. C. Turner } *Advisory Committee of Architects*

*Absent*:

Messrs. G. A. Bena
J. Bendin
J. H. Botelho
A. W. Burkill
A. Drachenfels
F. R. Sites

The meeting adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, February 18, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
D. Goh
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent*:

Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 6 p.m.

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### Consular Body.

A letter from Mr. Jorge d'Oliveira, Consul-General for Portugal, informs the Council that he has handed over charge of the Portuguese Consulate-General to Mr. Antonio M. da Silva, Vice-Consul for Portugal.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Maritime Co.*—Leave is granted to Captain A. W. Dixon from March 15 to November 15.

*Italian Co.*—The resignation of Lieut. C. Bedoni, forwarded by the Commandant, is accepted by the Council with regret.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, commissions are authorized for issue to the following N. C. Officers who have passed the necessary examinations:

*Shanghai Scottish.*—Col.-Sergt. W. A. Turnbull as 2nd. Lieutenant.

*Maritime Company.*—Sergeant F. W. Snape as 2nd. Lieutenant.

### Educational Department.

*Public School for Boys "Engineering Society of China" Prize.*—The Headmaster reports that this prize value $50 has been won by M. Moosa, a pupil of the School.

The results achieved by pupils from the Cuncil's Schools in the Essay Competition organized by the Shanghai Horticultural Society in November last are as follows:—

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys*:

| | | Prize. |
|---|---|---|
| Senior: | J. Guzdar | 1st. |
| | H. Klyhn | 2nd. |
| Intermediate: | J. A. L. Peach | 3rd. |
| Junior: | J. Peach | 1st. |
| | A. Phillips | 2nd. |
| | S. Harvey | 3rd. |

*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls*:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Senior: | S. Davey | 3rd. |
| Intermediate: | V. Peach | 2nd. |

The Acting Headmaster of the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys also reports the success, with distinctions in Stenography and Bookkeeping, of V. F. Viccajee in the Hongkong University Junior Local Examination held in December, 1919.

### Police Force.

*Foreign Branch Quarters.*—The lease from The Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. of No. 8 West End Lane has been renewed for a further period of three years terminating on February 28, 1923.

### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Tiendong and Chapoo Roads.*—Arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. Probst, Hanbury & Co., Ld. for the surrender of an area of Mow 0.682 from Lot 835 required for the widening of these roads on the following terms:—Mow 0.471 at the assessed value of Tls. 16,000 per mow, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender or a total sum of Tls. 8,289, and Mow 0.211 for a lump sum of Tls. 820.

*Hungjao Road.*—Arrangements have been concluded with the native owners concerned for the acquisition of an additional area of Mow 0.467 required to widen the road to 60 feet at the corner of this and Rubicon Road, at a cost of Tls. 116.75.

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to the following:—

Sub-Inspector W. Whiting from March 24.

Sergeant P. Keane from March 27.

Sergeant G. Sadler from March 24.

Sergeant W. Champney from February 13.

Warder V. G. Westwood from February 13.

Sergeant J. Anderson is permitted to terminate his service on February 15.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Nurse E. Rice from April 10.

*Public Works Department.*—Lieut.-Col. J. E. Needham, O.B.E., Chief Assistant Engineer, returned from war service, resumed duty on January 16.

Mr. D. E. Harbottle, temporary Inspector, is permitted to terminate his service on February 17.

*Educational Department.*—The appointment of Mr. C. D. Giauque, Director of Physical Training in the Public and Thomas Hanbury Schools for Boys, is confirmed under agreement from September 1, 1918.

Miss E. A. Hoodless, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is invalided from February 14.

Miss B. B. Rasmussen, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is permitted to terminate her service on April 30.

The appointment of Mrs. L. King, Assistant Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, is confirmed under agreement from January 1, 1920.

*Finance Department.*—Mr. J. C. Bosustow, M.B.E., Deputy Treasurer, returned from war service, resumed duty on February 4.

The resignation of Mr. H. M. Mann, Assistant Treasurer, is accepted with effect from March 31.

*Revenue Office.*—Mr. A. F. Wilson is appointed Tax Collector on three months' probation from February 9.

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## Public Band.

There will be no dance music at the Town Hall on Friday, February 20, owing to the fact the Hall is required in connexion with the Washington Birthday Ball.

The usual Sunday afternoon concert will be postponed until Tuesday, February 24, at 9 o'clock p.m. when the programme will be as follows:—

FOURTEENTH CONCERT

*"Operatic Programme"*

1.—Overture "William Tell" Rossini

2.—Fragments 1st Act of the Opera "La Boheme"
(a) Rudolph's Air
(b) Mimi's Air
(c) Final Duet Puccini

Soloists: Mrs. L. Isenman (Soprano)-Mr. P. Brunelli (Tenor)

3.—(a) Intermezzo "I Pagliacci" Leoncavallo
(b) Prelude from 4th Act "La Traviata" Verdi

4.—Finale 3rd Act "La Bohème" Duet: "Mimi and Rudolph" Puccini

Soloist: Mrs. L. Isenman and Mr. P. Brunelli

5.—Wotan's Farewell and Magic Fire from "The Valkyries" Wagner

Soloist: Mr. P. Selivanoff (Bass)

6.—Introduction 3rd Act "Tannhauser" and Elizabeth's Air: "Dear Hall of Song" Wagner

Soloist: Mrs. L. Isenman

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant. | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 161 | Kiukiang | Dah Sung Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co. | | | water-closet |
| 16[illegible] | Nanking | J. D. Sullivan | | | altn. |
| 14[illegible] | Peking and Kiangse | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | block offices |
| 18 | Alabaster | Brandt & Rodgers | | | watchman's lodge |
| 149 | Kansuh | do. | | 1 | |
| 733 | Range | Chun Wei Ping | | | addn. |
| 7293 | Seoul | Wong King Fong | | 2 | |
| 6043 | Teng Yueh | Midland Packing Co. | | | addn. |
| 4174, 4175, 4180, 4181 and 4[illegible] | Gordon & Penang | Naigai Wata Kaisha | | | 2 walls and 4 gates |
| 27[illegible] | Hart | G. Masuda | | | watchman's lodge |
| 46[illegible] | Mokanshan | Atkinson & Dallas, Co. | | | addn. |
| 46[illegible] | do. | Liu Yoen Dah | 1 | | svts.' qutrs., latrine & wall |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 19[illegible] | Chanse and [illegible]oochow | Jong Shing Kee | | | addn. |
| [illegible] | [illegible] | Lee Zung Mow | | | addn. |

## Parks Report for January.

*Roadside Trees—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Transplanted | 4 |
| Pruned | 2,776 |
| Topdressed | 476 |

*Plants bedded out—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 700 |

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,005 |
| Football | 284 |
| Hockey | 132 |
| Total number of Players | 1,421 |
| " " Non-players | 4,403 |
| | 5,824 |

W. H. ETTERLEY,
*Assistant Superintendent.*

Countersigned:
CHAS. H. GODFREY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, February 15, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 2 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 14 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 190 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Mixed Court Report for January.

In connexion with the refusal to pay Municipal Taxes for the current quarter, thirty-three summonses were issued by the Court. In two cases payment of taxes was made before service of summons. Judgment was given against the remainder for the amounts claimed plus Court costs. In twenty-five cases it was necessary to issue warrants of execution. In only six cases was it necessary to seize goods and have the same sold by public auction.

There were twenty-nine persons charged with burglary during the month as against fifteen in December 1919.

Twenty-four foreign civil petitions were filed during the month.

With the approach of the Chinese New Year the number of Chinese Civil claims filed rose to ninety-five. The number of cases awaiting a first hearing at the end of the month rose from sixty-three to eighty-three.

Messrs. A. D. Blackburn, P. Grant Jones, J. E. Jacobs and R. P. Tenney have been appointed by the Consular Body as Assessors to sit in Chinese Civil Cases for the year 1920.

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with, Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

M. O. SPRINGFIELD,
*Registrar.*

Countersigned,
A. HILTON-JOHNSON,
Acting Commissioner of Police.

OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| **1.—Offences Against the Person:—** | |
| Abduction | 10 |
| Allowing Children in Brothels | 1 |
| Assault | 35 |
| Attempted Suicide | 2 |
| Kidnapping | 5 |
| Murder | 2 |
| Wounding (causing grievous bodily harm) | 8 |
| **2.—Offences Against Property:—** | |
| Burglary | 29 |
| Cruelty to animals | 10 |
| Embezzlement | 4 |
| Extortion (obtaining money by threats) | 12 |
| Fraud | 8 |
| House-breaking | 9 |
| Larceny | 240 |
| Malicious damage | 1 |
| Receiving stolen property | 10 |
| Robbery | 14 |
| **3.—Offences of a Public Nature:—** | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 7 |
| Carts | 33 |
| Dairies | 4 |
| Dogs | 5 |
| Foodshops | 9 |
| Hawkers | 38 |
| Motor cars | 48 |
| Opium | 58 |
| Ricshas | 398 |
| Wheel-barrows | 81 |
| Wine-shops | 3 |
| Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| Arms | 4 |
| Feathers | 1 |
| Fireworks | 4 |
| House refuse | 56 |
| Indecent Advertisements | 1 |
| Kerosene Oil | 2 |
| Lotteries | 1 |
| Nuisances | 795 |
| Prostitutes | 17 |
| Traffic | 60 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 4 |
| Disorderly conduct | 52 |
| Gambling | 8 |
| Libel | 1 |
| Loitering with intent | 11 |
| Obstructing the Police | 3 |
| Returning after expulsion | 2 |
| Vagrancy | 2 |
| **4.—Miscellaneous Cases:—** | |
| Seeking protection of Door of Hope | 3 |
| Stray Children | 1 |
| Witness in Criminal Case | 1 |
| Various | 34 |
| TOTAL | 2,647 |

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SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 1,824 |
| Cases withdrawn | 15 |
| Cautioned | 15 |
| Dismissed | 81 |
| Expulsion | 2 |
| Fined | 349 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 2 |
| Imprisonment | 212 |
| " and expulsion | 104 |
| Left to Civil Court | 2 |
| Reformatory | 3 |
| Released on Security | 2 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 4 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 8 |
| Sent to French Police | 1 |
| Various | 23 |
| TOTAL | 2,647 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On January 1 | 40 |
| Received | 35 |
| Released | 28 |
| On January 31 | 47 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 173 |
| " served | 160 |
| Warrants issued | 59 |
| " executed | 9 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 5 |
| " executed | 2 |
| Summonses issued | 22 |
| " served | 13 |
| " withdrawn | 2 |
| Persons apprehended on Warrants | 2 |
| " summoned | 13 |
| Sealing orders issued | 125 |
| " " executed | 17 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 98 |
| " " withdrawn | 10 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 14 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 95 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 40 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 77 |
| " heard | 88 |
| Cases in course of hearing | 11 |
| " concluded | 65 |
| " awaiting first hearing on Jan. 31 | 83 |
| Summonses issued | 100 |
| " served | 85 |
| " withdrawn | 14 |
| Warrants issued | 49 |
| " executed | 18 |
| " withdrawn | 10 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 18 |
| " summoned | 94 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 69 |
| Sealing orders issued | 29 |
| " " executed | 9 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 20 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 3 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 88 |
| Bonds accepted | 52 |
| " rejected | 34 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On January 1 | 48 |
| Received | 31 |
| Released | 29 |
| On January 31 | 50 |

SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. | British | Sung Ding-faung | Tls. 575 | For plaintiffs in Tls. 442 |
| Olga Koltsoff | Russian | Vera Mayer | Rbls. 21,000 and $3,900 and jewellery valued $4,000 | Adjourned *sine die* with leave to apply |
| Kuroki & Co. | Japanese | Tsu Kyui-ming | Tls. 3,000 | For plaintiffs in Tls. 1,555 and Tls. 3,000 damages with costs |
| Petros Noronsaiants | Russian | Count Toulouse de Lautrec Savine | $150 (rehearing) | For plaintiff |
| F. Parlani | Italian | Lieu Tsoong-zak | $70,000 | For defendant |
| Standard Tobacco Co., Inc. | American | Li Zae-kyeu and Kwaung Ming Tobacco Company | Infringement of Trademark and Damages | Permanent injunction issued: question of damages settled out of Court |
| Hummel & Ambrose | British | Wong Kyok-yien | Land dispute $250 damages | Proceeding |
| Greengoat | Russian | Tsong Kyi Tailor Shop | $27.50 | For plaintiff |
| K. Tomaki | Japanese | Sung Oong-kaung | Tls. 8,889.42 | Proceeding |
| Brunner, Mond & Co., Ltd. | British | Tsang Tsing-ching | Tls. 1,308.40 | do. |

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 凡有定價之承攬人遵照本辦理者有效

三 行市定有之承攬人如是極利承攬

四 本局有取消所有之權

五 所有之承攬人亦有極利承攬

六 所有承攬人須繳付自來水費

清單送來之最善者用須在此次概免交說明號

信二時局辦期十或日上午十工

部局寫明送至江西路二號

面寫明承攬信內工料等物必須

漆其承攬信內所開之價必須

所有承攬人須繳付自來水費

後仍將該款一律退還

本局有權拒絕清單內所開之價

本局有權拒絕任何工料

目所以登入各人遵照本辦理公信人同意付款

所定保後之准攬本局認定保後之准攬本局認定

人擇定後承攬人辦理

行市定有之承攬人如是極利承攬

所定有效承攬人辦理

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 149 | Bean Oil, during 9 months from April 1<br>750 to 800 Catties per mensem | — | March 15 |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 195 | 20 Miles of Bare Copper Cable | Tls. 5 | March 18 |
| 196 | 13 " of Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | do. |
| 197 | 8 " of Vulcanised Cable | Tls. 5 | do. |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2655.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

The first interest period will be from September 5, 1919, to March 5, 1920, during which interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 16, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2675.**

**TAVERN LICENCES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Watch Committee will sit on Friday, April 9, to decide upon the number and locality of Foreign Taverns to be licensed during the ensuing year.

Applications for new licences, upon the form obtainable at the Revenue Office, must be forwarded to the undersigned on or before March 15. Applications received after March 15 will not be considered.

Thereafter, by public notification, an opportunity will be afforded to Ratepayers to protest against or support before the Committee the issue or renewal of any licence.

No fresh licences will be issued during the twelve months ensuing and until the next annual sitting of the Committee.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 12, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2676.**

**CLOSE SEASON FOR GAME.**

THE public is hereby reminded that the sale of pheasants is prohibited after February 16, and that of deer, hare, partridges and all small birds after March 1. No prohibition attaches to the sale of snipe, quail, woodcock and wild fowl.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room.
Shanghai, February 12, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2679.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHINESE.**

(*Translation.*)

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the Spring term on Monday, March 8, at 9 a.m.

Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.

Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads.

Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.

Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25 except for the Public School for Chinese and the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $30 and $20, respectively, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Friday, March 5, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Saturday, March 6, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive and examine new pupils.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 19, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Monday, February 16, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. W. Burkill (*Chairman*)
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman

*Absent:*

Mr. C. G. S. Mackie

The meeting adjourned at 7.15 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, February 25, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present*:

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
D. Goh
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent*:

Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 6.15 p.m.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Bubbling Well Road.*—Acquisition has been effected of Mow 0.104 of unregistered land required for widening this road west of Tifeng Road, for the sum of Tls. 250, inclusive of reinstatement charges.

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to the following:—

Inspector G. Johnston from April 1.

Inspector S. C. Young from April 6.

Sergeant A. J. Ferguson from April 16.

Sergeant C. W. Higgs from March 26.

Sergeant J. B. Clissold from February 19.

Havildar No. 124, Mahan Singh, is discharged, invalided, from February 17.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. W. A. Watson is appointed temporarily as Assistant Inspector from March 1.

Inspector P. Ryan is permitted to terminate his service on March 15, the date of expiry of his agreement.

Assistant Inspector A. J. Pratt is promoted to be Inspector under a new agreement terminable at three months' notice from March 1.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. W. Ashton is appointed Meter Department Assistant under an agreement terminable at three months' notice from February 13.

*Educational Department.*—The appointment of Miss N. Trueman, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is confirmed under agreement from April 28, 1919.

Madame L. Rayot is appointed French Mistress in the Public School for Girls on probation from February 10.

Mrs. H. F. Lord, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is permitted to terminate her service on February 29.

Mrs. D. Parrott is appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls from March 1.

**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, February 22, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 14 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 4 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 10 | 149 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 273 | Shantung & Foochow | H. M. Cumine | | 2 | block offices |
| 25 | Alabaster | A. Corret | | 1 | shed & bunding |
| 6043 | Tengyueh | Midland Packing Co. | | | |
| 2530 | Yangtszepoo | Sidney Powell | | 2 | shed foundry |
| 6010 | Singapore | Fong Hsien Kee | | | coach house & servants' quarters |
| E of 3308 | Sinza | Wong Shue Kee | | | workshed |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 273 | Shantung & Foochow | H. M. Cumine | 2 | | |
| N of 37 | Kaifeng | Lee Shue Kee | 18 | | |
| 871 | E. Yuhang | M. C. Yeh | | | addns. |
| 6540 | Pingliang | Stewardson & Spence | 6 | | |
| 662 | Tongshan | Wong King Kee | 7 | | |
| 2530 | Yangtszepoo | Sidney Powell | 5 | | |
| 6334 | Wuting | Loo Zung Tai | 4 | | |

**Public Band.**

On Sunday next, February 29, at 5 o'clock, the programme will be as follows:—

FIFTEENTH CONCERT.

1.—Symphonic Poem "Les Preludes" Liszt

2.—Symphonic Poem "Danse Macabre" Saint-Saëns

3.—Romance, for Violin, Viola, Cello and Harp L. Kempter
Messrs. V. SIROIDO (Violin)
T. LAUDJIL (Viola)
F. WANDRACHEK (Cello)
H. KUNZE (Harp)

4.—"The Wand of Youth" Elgar
(*a*) Overture
(*b*) Serenade
(*c*) Minuet (Old Style)
(*d*) Sun Dance
(*e*) Fairy Pipers
(*f*) Slumber Scene
(*g*) Fairies and Giants

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

**Fire Brigade Report for January.**

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 53, as against 18 for the corresponding month last year. This month constituted a record for the number of calls—53, the previous record being 50 in January, 1918. The damage on assessed property, within the Settlement, is estimated at Tls. 20,500 (Foreign Tls. 2,450: Chinese Tls. 18,050) as against Tls. 49,525 (Foreign Tls. 40,175: Chinese Tls. 9,350) during January, 1919. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 643,000 (Foreign Tls. 380,000: Chinese Tls. 263,000) as against Tls. 196,500 (Foreign Tls. 134,000: Chinese Tls. 62,500) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows: —Watch Towers 20: Telephones 19: Police 11: Street Alarms 2: and French Brigade 1.

The district call was given on 17 occasions, the remaining 36 being station calls. These calls proved to be 26 small fires, 1 chimney fire, 9 false alarms, and 17 fires outside the Settlement.

The supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—Dropped match or cigarette end 3: Sparks, or embers from stove, stove pipe or chimney 6: Candle or charcoal warmer in contact with bedding 3: Firecrackers 2: Fat falling into stove 1: Defective flue 2: Fusing of, or sparks from, electric light wires 2: Candle in contact with bunting 1: Lamp upset or in contact with curtain 1: Portable cooking stove too close to door 1: Stove overheated 1: Unknown 3:

The premises affected were:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Foreign buildings | 2 |
| Chinese buildings | 37 |

Of these one building was destroyed, and 38 more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The water used at fires during the month was 243,650 gallons.

The Brigade was occupied 494 hours and 35 minutes at fires, or supposed fires.

The year opened with a very difficult month, as apart from the record number of calls, and the usual trouble of frozen hydrants, there was a shortage of water, which is stated to be due to the difficulty of filtration, caused by the lowness of water in the river. Also there was at times a

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very high wind, and it is a matter of satisfaction that the fire loss was so low. The ratio with the property at risk was but 3 per cent. A large number of calls were received for fires outside the Settlement: assistance was rendered at six of these.

*January 3, XG726 North Chekiang Road.*—A number of shops were alight, and the fire was difficult to check owing to it having entered a terrace of two-storey buildings at the back, which contained a good deal of lath and plaster work

*January 7, Chinese City.*—The Brigade in conjunction with the French Concession Brigade, rendered valuable assistance at a fire on the City side of the Boulevard de la Republic, near the old North Gate.

*January 8, E234/5 Shanse Road.*—This outbreak was fortunately quickly checked, as it was right against the back premises of No. P128 Nanking Road, a very large Silk Hong.

*January 8, Woosung Road Extension, Chapei.*—Assistance was rendered to the Chapei Brigade when a large number of dwellings were in flames. This fire was practically extinguished by the Settlement Brigade.

*January 12, Lih Teh Oil Mills, Outside.*—The Brigade by quick response, although having to pump across the creek, and work along the back of the mill, just prevented the flames from reaching a quantity of burning grease. A very large matshed containing over 1,000 barrels of oil, grease, etc., was destroyed.

*January 12, Chapei.*—When the Cervis Brush Factory, just the other side of the Markham Road Bridge was in flames. There was a stiff northerly gale at the time; the building contained a very large quantity of celluloid, and at times the flames were blown right across the roadway, and beyond the banks of the creek. The premises, although possessing fairly solid walls, had wooden floors, light wood partitions, etc. This fire burnt with great fierceness, and the Brigade had the hardest task of the month to confine the fire to the factory, and prevent it from involving property this side of the creek.

A regrettable number of lives were lost, and the fire provides a useful lesson as to the design and supervision that is required to ensure the safety of the inmates of buildings of the factory type.

*January 14, O228/9 Kiukiang Road.*—This had the makings of a very serious fire, three corner shops being alight at the time of arrival of the Brigade. Hydrants were frozen, water was short, and high tension overhead wires were down, from which several of the men received serious shocks. Although working under these disadvantages, the fire, as soon as water was obtainable, was speedily surrounded and comparatively little damage was done.

*January 14, G602 Fokien Road.*—Whilst waiting for the hydrants to be thawed, the Brigade removed practically all the goods on the ground floor, consisting of valuable furs, etc., to a place of safety. The contents were insured for Tls. 15,000, but the actual loss was under Tls. 3,000.

*January 17, Urga Road, Chapei.*—The adjoining premises to those affected by fire on October 25, 1919, were well alight, and a number of small cotton godowns at the back. Although this building is in Chapei, the outbreak was practically extinguished by the Settlement Brigade.

*January 18, Pootung.*—A large number of shops, etc., on the centre street of the La Nee Duh Village were in flames. This fire was also practically extinguished by the Settlement Brigade.

*January 22, B318/9 Sinza Road.*—Again at this fire by salvage operations, practically the whole of the goods on the ground floor were saved almost undamaged.

*January 24, Hou Sung Cotton Mill.*—The fire was in the mixing bins, and a good deal of fire damage could have been prevented had the mill people carried out instructions to instal interior hydrants.

*January 27, Chapei.*—When the San Yah Silk Filature was destroyed. The fire was such a serious one that the Brigade again laid on across the creek, and were just in time to save the Tuck Sz Fook Filature, which was right against the burning building, and a portion had just caught on fire.

M. W. Pett,
*Chief Officer.*

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**Public Library.**

**The Library, situated at the north-west corner of the Town Hall, is open *To the Public* without charge as a Reading Room from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. To *Subscribers* for the exchange of books from 9 a.m to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 p.m. to 7 p.m.**

**The subscription is as follows:—**

**$16 per year**
**9 ,, half-year**
**5 ,, quarter**
**2 ,, month**

**Subscribers are entitled to the loan of four books at a time and in addition certain magazines are provided for circulation, of which one at a time is allowed to each subscriber.**

**It contains about 14,650 volumes, of which some 7,880 are devoted to Fiction; 2,710 to Travel and History; 1,850 to Biography and the rest to Scientific and General subjects. Additions to these are made constantly.**

**Residents desirous of subscribing should communicate with the Librarian at the Town Hall.**

**Concreteware Manufactory.**

The following is the price list of drain pipes and other articles manufactured. The prices quoted are ex Depôt in Fearon Road near Range Road. Applications for delivery orders should be made at the Public Works Office, 7A The Bund.

| No. | Description | Price Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | 12" Pipe | 0.80 |
| 2 | 9" ,, | 0.60 |
| 3 | 6" ,, | 0.40 |
| 4 | 4" ,, | 0.28 |
| 5 | 12" x 6" Junction | 1.60 |
| 6 | 12" x 6" ,, | 1.45 |
| 7 | 12" x 4" ,, | 1.35 |
| 8 | 9" x 6" ,, | 1.15 |
| 9 | 9" x 4" ,, | 1.05 |
| 10 | 6" x 4" ,, | 0.80 |
| 11 | 6" Knuckle Bends | 0.50 |
| 12 | 4" ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| 13 | 6" Bend (long) | 0.50 |
| 14 | 4" Bend ,, | 0.45 |
| 15 | 4" Fig. A. Yard Gullies without cover | 0.40 |
| | 4" Fig. A. Yard Gullies concrete cover | 0.15 |
| | 4" Fig. A. Yard Gullies C. I. cover | 0.20 |
| 16 | 6" Fig. B. Yard Gullies without cover | 1.25 |
| | 6" Fig. B. Yard Gullies concrete cover | 0.25 |
| | 6" Fig. B. Yard Gullies C. I. cover | 0.60 |
| 17 | 4" Fig. C. Yard Gullies without cover | 0.45 |
| | 4" Fig. C. Yard Gullies concrete cover | 0.15 |
| | 4" Fig. C. Yard Gullies C. I. cover | 0.20 |
| 18 | Revolving Top Gullies incl. C. I. cover | 0.75 |
| 19 | 3'0" x 2'0" Invert | 2.20 |
| 20 | 2'3" x 1'6" ,, | 1.75 |
| 21 | 1'6" x 1'0" ,, | 0.85 |
| 22 | 12" | 0.80 |
| 23 | 3'0" x 2'0" Egg-shaped Tube | 4.40 |
| 24 | 2'3" x 1'6" ,, ,, | 3.10 |
| 25 | 1'6" x 1'0" ,, ,, | 1.70 |
| 26 | 3'0" Circular Tube | 7.30 |
| 27 | 4'6" ,, ,, | 16.00 |
| 28 | 3'0" Invert | 4.00 |
| 29 | 2'0" x 2'0" Manhole shaft (large) | 2.90 |
| 30 | 2'0" x 2'0" ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| 31 | 1'5" x 1'5" manhole top frame | 2.55 |
| 32 | Manhole slabs (small) | 1.60 |
| 33 | ,, ,, (large) | 2.00 |
| 34 | Manhole bricks | — |
| 35 | Blind Manhole cover (small) | 1.00 |
| 36 | ,, ,, ,, (large) | 2.50 |
| 37 | S. P. Gullies (bottom) | 5.75 |
| 38 | (top) | |
| 39 | Kerbs | 1.10 |
| 40 | Channels | 1.10 |
| 41 | 3'3" Pavement tubes | 1.20 |
| 42 | 2'3" ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 43 | 2'0" ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 44 | 4" diam. socket | 0.38 |
| 45 | 3" ,, ,, | 0.38 |
| 46 | Boundary stones | 2.60 |
| 47 | M. C. R. Stones 2'0" | 0.85 |
| 48 | ,, ,, 4'0" | 1.00 |
| 49 | Grave slabs (large) per set of 6 | 8.50 |
| 50 | ,, ,, (small) per set of 2 | 2.00 |
| 51 | 18'0" Bearing pile | 30.00 |
| 52 | 14'0" ,, ,, | 20.00 |
| 53 | 10'0" Sheet pile | 8.50 |
| 54 | 7'6" ,, ,, | 6.00 |
| 55 | Fence post | 4.25 |
| 56 | Kitchen sink (large) | 5.25 |
| 57 | ,, ,, (small) | 3.00 |
| 58 | Ridge tile | 0.26 |
| 59 | Square tile | 0.05½ |
| 60 | Sidewalk slab 2'5¾" | 0.75 |
| 61 | ,, ,, 1'11¾" | 0.60 |
| 62 | ,, ,, 0'11¾" | 0.30 |
| 63 | Cable poles 40'0" | 25.00 |

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RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call | | Alarm given | Locality | District | | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Time of | How received | | | Municipal | Fire | | | Hours | Minutes | |
| Jan. 3 | 2.42 a.m. | Central Police | District | XG 726 North Chekiang Rds. | Northern | 8 | Chinese Shop | 7 damaged | 16 | | 1 woman injured |
| 4 | 12.36 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | BA 55 Tong Ge Bae Ka | Central | 4 | ,, | 2 ,, | 16 | | 1 boy injured |
| 5 | 11.05 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Wayside Wharf, Y'poo Road | Eastern | 1 | Foreign Godown | 1 ,, | 20 | | |
| 7 | 3.05 p.m. | Central Tower | Station | Chinese City | Outside | | | | 3 | | |
| 8 | 3.36 a.m. | ,, | District | F 234/5 Shanse Road | Central | 3 | Chinese Shop | 3 ,, | 36 | | |
| 8 | 7.00 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | Station | Chapei | Outside | | | | 2 | | |
| 8 | 8.16 p.m. | Wayside Police | ,, | JF 46 off Muirhead Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 20 | |
| 9 | 12.10 p.m. | Police Box No. 2 | ,, | J 914 Avenue Edward VII | Western | 7 | ,, | | | 20 | Chimney |
| 10 | 3.27 a.m. | Central Tower | District | I 247 Chekiang Road | Central | 6 | Chinese Shop | 5 ,, | 16 | | |
| 10 | 10.46 p.m. | Telephone | Station | off Jessfield Rd. | Outside | | | | 8 | | |
| 11 | 10.54 a.m. | Hongkew Police | District | C103/4 Woosung Road | Northern | 2 | ,, | 1 ,, | 8 | | |
| 11 | 6.50 p.m. | Telephone | Station | Y 652 North Szechuen Rd. Ext. | ,, | 2 | ,, | 1 ,, | 1 | | |
| 12 | 3.21 p.m. | ,, | District | Chapei | Outside | | | | 2 | | |
| 12 | 6.08 p.m. | Sinza Tower | ,, | Chapei | ,, | | | | 3 | | |
| 12 | 7.55 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | Station | E. Kashing Rd. Ext. | ,, | | | | | 20 | |
| 13 | 11.05 p.m. | Yangtszepoo Police | ,, | Yangtszepoo Creek | ,, | | | | 17 | | |
| 14 | 12.14 a.m. | Central Tower | ,, | Pootung | ,, | | | | | 10 | |
| 14 | 2.48 a.m. | Central Tower | District | G 602 Fokien Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Shop | 2 damaged | 16 | | |
| 14 | 5.40 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | C 228/9 Kiukiang Road | ,, | 5 | ,, | 1 destroyed 7 damaged | 24 | | |
| 15 | 1.00 a.m. | Sinza Tower | Station | off Macao Road | Western | 7 | Matshed | | 1 | | |
| 15 | 11.44 a.m. | Central Tower | District | C 428/30 Honan Road | Central | 4 | Chinese Shop | 3 damaged | 6 | | |
| 15 | 1.21 p.m. | Sinza Tower | Station | French Concession | Outside | | | | | 20 | |
| 15 | 7.12 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | LA 3175 off Y'poo Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 30 | |
| 17 | 4.58 p.m. | Central Police | District | Urga Road | Outside | | | | 216 | | |
| 17 | 7.06 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | A 1050 East Broadway | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shop | 2 damaged | 20 | | |
| 17 | 7.09 p.m. | ,, | Station | 7 Nanking Road | Central | 3 | Foreign Bank | | 3 | | |
| 17 | 10.20 p.m. | Louza Police | ,, | SS 44 Koo Ka Loong | ,, | 6 | Chinese Silver Smelter | | | 45 | |
| 18 | 1.05 a.m. | Central Tower | ,, | Pootung | Outside | | | | 5 | | |
| 18 | 6.39 p.m. | Sinza Tower | ,, | Chapei | ,, | | | | | 15 | |
| 20 | 3.47 p.m. | Street Alarm | ,, | B 1961 Sinza Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 15 | |
| 20 | 10.40 p.m. | French Brigade | ,, | French Concession | Outside | | | | | 30 | |
| 22 | 7.44 a.m. | Central Police | ,, | K 146 Wuhu Road | Central | 4 | Chinese Lodging House | | | 10 | |
| 22 | 2.19 p.m. | Sinza Tower | District | B 318/9 Sinza Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | 3 damaged | 26 | | |
| 24 | 9.03 a.m. | ,, | ,, | 10 Lay Road | Eastern | 1 | Foreign Cotton Mill | | 9 | | |
| 24 | 11.56 a.m. | Police Box No. 6 | Station | W 14/5 Tsung-ming Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Shop | | 1 | | |
| 24 | 1.52 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | L 27 Kin Loong Ka | Central | 4 | Chinese Lodging House | | 1 | | 1 woman injured |
| 25 | 3.59 a.m. | Sinza Tower | ,, | Chapei | Outside | | | | | 50 | |
| 26 | 7.20 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | PE 82 off Elgin Road | Northern | 8 | Chinese Dwelling | | 1 | | |
| 26 | 10.35 p.m. | ,, | ,, | B 1113A off Sinza Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Coal Yard | | | 25 | |
| 27 | 9.44 a.m. | ,, | ,, | 11 Yuen-Ming-Yuen Road | Central | 3 | Foreign Boarding House | 1 damaged | 6 | | |
| 27 | 11.54 p.m. | ,, | District | Chapei | Outside | | | | 2 | | |
| 29 | 10.07 p.m. | Sinza Tower | ,, Station | Chapei | Outside | | | | | 25 | |
| 29 | 11.40 p.m. | Central Police | ,, | 116A Szechuen Road | Central | 3 | Foreign Shop | | 1 | | |
| 30 | 1.37 a.m. | Sinza Tower | District | Chapei | Outside | | | | | 40 | |

In addition there were nine false alarms.

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

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**Summary of General Municipal Rate, December Quarter, 1919.**

**Foreign.**

| | 1919. | | 1918. | | 1917. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. |
| | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | 717 | 2,816,198 | 696 | 2,589,069 | 683 | 2,472,707 |
| Northern do. | 1,020 | 953,882 | 1,017 | 940,715 | 1,017 | 917,807 |
| Eastern do. | 748 | 974,854 | 733 | 915,484 | 718 | 878,656 |
| Western do. | 1,016 | 1,300,316 | 1,012 | 1,257,476 | 1,004 | 1,230,137 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 670 | 439,136 | 627 | 407,828 | 580 | 362,032 |
| Total | 4,171 | 6,484,386 | 4,085 | 6,110,572 | 4,002 | 5,861,339 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 3,172 | 4,854,447 | 3,109 | 4,572,785 | 3,051 | 4,380,186 |
| do. Chinese | 916 | 1,386,356 | 862 | 1,298,949 | 805 | 1,187,884 |
| Unoccupied | 83 | 243,583 | 114 | 238,838 | 146 | 293,269 |
| Total | 4,171 | 6,484,386 | 4,085 | 6,110,572 | 4,002 | 5,861,339 |
| TAX COLLECTED:— | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | | 91,097 | | 72,089 | | 68,166 |
| Northern do. | | 30,799 | | 26,205 | | 24,364 |
| Eastern do. | | 32,609 | | 26,399 | | 24,544 |
| Western do. | | 40,720 | | 34,580 | | 32,481 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 7,060 | | 5,712 | | 5,065 |
| Total | | 202,285 | | 164,985 | | 154,620 |

**Chinese.**

| | 1919. | | 1918. | | 1917. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. |
| | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | 11,654 | 5,924,476 | 11,917 | 5,560,247 | 11,912 | 5,269,598 |
| Northern do. | 16,453 | 3,018,066 | 16,608 | 3,008,687 | 16,603 | 2,976,693 |
| Eastern do. | 17,602 | 1,609,868 | 17,257 | 1,574,535 | 16,820 | 1,509,327 |
| Western do. | 15,097 | 2,165,368 | 14,804 | 2,102,543 | 14,587 | 2,058,428 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 1,236 | 110,246 | 1,224 | 109,814 | 1,226 | 109,954 |
| Total | 62,042 | 12,828,024 | 61,810 | 12,355,826 | 61,148 | 11,924,000 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 2,042 | 586,948 | 1,972 | 478,334 | 1,809 | 447,603 |
| do. Chinese | 58,653 | 11,813,342 | 57,864 | 11,251,530 | 57,451 | 10,929,042 |
| Unoccupied | 1,347 | 427,734 | 1,974 | 625,962 | 1,888 | 547,355 |
| Total | 62,042 | 12,828,024 | 61,810 | 12,355,826 | 61,148 | 11,924,000 |
| TAX COLLECTED:— | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | | 216,896 | | 157,456 | | 152,552 |
| Northern do. | | 111,891 | | 86,585 | | 84,875 |
| Eastern do. | | 60,238 | | 45,145 | | 42,473 |
| Western do. | | 76,305 | | 58,482 | | 57,155 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 2,000 | | 1,556 | | 1,564 |
| Total | | 467,330 | | 349,224 | | 338,619 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Commissioner of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局自有權承攬全份或

二 未有定承攬價目雖有極利

三 行儲必承攬本局亦不承認本局有低本

四 所擬之准攬人辦理自亦

五 目所有以後登入各人之信及承攬人之價

六 所有承攬人到期必取閱說明本局公平公開

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

所有承攬人之信及承攬人之價

本局必將其說明清單公平公開

後仍將該款一律退還

所有承攬人之信及承攬人之價

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## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 149 | Bean Oil, during 9 months from April 1<br>750 to 800 Catties per mensem | — | March 15 |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7A The Bund | | |
| 540 | Water Service and Sanitary Fittings, Administration Building | — | March 2 |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 195 | 20 Miles of Bare Copper Cable | Tls. 5 | March 18 |
| 196 | 13 ,, of Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | do. |
| 197 | 8 ,, of Vulcanised Cable | Tls. 5 | do. |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2679.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHINESE.**

(*Translation.*)

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the Spring term on Monday, March 8, at 9 a.m.

Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.

Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads.

Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.

Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25 except for the Public School for Chinese and the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $30 and $20, respectively, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Friday, March 5, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Saturday, March 6, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive and examine new pupils.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 19, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2680 (*Amended*).**

**NORMAL SCHOOL.**

THE Municipal Normal School will reopen on Monday, March 15, at 5 o'clock p.m., at the Public School for Chinese, Elgin and Cunningham Roads.

*Classes for Final Certificate.*—Classes will be held in preparation for the Hongkong Matriculation Examination. The classes for Chinese Teachers of English who desire to qualify for the Normal School Final Certificate will be held as formerly.

SUBJECTS AND HOURS OF CLASSES.

| | 5-6 p.m. | 6-7 p.m. |
|---|---|---|
| Monday | Theory & Practice of Teaching | Arithmetic |
| | Shorthand | Book-keeping |
| Tuesday | Drawing | Rhetoric |
| Wednesday | Advanced Maths: I. (Elements of Calculus) | Trigonometry |
| | Geometry | Algebra |
| Friday | Advanced Maths: II. (Conic Sections) | Literature |
| | **9-10 a.m.** | **10-11 a.m.** |
| Saturday | English Composition | Geography |
| | Theoretical and Practical Chemistry | |

*Length of Term.*—The Second Term of the Third Year will commence on Monday, March 15, and terminate on Saturday, June 5.

*Fees.*—Although organized primarily for teachers in the Municipal Schools for Chinese, the Normal School will be open to other teachers and students on the following terms:—

Exclusive of Practical and Theoretical Inorganic Chemistry.

| | |
|---|---|
| One Subject per term | $ 5 |
| Two or more subjects per term | $10 |
| Practical and Theoretical Inorganic Chemistry per term | $10 |

*Registration.*—The Principal will be in attendance at the Public School for Chinese on Friday, March 12, from 4.30 to 7 o'clock p.m., to receive fees and to admit students. All fees are payable in advance.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2681.**

**7% LOAN, 1919.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for debentures in this loan will close on Friday, March 12.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 4, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2682.**

**ROAD PLANS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that plans showing new roads, extension and widening of existing roads, and extension of lands already occupied by public works and for purposes of sanitation, in the Five Districts of the Settlement, as required in Articles VI and VIA of the Land Regulations, are now open to inspection at the Public Works Office. Copies thereof, when prepared, will be sent to the several Consular Land Offices.

Landowners and agents are reminded that, under the provisions of Land Regulation VIA proprietors have the right, for three months after the publication of notice that the plans are open to inspection, to protest in writing against any road, extension or widening of road, or extension of public works, or establishment of sanitary building or works, therein scheduled, following thereafter the procedure laid down in that Regulation.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 4, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, February 27, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
L. E. Canning
Mrs. D. Henman
Messrs. W. P. Lambe
W. D McCallum
S. C. Lin
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Dr. F. Rawlinson

The meeting adjourned at 6.45 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, March 1, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. W. L. Merriman (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Band Committee held on Tuesday, March 2, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Howard (*Chairman*)
O. M. Green

*Absent:*

Mr. C. M. Bain

The meeting adjourned at 6.40 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Volunteer Corps Commission held on Tuesday, March 2, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were :—

*Present*:
Rev. J. R. Hykes *(Chairman)*
Messrs. R. E. S. Gregson
S. J. Halse
Colonel M. H. Logan
Mr. C. G. S. Mackie
The meeting adjourned at 6.10 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, March 3, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present*:
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
D. Goh
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent*:
Mr. J. H. Dollar

The meeting adjourned at 7 o'clock, p.m.

### Volunteer Corps.

*First Reserves.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, a commission as Lieutenant is authorized for issue to Major A. W. Studd.

### Municipal Properties.

*Surplus Land—North Szechuen Road Extension.*—The offer of Mr. Roshiu Nakamura on behalf of Mr. Yakichi Shimosato has been accepted to purchase that part of B.C. lot 201 Pao which is not required for road purposes, measuring Mow 1.553, for the sum of Tls. 7,460. The original purchase price in 1914 was Tls. 3,980. The purchaser has agreed to erect on this site a residential building of a style approved by the Commissioner of Public Works.

### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Ferry and Avenue Roads.*—Acquisition has been arranged of Mow 0.085 of land, Cadastral Lot 3263, required for widening the North Western corner of the junction of Ferry and Avenue Roads, for the sum of Tls. 309.

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| N of 5200 | Pingliang | Sidney J. Powell | | | transformer house |
| 2357 | Yangtszepoo | Nippon Yusen Kaisha | | | shed |
| 1480 | B'bling Well | E. A. Barnard | | | addns. |
| 480 | Myburgh | Chun Wei Ping | | | covered way & wall |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| E of 5180 | Rangoon | Chang Kwan Woo | 1 | | wall |
| 480 | Myburgh | Chun Wei Ping | | | altns. |

### Public Band.

On Sunday next, March 7, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

SIXTEENTH CONCERT.

1.—"*La Grande Pâque Russe*" Overture sur des Thèmes de l'Eglise Russe — Rimsky-Kursakow

2.—(*a*) *Rêverie* — Scriabine
(*b*) "*In the Steppes of Central Asia*" — Borodin

3.—(*a*) *Melodie*
(*b*) *Sérénade Espagnole* — Glazounow
for Cello with Orchestra
Soloist: Mr. P. BRUNELLI

4.—(*a*) Air de Lia dans "*L'Enfant Prodigue*"
(*b*) *Les Cloches*
(*c*) *Mandoline* — C. Debussy
for Soprano with Orchestra
Soloist: Mrs. M. ZALSMAN

5.—Prélude À "*l'après midi d'un Faune*" — C. Debussy

MAESTRO M. PACI, *Conductor.*

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, February 29, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 28,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 3 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 22 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 10 | 182 |

ARTHUR STANLEY, *Health Officer.*

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to the following:—
Inspector A. Eek from May 8.
Sub-Inspector J. Sullivan from May 13.
Sergeant R. W. Yorke from March 1.
Sergeant W. C. Woodfield from February 28.
Sergeant C. Morris from May 6.
Captain P. Dowding, Sergeant in the Force, returned from war service, resumed duty on February 25.

*Health Department.*—Temporary Assistant Nurse A. M. Donald is permitted to terminate her service on April 15.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. A. A. G. Toone is appointed Assistant Building Surveyor on probation from February 9.

Mr. E. E. Sizemore, Assistant Inspector, is transferred to be Clerk-of-Works in the Electricity Department from February 1.

*Electricity Department.*—Long leave is granted to the following:—
Miss D. M. Dixon, Stenographer and Typist, from March 5.
Mr. W. E. Nops, Power Stations Superintendent, from March 13.
Mr. O. L. Ilbert, Assistant Mains Engineer, from March 6.
Mr. H. G. Wright is appointed Assistant Secretary to the Electricity Department under agreement from February 13.

*Educational Department.*—Long leave is granted to Miss A. D. Simon, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, from April 10.

The Council learnt with deep regret of the death on February 22, of Miss O. M. Parsons, Music Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.

### Fire Brigade.

Paragraph 13 of the Fire Brigade Report for January, published in the Gazette of February 26, should read as follows:—

"*Lih Teh Oil Mills.*—The Brigade, by quick response, although having to pump across the creek and work along the back of the mill, prevented the flames from a mass of burning grease from reaching and destroying a large matshed containing over 1,000 barrels of oil."

### Fire Brigade Report for February.

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 29, as against 12 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 10,025 (Foreign Tls. 125: Chinese Tls. 9,900) as against Tls. 20,650 (Foreign Tls. 20,050: Chinese Tls. 600) during February 1919. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 612,500 (Foreign Tls. 437,500: Chinese Tls. 175,000) as against Tls. 361,000 (Foreign Tls. 325,000: Chinese Tls. 36,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 15: Watch Towers 8: and Police 6. The District call was given on 4 occasions the remaining 25 being station calls. These calls proved to be 25 small fires, and 4 fires outside the Settlement.

The main supposed causes of fires within the Settlement are as follows:—Dropped match or cigarette end 2: Firecrackers 3: Unknown 2: Incendiarism 2. The premises affected were:—Foreign Buildings 3 and Chinese Buildings 10. Of these 1 matshed was destroyed, and 12 houses, etc., affected by fire, smoke and water.

The Brigade was occupied 197 hours and 5 minutes at fires, or supposed fires.

In reference to the losses Foreign and Chinese, such refer to fires that occur in buildings erected under the Building Rules with

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respect to Foreign and Chinese buildings respectively, irrespective of occupancy.

Further difficulty was experienced with the water supply, in fact at times during the month the situation could only be described as serious.

Every precaution was taken as far as the Brigade was concerned, and fortunately nothing untoward occurred. Machines and men were kept specially on the alert, and other arrangements made. By effecting some remarkably good stops, fires were so quickly checked that the loss was exceedingly low.

One of the fires, a large silver shop, drew attention to the necessity of periodical inspection of the fire appliances by this Department, for although the hydrants were fitted with the standard instantaneous outlets, some of the hose had couplings of the screw type, thus not being interchangeable, and a good deal of confusion was caused when the inmates tried to use the appliances prior to the arrival of the Brigade.

In a large building a flue pipe from a closed stove had been run into the space at the back of the corble, bearing a large joist, evidently this space was taken for a flue, and the joist naturally caught fire.

In another building a flue opening had been covered by paper, and a residue of soot becoming ignited naturally set fire to the paper, and had the outbreak occurred at night, the consequences might have been serious.

These two outbreaks occurred in buildings of Chinese occupation, the former in large offices, and the latter in an educational store.

One of the outbreaks attended by the Brigade was of rather an unusual character, namely on board the Italian Submarine Chaser No. M.A.S. 226, lying alongside the Rowing Club pontoon. There was a small fire, and the crew fearing an explosion made a number of holes in the hull. The Brigade by salvage work with one motor pump, working from the road, and the Fire Float alongside, saved the Submarine Chaser from sinking, and after pumping out and plugging the holes, the Brigade Float towed it to the Old Dock.

M. W. Pett,
*Chief Officer.*

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call | | Alarm given | Locality | District | | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Time of | How received | | | Municipal | Fire | | | Hours | Minutes | |
| Feb. 1 | 8.06 p.m. | Telephone | Station | 38 Range Road | Northern | 2 | Foreign Residence | | | 15 | |
| 2 | 11.15 a.m. | " | " | T 549 off Chungking Rd. | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 15 | One girl injured |
| 2 | 6.25 p.m. | Central Police | " | M 2773 Avenue Road | " | 7 | Chinese Servants Registry | | | 5 | |
| 4 | 3.06 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | District | O 130 off Chapoo Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Shop | 3 damaged | 24 | | |
| 6 | 3.00 a.m. | Central Tower | " | XF 696 off Kansuh Road | " | 8 | Chinese Cocoon Store | 4 " | 33 | | |
| 7 | 11.38 p.m. | Central Police | Station | P 173 Nanking Road | Central | 3 | Foreign Silver Merchants | | 1 | | |
| 10 | 7.32 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Q 509A off Yuenfong Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | 1 damaged | 29 | | |
| 10 | 8.50 a.m. | Central Police | " | 453 Honan Road | Central | 4 | Foreign Printing Press | | | 5 | |
| 10 | 1.42 p.m. | Telephone | " | S 274 Ningpo Road | " | 6 | Chinese Dwelling | | 1 | | |
| 12 | 2.50 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | 1 | | |
| 13 | 10.07 a.m. | Telephone | " | 36 Szechuen Road | Central | 4 | Foreign Offices | | 1 | | |
| 14 | 12.45 a.m. | Police Box No. 7 | " | Lc40 Se Zang Ling | " | 4 | Chinese Dwelling | | 1 | | |
| 15 | 10.43 p.m. | Telephone | " | 170 Bubbling Well Road | Western | 7 | Foreign Residence | | 1 | | |
| 17 | 11.14 a.m. | Central Police | " | Mas226, Rowing Club Jetty | Outside | | | | 6 | | |
| 17 | 5.58 p.m. | Telephone | " | Honan/Kiukiang Roads | Central | 4 | | | | 5 | Motor car |
| 17 | 10.14 a.m. | " | " | H 36 off Cemetery Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 20 | |
| 18 | 5.28 a.m. | West Hongkew Police | District | X 323 North Shanse Road | Northern | 8 | Chinese Shop | 1 damaged | 35 | | |
| 18 | 5.42 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | Station | Z 989/91 Miller Road | " | 2 | " | 1 " | 36 | | |
| 18 | 7.35 p.m. | Telephone | " | U 121/2 Weihaiwei Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 40 | |
| 19 | 8.07 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Y 137/8 North Szechuen Rd. | Northern | 2 | Chinese Shop | | | 10 | |
| 20 | 12.58 a.m. | Telephone | " | T 495 Chungking Road | Western | 7 | " | | | 20 | |
| 20 | 5.16 a.m. | " | " | P 459 off North Honan Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Godown | | | 10 | |
| 20 | 8.55 a.m. | " | District | off E. Yuhang Rd. Extension | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Matshed | 1 destroyed | 11 | | |
| 22 | 9.15 p.m. | " | Station | G 404 Tiendong Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Dwelling | 1 damaged | | 25 | |
| 23 | 10.42 p.m. | " | " | U 114 off Peking Road | Central | 3 | Chinese Silver Smelter | | 9 | | |
| 24 | 12.18 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | | 25 | |
| 27 | 12.49 a.m. | " | " | Chapei | " | | | | | 35 | |
| 28 | 2.18 p.m. | Telephone | " | J 2683/4 East Seward Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shop | 1 damaged | 4 | | |
| 29 | 1.34 p.m. | " | " | JE 180 off Tongshan Road | " | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 15 | |

M. W. Pett, *Chief Officer.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局章程自如是極利益全體

二 凡承攬本局工程必有保證金本局有權將未辦妥之工程用款承辦本辦妥之工程如有不承辦人自賠償

三 揮定到局之後該承攬人遵照辦理合同須覓妥保人辦理合同約定實付

四 所有以後承攬人各人之信及承攬之保證金須繳付之錢數目本局有取閱登入本局公報公報內須登錄之錢數目本局有取閱登入本局公報公報內須登錄之錢數目本局有取閱登入本局公報公報內須登錄

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2647.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.**

**Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2680 (*Amended*).**

**NORMAL SCHOOL.**

THE Municipal Normal School will reopen on Monday, March 15, at 5 o'clock p.m., at the Public School for Chinese, Elgin and Cunningham Roads.

*Classes for Final Certificate.*—Classes will be held in preparation for the Hongkong Matriculation Examination. The classes for Chinese Teachers of English who desire to qualify for the Normal School Final Certificate will be held as formerly.

SUBJECTS AND HOURS OF CLASSES.

| | 5-6 p.m. | 6-7 p'm. |
|---|---|---|
| Monday | Theory & Practice of Teaching<br>Shorthand | Arithmetic<br>Book-keeping |
| Tuesday | Drawing | Rhetoric |
| Wednesday | Advanced Maths: I. (Elements of Calculus)<br>Geometry | Trigonometry<br>Algebra |
| Friday | Advanced Maths: II. (Conic Sections) | Literature |
| | 9-10 a.m. | 10-11 a.m. |
| Saturday | English Composition<br>Theoretical and Chemistry | Geography<br>Practical |

*Length of Term.*—The Second Term of the Third Year will commence on Monday, March 15, and terminate on Saturday, June 5.

*Fees.*—Although organized primarily for teachers in the Municipal Schools for Chinese, the Normal School will be open to other teachers and students on the following terms:—

Exclusive of Practical and Theoretical Inorganic Chemistry.

| | |
|---|---|
| One Subject per term | $ 5 |
| Two or more subjects per term | $10 |
| Practical and Theoretical Inorganic Chemistry per term | $10 |

*Registration.*—The Principal will be in attendance at the Public School for Chinese on Friday, March 12, from 4.30 to 7 o'clock p.m., to receive fees and to admit students. All fees are payable in advance.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2681.**

**7% LOAN, 1919.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for debentures in this loan will close on Friday, March 12.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 4, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2682.**

**ROAD PLANS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that plans showing new roads, extension and widening of existing roads, and extension of lands already occupied by public works and for purposes of sanitation, in the Five Districts of the Settlement, as required in Articles VI and VIA of the Land Regulations, are now open to inspection at the Public Works Office. Copies thereof, when prepared, will be sent to the several Consular Land Offices.

Landowners and agents are reminded that, under the provisions of Land Regulation VIA proprietors have the right, for three months after the publication of notice that the plans are open to inspection, to protest in writing against any road, extension or widening of road, or extension of public works, or establishment of sanitary building or works, therein scheduled, following thereafter the procedure laid down in that Regulation.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 4, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2683.**

**THOMAS HANBURY SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Music Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls. The successful candidate will be required to teach music for 20 hours per week. Pay, not exceeding Tls. 100 per mensem, according to qualifications.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2684.**

**THOMAS HANBURY SCHOOL FOR BOYS.**

THE attention of parents is directed to the following revised scale of fees which will have effect from March 1, 1920:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Boarders | $30 per mensem |
| Day Scholars | 9 per mensem |

The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions:—

| | |
|---|---|
| *For a family of* | |
| 2 children | $1.80 |
| 3 or more children | 3.00 |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2685.**

**MOTOR FREIGHT VEHICLES AND FREIGHT TRAILERS.**

THE Public is hereby notified that on and after April 1, all owners of Motor Freight Vehicles and Freight Trailers will be required to take out a special licence under Bye-law XXXIV.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

MOTOR FREIGHT VEHICLES.

(Including Freight Vehicles propelled by steam or electricity or by internal combustion engines.)

CONDITIONS.

1. That unless with the consent of the Council this licence be not transferable to any other person and refers only to the vehicle in respect of which it is issued, which vehicle is described in the application made for this licence.
2. That the licensee and the man in charge of the vehicle conform to all Police regulations in force for the time being.

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3. That each wheel of the vehicle be fitted with tyres made of rubber or other soft or elastic material to be approved by the Council.
4. That the chassis weight, the body weight allowance, the maximum freight capacity authorized by the makers and the gross weight of the vehicle be shown on a plate affixed in a conspicuous position on the vehicle and remain at all times legible and undefaced.
5. That the over-all length of the vehicle including the body or other structure be not more than 24 feet; and that the over-all width including the body or other structure be not more than 7 feet 6 inches.
6. That the over-hang of the vehicle be not more than one-fourth of its over-all length and be measured from the centre of the rear axle to the rear of the frame or body or other structure built upon the chassis.
7. That the number of the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous position at the back of the vehicle; that the figures be 3½ inches high and in all parts ⅝ of one inch broad; that the width of the space occupied by each figure, except the figure 1 be 2½ inches, that the space between adjoining figures be ½ of one inch; that such number be white on a black background and remain at all times legible and undefaced and that such number be used only on the vehicle in respect of which the licence is issued.
8. That between sunset and sunrise the vehicle carry two lighted lamps in front, one on each side, so constructed and placed as to exhibit a white light visible within a reasonable distance in front and a lighted tail lamp showing a red light behind and a white light to the left so placed as to render the number of the licence clearly visible within a reasonable distance, that such tail lamp be kept free from mud oil or other material which may tend to obscure the light therefrom; that where head-lights only are carried in front, they be provided with a suitable means of reducing the power of the light; that within the area east of Carter Road and west of Muirhead Road the use of head-lights be permitted only when their full power is suitably reduced; and that these and other lamps carried be subject to approval by the Council.
9. That no load be carried by the vehicle which will result in a greater wheel load than that indicated by the following table:—

| Diameter of Wheel | Maximum of load per inch width of tyre |
|---|---|
| 2′0″ | 600 lbs. |
| 2′6″ | 670 ,, |
| 2′9″ | 710 ,, |
| 3′0″ | 750 ,, |
| 3′3″ | 780 ,, |
| 3′6″ | 810 ,, |
| 3′9″ | 840 ,, |
| 4′0″ | 870 ,, |

10. That the vehicle carry an instrument, other than a bell or gong, capable of giving audible and sufficient warning of approach or position, and that such instrument be subject to approval by the Council.
11. That the vehicle be fitted with efficient splash guards.
12. That proper precautions be taken to prevent exhaust pipes discharging in such a manner as to cause annoyance to the public.
13. That the speed of the vehicle be adjusted to the traffic, more especially at street crossings or corners, at sharp curves and in narrow roads and that, when its gross weight exceeds 7,000 lbs., the speed be not in excess of 12 miles per hour or, if drawing a trailer, 9 miles per hour.
14. That the driver be provided with a permit to be given him after examination by a Board to be appointed by the Council.
15. That the driver produce the licence and his own permit when called upon to do so by the Police.
16. That the licensee be responsible for any damage done through the negligence of the man in charge of the vehicle.
17. That only one trailer be drawn by the vehicle at any one time, that its maximum freight capacity be not in excess of that of the vehicle, and that it be duly licensed.
18. That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
19. That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEES.*

(a) Where gross weight does not exceed 4,000 lbs., Tls. 14 per quarter.
(b) Over 4,000 and up to 8,000 lbs., Tls. 20 per quarter.
(c) Over 8,000 and up to 12,000 lbs., Tls. 24 per quarter.
(d) Over 12,000 and up to 16,000 lbs., Tls. 30 per quarter.
(e) Over 16,000 and up to 20,000 lbs., Tls. 40 per quarter.
(f) Over 20,000 and up to 24,000 lbs., Tls. 50 per quarter.
(g) Over 24,000 lbs. by special arrangement.

For motor freight vehicles operating as vehicles for hire or as public freight carriers the fees are 50 per cent. in excess of those set out in the above scale.

The gross weight of a vehicle comprises the weight of the chassis, the body weight allowance and the maximum freight capacity authorized by the makers of the vehicle.

*Subject to approval at the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Ratepayers.

NOTE.

Standard number plates are obtainable gratis upon application to the Revenue Office.

This licence is not available for the French Settlement.

## FREIGHT TRAILERS.

CONDITIONS.

1. That unless with the consent of the Council this licence be not transferable to any other person and refers only to the trailer in respect of which it is issued, which trailer is described in the application made for this licence.
2. That the trailer shall at all times carry a man-in-charge who shall ride thereon.
3. That the licensee and the man in charge of the trailer conform to all Police regulations in force for the time being.
4. That each wheel of the trailer be fitted with tyres made of rubber or other soft or elastic material to be approved by the Council.
5. That the chassis weight, the body weight allowance, the maximum freight capacity authorized by the makers and the gross weight of the trailer be shown on a plate affixed in a conspicuous position on the trailer and remain at all times legible and undefaced.
6. That the over-all length of the trailer including the body or other structure be not more than 20 feet; and that the over-all width including the body or other structure be not more than that of the vehicle by which it is drawn.
7. That the over-hang of the trailer be not more than one-fourth of its over-all length and be measured from the centre of the rear axle to the rear of the frame or body or other structure built upon the chassis.
8. That the number of the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous position at the back of the trailer, that the figures be 3½ inches high and in all parts ⅝ of one inch broad; that the width of the space occupied by each figure, except the figure 1. be 2½ inches; that the space between adjoining figures be ½ of one inch; that such number be white on a black background and remain at all times legible and undefaced; and that such number be used only on the trailer in respect of which the licence is issued.
9. That between sunset and sunrise the trailer carry two lighted tail lamps placed one above the other at the right-hand side of the trailer showing red lights behind and white lights to the left so placed as to render the number of the licence clearly visible within a reasonable distance, that such tail lamps be kept free from mud, oil or other material which may tend to obscure the light therefrom
10. That the maximum freight capacity of the trailer be not more than that of the vehicle by which it is drawn.

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11. That no load be carried by the trailer which will result in a greater wheel load than that indicated by the following table:—

| Diameter of Wheel | Maximum of load per inch width of tyre |
|---|---|
| 2'0" | 600 lbs. |
| 2'6" | 670 ,, |
| 2'9" | 710 ,, |
| 3'0" | 750 ,, |
| 3'3" | 780 ,, |
| 3'6" | 810 ,, |
| 3'9" | 840 ,, |
| 4'0" | 870 ,, |

12. That the trailer be fitted with efficient splash guards.
13. That the trailer be equipped with a drawbar and steering device to be approved by the Council and such as will ensure its following the same course as the vehicle by which it is drawn.
14. That the man in charge of the trailer produce the licence when called upon to do so by the Police.
15. That the licensee be responsible for any damage done through the negligence of the man in charge of the trailer.
16. That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
17. That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEES.*

(a) Where gross weight does not exceed 4,000 lbs., Tls. 10 per quarter.
(b) Over 4,000 and up to 8,000 lbs., Tls. 14 per quarter.
(c) Over 8,000 and up to 12,000 lbs., Tls. 17 per quarter.
(d) Over 12,000 and up to 16,000 lbs., Tls. 21 per quarter.
(e) Over 16,000 and up to 20,000 lbs., Tls. 28 per quarter.
(f) Over 20,000 and up to 24,000 lbs., Tls. 35 per quarter.
(g) Over 24,000 lbs. by special arrangement.

For freight trailers operating as vehicles for hire or as public freight carriers the fees are 50 per cent. in excess of those set out in the above scale.

The gross weight of a freight trailer comprises the weight of the chassis, the body weight allowance and the maximum freight capacity authorized by the makers of the vehicle.

*Subject to approval at the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Ratepayers.

NOTE.

Standard number plates are obtainable gratis upon application to the Revenue Office.

This licence is not available for the French Settlement.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2686.
### HOUSE REFUSE REMOVAL.

THE Council invites tenders for the Removal of House Refuse from the Settlement for one year beginning May 1, 1920. The Council will bring the House Refuse to the Shoots.

The Contractor will have the privilege of selling House Refuse. Further particulars and tender forms can be obtained from the Health Officer, Honan Road, at 11 a.m. daily, except on Sundays.

Tenders to be sent to the undersigned before noon on April 1, tenders received after that time and date will not be considered.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2687.
### LOAN OF 1900.

THE debentures outstanding under the Municipal Loan of 1900 will be paid on presentation at the Finance Department, if properly endorsed by the registered owner, on and after June 30, 1920, from which date interest will cease.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Special Vice Committee held on Friday, March 5, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
L. E. Canning
Mrs. D. Henman
Messrs. W. P. Lambe
W. D. McCallum
S. C. Lin
Dr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 6.45 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Monday, March 8, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
J. H. Dollar
W. P. Lambe
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mr. D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 7 o'clock p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, March 10, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mr. D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 6.20 p.m.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Staff.*—Three months' leave is granted to Captain C. H. Godfrey, Engineer Staff Officer, from March 4.

*The Engineers.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, Capt. C. D. Pearson is transferred to the Reserve of Officers.

### Police Force.

*Foreign Branch Quarters.*—The leases from Messrs. The Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. of Nos. 5 and 7 Macgregor Road and Nos. 21A and 22A Yangtszepoo Road, have been renewed for a further period of three years terminating on April 30, 1923.

### Sewage Disposal.

Further report by the Commissioner of Public Works in continuation of that published in the Gazette of December 25, 1919.

Shanghai, February 24, 1920.

In continuation of my report of November 22, 1919 I recommend that the sewage of the eastern portion of the Central District be treated on the plot of land belonging to the Council at the north-east corner of the Rifle Range.

I now propose to comply with the Council's instructions to me to proceed to Singapore and Rangoon probably meeting Professor Fowler at Bangalore.

It will be remembered that I was to go into the question of high water pressure supply at Singapore; their main drainage and system of sewage disposal is also of importance.

Rangoon is probably the only other place in the world which is faced with the same problem as we have in Shanghai and the "Ejector System" in operation there is probably the best criterion as to what should or should not be adopted in Shanghai.

The question of converting native latrines from the pail system to the water flushed system, a point on which Professor Fowler laid great emphasis can only be investigated in India.

The urgency of the Sewage question and Water Supply is becoming more and more apparent as time goes on.

C. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

The Commissioner of Public Works has left for Singapore and Rangoon.

### Public Band.

On Sunday next, March 14, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

SEVENTEENTH CONCERT.

1.—Overture "Mignon" Thomas
2.—Suite "Pierrot and Pierrette" Burgmein
(a) Pierrot's Serenade
(b) The Love Duet
(c) The Wedding Dance
(d) The Wedding Procession

3.—Symphony No. 3 in F. Major "In the Forest" Raff
(a) Allegro
(b) Largo
(c) Allegro assai
(d) Allegro

A. DE KEYGER,
*Conductor-in-Charge.*

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## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MARCH 6.

*Fire Brigade.*—Mr. E. Puttergill is appointed Supervising Fireman under agreement from February 13.

Mr. C. F. Davis is appointed Mechanic on probation from February 3.

*Police Force.*—Sergeant F. Langford was permitted to terminate his service on February 29.

Sikh Constable Nos. 117 Sewa Singh, and 212 Atma Singh, are discharged, invalided, from March 1.

Japanese Interpreter T. Maruyama is permitted to terminate his service on March 31.

The following promotions are authorized from March 1:—

To be Chief Inspector:—

Inspector J. McGregor.

To be Inspector:—

Sub-Inspector T. P. Givens.

To be Sub-Inspectors:—Sergeant-Major and Drill Instructor W. E. Fairbairn, Sergeants P. Lavelle, J. A. Mackenzie, A. J. P. Coghlan, P. J. Dunne, T. Elliot, J. Wilson, C. Morris, W. Abbott, B. J. Selvey, E. W. Everson and T. Dunne.

Warder W. C. Grant is promoted to be Senior Warder from January 1.

Constable R. M. Tinkler is transferred for duty at the Mixed Court from March 1.

Sergeants M. O'Regan and J. Hamilton are permitted to terminate their service on May 9 and May 31, respectively.

Long leave is granted to Sergeant P. Curtin from May 26 to December 25, the date of expiry of his agreement, whereupon his service will terminate.

*Health Department.*—The appointment of Inspector J. E. Fensham, is confirmed under an agreement from September 28, 1919, terminable at three months' notice.

*Public Works Department.*—Three months' special leave is granted to Mr. C. H. Godfrey, Commissioner of Public Works, from March 4. During his absence, Mr. C. Harpur, Deputy Commissioner, will undertake the duties of Commissioner of Public Works.

Captain C. H. Hopkins is appointed Engineering Assistant on three months' probation from March 1.

Mr. W. Stuart, temporary Clerical Assistant, is permitted to terminate his service on March 7.

*Electricity Department.*—Miss O. Grant is appointed Stenographer and Typist on three months' probation from February 16.

Long leave is granted to the following:—

Mr. W. T. Bertenshaw, Clerical Assistant, from April 1.

Mr. J. F. Jones, Electrical Assistant in Power Station, from October 1.

Mr. C. J. Curtis is appointed Yard Foreman on probation from February 2.

*Public Band.*—Mr. F. Ponomaroff is appointed Musician on probation from January 27.

*Educational Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. L. H. Turner, Headmaster, Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, from March 13.

*Secretariat.*—Miss C. Allan, Stenographer and Typist, is permitted to terminate her service on March 31.

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, March 7, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Diphtheria | 2 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 22 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 3 | 2 |
| Influenza | — | 14 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 195 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 81B | Kiangse | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | latrine and refuse bin work-shed |
| 806 | East Yalu | J. F. Takaki | | | |
| 980 | Yochow | K. T. J. Pugh | | 1 | |
| 4308 | Markham | Hong Yue Cotton Mill Co., Ld. | | 1 | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 406 | Hankow | Koo Piao, Kiao Nyi Soo | | | addns. |
| 353, 353A | Tientsin, Fokien, Chihli & Been Teen Loong | S. V. Chen | 39 | | 2 gate-houses |
| 806 | East Yalu | J. F. Takaki | | | addns. |
| N of 381 | Urga | King Kee | 11 | | |

## Report of Acting Commissioner of Police for February.

Strength of the Force on February 29.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 220 | |
| Japanese | 27 | |
| Sikhs | 682 | |
| Chinese | 1,455 | 2,393 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 91 | |
| Followers | 230 | 321 |
| | Total | 2,714 |

*Burglaries.*—It is necessary again to call attention to the precautions advised in last month's police report and in the press in regard to the fastening of verandah windows and shutters. In almost all cases of burglary entry is effected in the manner described therein, and a recently captured burglar has impressed upon the police the fact that unless the windows and shutters are secured in some way in addition to the ordinary top and bottom bolts, entry presents little difficulty to an experienced man.

On the early morning of February 28 a burglar was caught in the British Consular Compound by Mr. A. D. Blackburn, British Assessor at the Mixed Court, and handed over to the Police. On being finger-printed he was found to be the person responsible for 6 recent cases of burglary in the Settlement.

*Stolen Property.*—During the month 315 reports of stolen property were received by the police. These included 41 cases of burglary, 19 of house-breaking, 1 of shop-breaking and 3 of godown breaking. In 104 of these cases investigation was made with successful results.

*Robberies.*—During the month the police received 4 reports of armed robbery from dwelling houses, 1 of attempted armed robbery from a dwelling house, 8 of armed highway robberies and 5 of highway robberies in which no arms were used.

*Executions.*—Nine persons convicted of armed robbery in the Settlement were executed at Loongwha in the presence of a representative of the Municipal Police during the month.

*Bomb Explosions.*—A bomb exploded on a balcony of the "New World" on the evening of February 20. Another bomb explosion took place outside a dwelling house in an alley off Nanking Road on February 22. In neither case was anyone injured or serious damage done.

*Counterfeit Money.*—During the month 2 men were arrested for uttering spurious 20-cent pieces and were sentenced to 1 year and 3 months' imprisonment respectively. Another man was arrested on a charge of uttering forged rupee notes and was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment.

*Violent Deaths.*—A quarrel which terminated fatally took place on Manila Road on February 7, the victim dying from injuries inflicted with a chopper in the hands of a burglar from whom he was attempting to extort hush money.

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On February 5, as the result of a trivial quarrel, a coolie was injured on the Old Ningpo Wharf and subsequently died in hospital. His assailant was arrested and sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment.

On February 13 a Chinese died in hospital from wounds inflicted on him the day before by a number of men outside a teashop in Taku Road. Three of the latter were arrested by the police.

On February 4 a burglar against whom there were 3 previous convictions was found in a house in East Yuhang Road by 2 of the inmates who handled him so severely that he died on the way to the police station. The persons responsible were formally charged before the Mixed Court and were released.

*Crime Outside Settlement Limits.*—Two cases of murder and 13 of robbery and piracy were reported during the month in the immediate neighbourhood of the Settlement.

*Strikes.*—500 workers employed in the Carding Room of the San Sing Cotton Mill, 87 Yangtszepoo Road, struck work on February 25 as a protest against the summary discharge of one of their number. 100 of the strikers resumed work on February 27 while the remainder were still out at the end of the month.

*German Prisoners of War.*—More than 800 German prisoners of War, who have been interned in Japan for some years, passed through Shanghai on February 2 en route for Germany.

*Political.*—An association called the People's Society was organized early in February to strengthen the Anti-Japanese boycott and the popular opposition to direct negotiations with Japan on the Shantung question. This society seems to be an offshoot of the National Organizations' Union of China and has its offices in the headquarters of that Union at Nos. 15 and 16 Yong Loh Lee (永樂里) off Rue Kraetzer, in the French Settlement. Following its formation it convened a series of meetings, the most important of which took place in the Public Recreation Ground, near St. Catherine's Bridge, on February 9, and was attended by over 6,000 people. The Chairman of the Students' Union presided. He and other speakers addressed the meeting concerning the arrest of students in Tientsin, the 21 demands of Japan, the Shantung question and the Foochow incident. They urged their hearers not to recognize the Peking government and to insist on the dismissal and punishment of the Civil Governor of Chihli and the Chief of the Tientsin Police. A petition embodying these demands was drawn up, and a small deputation followed by a large crowd proceeded to Loongwha for the purpose of presenting it to the Acting Military Governor. On the way the procession was stopped by a body of troops drawn up across the road, but the deputation was allowed to proceed. The Acting Military Governor being officially absent at Hangchow the petition was handed to one of his subordinates; and after considerable parley of a somewhat heated nature, the deputation eventually withdrew. Similar petitions were also presented to the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs and to the Shanghai Taoyin.

To further emphasise the demands of the meeting efforts were made to persuade the shopkeepers in the City to suspend business on February 10. For this purpose a large procession to start from the Public Recreation Ground was arranged for the afternoon of that day. The movement was not successful, however; and it was obvious, possibly owing to the imminence of the New Year, that the bulk of the people were not particularly interested.

The Amalgamated Association of Street Unions began during the month to foster an agitation against the licensing of tobacco and exchange shops in the Settlement, but a summons to these shop owners to meet at its headquarters on February 15 met with such a poor response that the idea was eventually abandoned. The Association is now apparently giving its attention to the compilation of a list of persons entitled to vote under a proposed revision of the bye-laws which it compiled and circulated last November.

Political events in Siberia have brought into prominence locally the activities of Russian Socialists. Meetings organized by leaders of this group were held in the Russian Employment Bureau on the premises of the American Naval Y. M. C. A. on Avenue Edward VII on February 8 and 15. About 150 persons were present on each occasion. Opposition to the present Diplomatic and Consular representatives of Russia in China was voiced at both meetings and the advisability of exercising supervision over the Russo-Asiatic Bank was also discussed. A Committee of seven to attend to these matters and to devise means to bring about friendly relations between Chinese democratic organizations and the new government in Siberia was selected. The 2 most prominent members of that Committee have since left Shanghai for Vladivostock. Articles appearing in the "Shanghai Life," a local Russian newspaper, indicate that these political agitators have its support.

Considerable activity was noticeable in labour circles during the month. The drafting of rules for the Chinese Labourers' Union, which will be an affiliation of the principal trade unions in Shanghai, was continued and two new societies were formed. One of the latter is called The Ship and Godown Workers' Union, and it is worthy of note that at a meeting of its members held in No. Y.1746 North Szechuen Road on February 29 the principal speaker was a Russian Communist.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 424 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 144 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 162 records were received from the French Police out of which number 60 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| For Identification | 586 | |
| Identified | 204 | |
| Percentage | 35 | |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | | 7 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | | 50 |
| | | 57 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 22.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 225 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 55 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 40 | *Second offenders.* |
| 25 | *Third offenders.* |
| 5 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 74 | *Habitual offenders* (serious). |
| 424 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for February.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. | Tls. | 1,897.12 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | | 994.49 |
| Total | Tls. | 902.63 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. | 902.63 |

Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.

A. HILTON-JOHNSON,
*Acting Commissioner of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:—* | |
| Assault | 2 |
| Deserters | 2 |
| 2.—*Offences Against Property:—* | |
| False pretences | 1 |
| Larceny | 2 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:—* | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:—* | |
| Dog | 1 |
| Liquor | 1 |
| Motor Cars | 3 |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:—* | |
| Fire-arms | 1 |
| Nuisance | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 2 |
| Gambling | 10 |
| Keeping for sale smuggled opium | 1 |
| Vagrancy | 1 |
| Total | 28 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,128 | 1,128 |
| Others | 31 | 727 | 758 |
| Total | 31 | 1,855 | 1,886 |

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**RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Cautioned | 1 |
| Dismissed | 1 |
| Fined | 5 |
| Handed over to Military Escort | 2 |
| Imprisonment | 3 |
| Imprisonment and Fined | 2 |
| Remanded | 14 |
| Total | 28 |

**PRISONERS IN CUSTODY**

on February 29.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 6 |
| Louza Station | — |
| Hongkew Station | 15 |
| Harbin Road Station | 10 |
| West Hongkew Station | 5 |
| Wayside Station | 15 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 5 |
| Sinza Station | 4 |
| Bubbling Well Station | — |
| Gordon Road Station | 2 |
| Gaol | 1,459 |
| Reformatory | 62 |
| Total | 1,583 |

**VEHICLE LICENCES.**

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 422 | 550 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 422 | 550 |

**VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN**

January 31 and February 27, 1920.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 37,357.50 |
| Recovered | 13,303.80 |

**DOGS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 31/1/20 | 27 | 235 |
| Captured | 208 | |
| Returned | 39 | 235 |
| Killed | 156 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 4 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 36 | |

## Health Officer's Report for February.

During February the sub-epidemic incidence of Influenza, which has been present since November, continued; and there was an increase in the number of deaths returned as Pneumonia.

Since the epidemic of Cerebrospinal fever in Hongkong early in 1918 cases have occurred in Shanghai in small numbers during the late winter months. Previous to 1918 cases were reported in the Yangtsze valley from time to time, but no such epidemic as occurred in Hongkong is known to have been previously described in China.

Smallpox continued absent, but this should not be a reason for neglecting vaccination. It is indeed due to past attention to vaccination that the present immunity is due. Free vaccination was stopped at the Branch Health Offices during the inclement weather; to be resumed after the Chinese New Year when the coming of spring always brings crowds of babies for vaccination.

The water supply continued turbid but towards the end of the month showed a return to its normal purity. The incidence of the Typhoid fevers, which is usually an index to the prevalence of water-borne disease, showed no sign of exceptional increase.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**DEATHS.**

| | Foreign. Resident | Foreign. Non-resident. | Chinese. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 3 | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 | 7 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| Tuberculosis | 4 | 1 | 81 |
| Beri-beri | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| Influenza | 2 | 1 | 58 |
| From all causes | 44 | 11 | 712 |

**INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 1 |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 4 |
| Diphtheria | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 |
| Dysentery | 1 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 2 |

**ISOLATION HOSPITAL.**

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases Admitted – Diphtheria | 4 | 3 |
| Scarlet Fever | 4 | 5 |
| Cerebrospinal fever | 1 | 6 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 | 0 |
| Other Diseases | 11 | 29 |
| Discharged | 30 | 44 |
| Died | 1 | 1 |
| Remaining last day of month | 18 | 24 |

**MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 5,682 |
| Bacterial " " | 164 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 4 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 1,710 |
| Analyses | 59 |

**VICTORIA NURSING HOME.**

| | Cases admitted. | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 24 | 11 |
| Surgical | 45 | 5 |
| Maternity | 15 | 3 |
| Mental | 4 | 0 |
| Infectious | 0 | 2 |
| Total | 88 | 21 |

**SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.**

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen | 1,387 | 3 | 1,387 | 0 | 0 |
| Sheep | 2,844 | 1 | 2,844 | 8 | 0 |
| Calves | 322 | 0 | 322 | 0 | 1 |
| Pigs | 285 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

**GENERAL SANITARY WORK.**

| | District: Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 3 | 10 | 2 | 5 | 20 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 14 | 64 | 59 | 31 | 168 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 49 | 69 | 96 | 162 | 376 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 603 | 949 | 917 | 1,340 | 3,809 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 1 | 30 | 236 | 45 | 312 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 4 |
| Defective drainage amended | 28 | 24 | 36 | 15 | 103 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 3 | 0 | 11 | 2 | 16 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 0 | 8 | 20 | 28 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 20 | 14 | 8 | 42 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 9 | 10 | 19 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 10 | 11 | 7 | 9 | 37 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 48 | 56 | 60 | 20 | 184 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 8 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 0 | 12 | 17 | 21 | 50 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 0 | 755 | 1,210 | 370 | 2,335 |
| Outside hawkers licensed | 490 | 605 | 463 | 282 | 1,840 |
| Food prosecutions | 0 | 26 | 3 | 1 | 30 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 0 | 22 | 3 | 0 | 25 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 0 | 2 | 12 | 0 | 14 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,586 | 2,850 | 1,588 | 3,004 | 11,028 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 8,105 | 4,152 | 2,467 | 1,960 | 16,684 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 2 401 | 406 | 173 | 435 | 3,415 |

**MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.**

| Known as | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Passa Leao | Adelaida Rangel | N. Szechuen Road Extension | 41.9% added water |
| Yuen Chong | Yau Z Kya | M. 756 Avenue Road | 6.1% added water |
| Loong Dah | Tsa Zung Shing | 51 Ferry Road | Addition of starch |

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SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 200 | 514 | 174 | 341 | 1229 |
| Rats plague infected ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation .... | 800 | 2600 | 2000 | 400 | 5800 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 768 | 2678 | 1724 | 733 | 5903 |
| Poisoned baits laid ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier ..... | 0 | 0 | 152 | 0 | 152 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner..... | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.

Sample received February 26, 1920.

Report sent out March 2, 1920.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.

Physical Characters.—Pronounced turbidity and greyish yellow colour. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Suspended Solid matter | 2.1 |
| Solid Matter in Solution | 13.9 |
| (a) Volatile | 9.9 |
| (b) Fixed | 4.0 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 9.6 |
| (a) Temporary | 5.2 |
| (b) Permanent | 4.4 |
| Chlorine | 2.3 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.048 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.003 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.008 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° C. | 0.050. |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° and 37° C. showed an average of 144 and 14 micro-organisms per cubic centimetre respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in quantities of 1.5 c.cs. and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—The chlorine content, which during January had been marked owing to sea-water admixture due to lowness of the rivers, fell to normal on February 7 after 7 days rain. The water continued turbid during the month, the suspended matter being fine enough to pass through filter paper. The quantity of suspended matter is given in this report for the first time. The water is organically purer and the bacterial content very considerably reduced.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬章程

一 所有各項本局承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 所有承攬人須行未定估定之價必准攬本局自有權利

三 人須到定局之價必認價目是極低本局有全份權

四 所有承攬人須以後登入各人之信封公報及承辦理的實保自寄

五 本局有取阻其錢明清局之票攬本辦理付認付人局

六 明所收必將款一律退還所有此須俟承攬內錢知之

七 後仍將款一律退還所有此須俟承攬內錢知之

八 本局有取阻其錢明清局之票攬本辦理付認付人局

九 所有各人之信封公報及承辦理的實保自寄

十 所有各項本局承攬事件由英文開列於下

十一 面寫其有承攬信函明送到處江項工程期二物固必加蓋於蓋火信

十二 部局之總承攬信函明送到處江項工程期二物固必加蓋於蓋火信

十三 二時之總承攬信函明送到處江項工程期二物固必加蓋於蓋火信

十四 日前辦送攬玉何信塵實封日十號於蓋火信

十五 在最送信定路料等固必加蓋於蓋火信

十六 西善以信期二物固必加蓋於蓋火信

十七 工用送期二物固必加蓋於蓋火信

十八 所此次信期二物固必加蓋於蓋火信

十九 有清單來信期二物固必加蓋於蓋火信

二十 信送時之總承攬信函明送到處江項工程期二物固必加蓋於蓋火信

二十一 部局寫其有承攬信函明送到處江項工程期二物固必加蓋於蓋火信

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 149 | Bean Oil, during 9 months from April 1<br>750 to 800 Catties per mensem | — | March 15, Noon |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 195 | 20 Miles of Bare Copper Cable | Tls. 5 | March 18, Noon |
| 196 | 13 ,, of Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | do. ,, |
| 197 | 8 ,, of Vulcanised Cable | Tls. 5 | do. ,, |
| 198 | 112 Induction Motors (Copies of the Specification may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road on or after Tuesday, March 9)<br>Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 1, ,, |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 541

Electric Wiring Work at Yangtszepoo Fire Station

| | |
|---|---|
| Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld. | Tls. 2,300 |
| Scott, Harding & Co. | 2,250 |
| *China Investment and Trading Co., Inc. | 1,900 |

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## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice:—

That a Public Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall on Wednesday, April 7, 1920, at 2 o'clock p.m. precisely, to devise ways and means of raising the requisite funds for Municipal purposes, and to pass resolutions in reference thereto and to deliberate and decide upon other Municipal matters and business. At such meeting the accounts of the Council for the year ending December 31, 1919, will be submitted for the sanction and approval of the Ratepayers.

Shanghai, March 16, 1920.

D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium.*
T. RAASCHOU,
*Consul-General for Denmark and Acting Consul-General for Sweden.*
E. D. H. FRASER,
*Consul-General for Great Britain.*
V. GROSSE,
*Consul-General for Russia.*
G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy*
K. YAMASAKI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*
E. S. CUNNINGHAM,
*Consul-General for the United States of America.*
R. REAU,
*Consul-General for France.*
S. STECKMEST,
*Acting Consul-General for Norway.*
J. A. SCHUURMAN,
*Consul for the Netherlands.*
ANTONIO M. DA SILVA,
*Acting Consul-General for Portugal.*
HUGO REISS,
*Consul for Brazil.*
JULIO PALENCIA,
*Consul for Spain.*

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2682.**

**ROAD PLANS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that plans showing new roads, extension and widening of existing roads, and extension of lands already occupied by public works and for purposes of sanitation, in the Five Districts of the Settlement, as required in Articles VI and VIA of the Land Regulations, are now open to inspection at the Public Works Office. Copies thereof, when prepared, will be sent to the several Consular Land Offices.

Landowners and agents are reminded that, under the provisions of Land Regulation VIA proprietors have the right, for three months after the publication of notice that the plans are open to inspection, to protest in writing against any road, extension or widening of road, or extension of public works, or establishment of sanitary building or works, therein scheduled, following thereafter the procedure laid down in that Regulation.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 4, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2684.**

**THOMAS HANBURY SCHOOL FOR BOYS.**

THE attention of parents is directed to the following revised scale of fees which will have effect from March 1, 1920:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Boarders | $30 per mensem |
| Day Scholars | 9 per mensem |

The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions:—

*For a family of*

| | |
|---|---|
| 2 children | $1.80 |
| 3 or more children | 3.00 |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2685.**

**MOTOR FREIGHT VEHICLES AND FREIGHT TRAILERS.**

THE Public is hereby notified that on and after April 1, all owners of Motor Freight Vehicles and Freight Trailers will be required to take out a special licence under Bye-law XXXIV.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

MOTOR FREIGHT VEHICLES.
(Including Freight Vehicles propelled by steam or electricity or by internal combustion engines.)

CONDITIONS.

1. That unless with the consent of the Council this licence be not transferable to any other person and refers only to the vehicle in respect of which it is issued, which vehicle is described in the application made for this licence.
2. That the licensee and the man in charge of the vehicle conform to all Police regulations in force for the time being.
3. That each wheel of the vehicle be fitted with tyres made of rubber or other soft or elastic material to be approved by the Council.
4. That the chassis weight, the body weight allowance, the maximum freight capacity authorized by the makers and the gross weight of the vehicle be shown on a plate affixed in a conspicuous position on the vehicle and remain at all times legible and undefaced.
5. That the over-all length of the vehicle including the body or other structure be not more than 24 feet; and that the over-all width including the body or other structure be not more than 7 feet 6 inches.
6. That the over-hang of the vehicle be not more than one-fourth of its over-all length and be measured from the centre of the rear axle to the rear of the frame or body or other structure built upon the chassis.
7. That the number of the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous position at the back of the vehicle; that the figures be 3½ inches high and in all parts ⅝ of one inch broad; that the width of the space occupied by each figure, except the figure 1 be 2½ inches, that the space between adjoining figures be ½ of one inch; that such number be white on a black background and remain at all times legible and undefaced and that such number be used only on the vehicle in respect of which the licence is issued.
8. That between sunset and sunrise the vehicle carry two lighted lamps in front, one on each side, so constructed and placed as to exhibit a white light visible within a reasonable distance in front and a lighted tail lamp showing a red light behind and a white light to the left so placed as to render the number of the licence clearly visible within a reasonable distance, that such tail lamp be kept free from mud oil or other material which may tend to obscure the light therefrom; that where head-lights only are carried in front, they be provided with a suitable means of reducing the power of the light; that within the area east of Carter Road and west of Muirhead Road the use of head-lights be permitted only when their full power is suitably reduced: and that these and other lamps carried be subject to approval by the Council.
9. That no load be carried by the vehicle which will result in a greater wheel load than that indicated by the following table:—

| Diameter of Wheel | Maximum of load per inch width of tyre |
|---|---|
| 2′0″ | 600 lbs. |
| 2′6″ | 670 ,, |
| 2′9″ | 710 ,, |
| 3′0″ | 750 ,, |
| 3′3″ | 780 ,, |
| 3′6″ | 810 ,, |
| 3′9″ | 840 ,, |
| 4′0″ | 870 ,, |

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10. That the vehicle carry an instrument, other than a bell or gong, capable of giving audible and sufficient warning of approach or position, and that such instrument be subject to approval by the Council.
11. That the vehicle be fitted with efficient splash guards.
12. That proper precautions be taken to prevent exhaust pipes discharging in such a manner as to cause annoyance to the public.
13. That the speed of the vehicle be adjusted to the traffic, more especially at street crossings or corners, at sharp curves and in narrow roads and that, when its gross weight exceeds 7,000 lbs., the speed be not in excess of 12 miles per hour or, if drawing a trailer, 9 miles per hour.
14. That the driver be provided with a permit to be given him after examination by a Board to be appointed by the Council.
15. That the driver produce the licence and his own permit when called upon to do so by the Police.
16. That the licensee be responsible for any damage done through the negligence of the man in charge of the vehicle.
17. That only one trailer be drawn by the vehicle at any one time, that its maximum freight capacity be not in excess of that of the vehicle, and that it be duly licensed.
18. That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
19. That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEES.*

(a) Where gross weight does not exceed 4,000 lbs., Tls. 14 per quarter.
(b) Over 4,000 and up to 8,000 lbs., Tls. 20 per quarter.
(c) Over 8,000 and up to 12,000 lbs., Tls. 24 per quarter.
(d) Over 12,000 and up to 16,000 lbs., Tls. 30 per quarter.
(e) Over 16,000 and up to 20,000 lbs., Tls. 40 per quarter.
(f) Over 20,000 and up to 24,000 lbs., Tls. 50 per quarter.
(g) Over 24,000 lbs. by special arrangement.

For motor freight vehicles operating as vehicles for hire or as public freight carriers the fees are 50 per cent. in excess of those set out in the above scale.

The gross weight of a vehicle comprises the weight of the chassis, the body weight allowance and the maximum freight capacity authorized by the makers of the vehicle.

*Subject to approval at the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Ratepayers.

NOTE.

Standard number plates are obtainable gratis upon application to the Revenue Office.

This licence is not available for the French Settlement.

## FREIGHT TRAILERS.

CONDITIONS.

1. That unless with the consent of the Council this licence be not transferable to any other person and refers only to the trailer in respect of which it is issued, which trailer is described in the application made for this licence.
2. That the trailer shall at all times carry a man-in-charge who shall ride thereon.
3. That the licensee and the man in charge of the trailer conform to all Police regulations in force for the time being.
4. That each wheel of the trailer be fitted with tyres made of rubber or other soft or elastic material to be approved by the Council.
5. That, the chassis weight, the body weight allowance, the maximum freight capacity authorized by the makers and the gross weight of the trailer be shown on a plate affixed in a conspicuous position on the trailer and remain at all times legible and undefaced.
6. That the over-all length of the trailer including the body or other structure be not more than 20 feet; and that the over-all width including the body or other structure be not more than that of the vehicle by which it is drawn.
7. That the over-hang of the trailer be not more than one-fourth of its over-all length and be measured from the centre of the rear axle to the rear of the frame or body or other structure built upon the chassis.
8. That the number of the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous position at the back of the trailer, that the figures be 3½ inches high and in all parts ⅛ of one inch broad; that the width of the space occupied by each figure, except the figure 1, be 2½ inches; that the space between adjoining figures be ½ of one inch; that such number be white on a black background and remain at all times legible and undefaced; and that such number be used only on the trailer in respect of which the licence is issued.
9. That between sunset and sunrise the trailer carry two lighted tail lamps placed one above the other at the right-hand side of the trailer showing red lights behind and white lights to the left so placed as to render the number of the licence clearly visible within a reasonable distance, that such tail lamps be kept free from mud, oil or other material which may tend to obscure the light therefrom
10. That the maximum freight capacity of the trailer be not more than that of the vehicle by which it is drawn.
11. That no load be carried by the trailer which will result in a greater wheel load than that indicated by the following table:—

| Diameter of Wheel | Maximum of load per inch width of tyre |
|---|---|
| 2′0″ | 600 lbs. |
| 2′6″ | 670 ,, |
| 2′9″ | 710 ,, |
| 3′0″ | 750 ,, |
| 3′3″ | 780 ,, |
| 3′6″ | 810 ,, |
| 3′9″ | 840 ,, |
| 4′0″ | 870 ,, |

12. That the trailer be fitted with efficient splash guards.
13. That the trailer be equipped with a drawbar and steering device to be approved by the Council and such as will ensure its following the same course as the vehicle by which it is drawn.
14. That the man in charge of the trailer produce the licence when called upon to do so by the Police.
15. That the licensee be responsible for any damage done through the negligence of the man in charge of the trailer.
16. That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
17. That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEES.*

(a) Where gross weight does not exceed 4,000 lbs., Tls. 10 per quarter.
(b) Over 4,000 and up to 8,000 lbs., Tls. 14 per quarter.
(c) Over 8,000 and up to 12,000 lbs., Tls. 17 per quarter.
(d) Over 12,000 and up to 16,000 lbs., Tls. 21 per quarter.
(e) Over 16,000 and up to 20,000 lbs., Tls. 28 per quarter.
(f) Over 20,000 and up to 24,000 lbs., Tls. 35 per quarter.
(g) Over 24,000 lbs. by special arrangement.

For freight trailers operating as vehicles for hire or as public freight carriers the fees are 50 per cent. in excess of those set out in the above scale.

The gross weight of a freight trailer comprises the weight of the chassis, the body weight allowance and the maximum freight capacity authorized by the makers of the vehicle.

*Subject to approval at the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Ratepayers.

NOTE.

Standard number plates are obtainable gratis upon application to the Revenue Office.

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This licence is not available for the French Settlement.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2686.**

**HOUSE REFUSE REMOVAL.**

THE Council invites tenders for the Removal of House Refuse from the Settlement for one year beginning May 1, 1920. The Council will bring the House Refuse to the Shoots.

The Contractor will have the privilege of selling House Refuse. Further particulars and tender forms can be obtained from the Health Officer, Honan Road, at 11 a.m. daily, except on Sundays.

Tenders to be sent to the undersigned before noon on April 1, tenders received after that time and date will not be considered.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2687.**

**LOAN OF 1900.**

THE debentures outstanding under the Municipal Loan of 1900 will be paid on presentation at the Finance Department, if properly endorsed by the registered owner, on and after June 30, 1920, from which date interest will cease.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2688.**

**TAVERN LICENCES.**

REFERRING to Notification No. 2675, applications have been made to the Council for the following new Tavern Licences for the ensuing Municipal year:—

| Applicant | Address |
|---|---|
| U. Kawai | K. 257 Boone Road |
| Mrs. L. Rogowenko | 1105/6 Broadway |
| M. Y. San | 37 Nanking Road |
| S. Uyeda | P. 448 Nanking Rd. |

The attention of applicants is drawn to the fact that only *bonâ fide* resident proprietors or managers will be permitted to hold licences.

The public is reminded that protests against the issue of these licences, or against the renewal of any existing licences, will be heard by a Committee of the Council sitting in the Council Room, No. 24 Kiangse Road, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, April 9.

It is requested that notice of such protest be given in writing to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 18, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2689.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of temporary Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls to teach children under ten years of age, either half or whole day service. Pay according to qualifications.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience in teaching, etc., and should be forwarded together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 18, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Friday, March 12, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. W. Burkill (*Chairman*)
C. G. S. Mackie
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman

The meeting adjourned at 7.20 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, March 17, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
A. Howard
W. L. Merriman
H. A. J. Macray
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*

Messrs. J. H. Dollar
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe

The meeting adjourned at 7.35 p.m.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Medical Staff.*—One year's leave is granted to Captain F. M. Neild from March 13.

*American Co.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, 2nd Lieutenant J. W. Baldwin is transferred to the Reserve of officers.

### Motor Freight Vehicles and Freight Trailers.

Correspondence with the French Municipal Council on the subject of the proposed licence conditions for these vehicles:—

*Translation of letter from The Secretary of the French Municipal Council, dated November 28, 1919.*

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that at its last meeting, the French Council considered it a good opportunity to carry out certain changes in the taxes levied on various classes of vehicles.

1. *Vehicles for Hire.*—The French Council proposes that the tax levied upon hired automobiles should be raised from Tls. 8 to Tls. 10 per quarter.

2. *Vehicles for Commercial Use.*—Motor trucks and delivery wagons and motor delivery cycles circulate with only one licence valid for both Concessions.

The Municipal Council issues about 70 licenses per quarter for vehicles of this kind, but the French Council only issues two.

Considering that these vehicles daily use the public roads of the French Concession and that they are also employed solely for commercial uses, the French Council considers that it would be equitable to impose a licence for each of the two Concessions, following the rule adopted for vehicles for hire.

The Council proposes to apply the following tariff:

Motor Trucks of at least 1 ton, Tls. 20 per quarter
Motor Trucks of less than 1 ton, Tls. 10 per quarter
Motor Trucks for delivery, or removal of at least 1 ton, Tls. 20 per quarter
Motor Trucks of less than 1 ton, Tls. 10 per quarter
Delivery wagons or removal vans drawn by animals from Tls. 3 to Tls. 5 per month
Delivery cycles (pedals), Tls. 0.50 per month
Delivery cycles (motor), Tls. 5 per quarter.

The reason and the opportunity for such a measure are too evident for there to exist in the mind of the French Council the least doubt as to its acceptance by the Municipal Council.

I am, etc.,
P. LEGENDRE,
*Secretary.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

*Translation of letter from the Chairman of the French Municipal Council, dated December 29, 1919.*

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that at its meeting on December 22, the French Council considered the new regulations that the Municipal Council proposes to apply to motor vehicles such as waggons, trucks, etc.

As regards the paragraph at the end of this regulation, which implies that the licences pertaining to these vehicles will be equally available for the French Concession, the French Council can only confirm the decisions on this subject expressed in its letter of November 28, last, and it feels obliged to protest, as was agreed unanimously by the members at the meeting, that a decision of such importance and which so vitally concerns the Municipal Administration, should have been taken by the Municipal Council without previous consultation.

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The Council is, therefore, firmly resolved to maintain the right of the French Municipal Administration to impose on the vehicles in question a separate licence for the French Concession, and to collect a tax, commencing from April 1, 1920, on the basis indicated in its letter of November 28, before mentioned.

I am, etc.,

P. LE BRIS,

*Chairman.*

The CHAIRMAN, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, January 28, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of December 29, 1919, on the subject of the special licence conditions recently approved by the Council for application to motor freight vehicles and freight trailers, a corrected copy of which was forwarded to the Secretary of your Council on December 24.

It appears to the Council that your letter is based upon a misapprehension of the facts of the case. By mutual arrangement between the Council and your Council of some years' standing, residence has been the determining factor in the issue of motorcar licences and licences issued in this Settlement or in the French Settlement have been valid in the other, except only in the case of public passenger-carrying cars. No alteration in this procedure has been or is contemplated by the Council: on the other hand with the growth in the number of motor freight vehicles it appeared to the Council that the licence conditions that were originally designed for the needs of passenger-carrying motorcars were scarcely suited to motor freight vehicles. Careful consideration was, therefore, given to the question of what special conditions were required to meet the needs of the case, and eventually the conditions above referred to were passed by the Council, subject to reference to your Council for its views.

At the same time and in the view that motor transport is peculiarly suited to the traffic of the Settlement, since it relieves congestion and causes less wear and tear of roads proportionately than that caused by wheelbarrow and hand cart traffic, the tariff of licence fees was fixed on such a basis as will in fact, generally speaking, result in some reduction in the fees hitherto in force except in the case of public freight services where it was considered that the far greater use made of the roads rendered it reasonable to impose a tariff 50 per cent. in excess of that for those employed in private freight service.

The Council had practically concluded its deliberations on the matters herein referred to when your Secretary's letter of November 28 was received, making certain suggestions in regard to the licence fees and licensing procedure for public motorcars and for motor freight vehicles, and upon a consideration of these suggestions it appeared to the Council desirable that its Secretary should in the first instance call upon your Secretary and explain the position to him, requesting him to inform your Council of the view held by this Council that the existing procedure, under which residence is the determining factor in the issue of licences, is on the whole satisfactory, for although your Council may for the present be the loser in so far as motor freight vehicle licence fees are concerned yet in my colleagues' opinion it is distinctly the gainer in respect of passenger motorcar licence fees, since it has the upkeep of approximately forty-five miles of road only as contrasted with the hundred and thirty miles in this Settlement for which this Council is responsible.

As to the licence fees for motor freight trailers, I do not think that there are any in operation in the Settlement at the present moment, but with the growth of motor freight vehicles it appeared to the Council that trailers would soon be introduced and that it was, therefore, desirable that the conditions under which they should be licensed should be drawn up, and following the line taken in the case of motor freight vehicles the same procedure was not unnaturally provided for, viz., that the licence should be available in both Settlements.

In conclusion I have the honour to emphasize that there was never any intention on the Council's part that the new conditions should be enforced without their prior communication to your Council and to suggest that if you are unable to agree with the Council's views as herein expressed you should kindly delegate certain representatives to meet representatives of this Council, when I have no doubt that we could come to a mutually satisfactory arrangement.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. C. PEARCE,

*Chairman.*

P. LE BRIS, Esq.,

Chairman, French Municipal Council.

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*Translation of letter from the Chairman of the French Municipal Council dated February 9, 1920.*

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of January 28, last, on the subject of the new regulations for motor lorries and various trucks.

The French Council considered the matter at its last meeting on February 2, and regrets that it is unable to agree with the view of the Municipal Council.

However, in order to arrive at a satisfactory solution of the question, it has decided, in accordance with the suggestion that you have been kind enough to make, to delegate two of its members, Mr. Dard and Mr. Dyer and its Secretary, to meet with the representatives of the International Settlement.

I should be much obliged if you will let me know if Thursday, February 12, at 5.30 p.m., will suit you for this conference, which could be held either at the Municipal Council's Office or at those of the French Municipal Council, whichever is most convenient to you.

I am, etc.,

P. LE BRIS,

*Chairman.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,

Chairman, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, February 17, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to thank you for your letter of February 9, on the subject of the Council's proposed special Licence Conditions for application to motor freight vehicles and freight trailers and to inform you that as the Council was fully occupied with Committee meetings on Thursday last, February 12, it was arranged between the Secretary and the Secretary to your Council, that the meeting of representatives of the two Councils to consider this matter should take place on Thursday, February 26, in the Council Room at 5.30 p.m., which date and hour it is understood will be convenient to you.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. C. PEARCE,

*Chairman.*

P. LE BRIS, Esq.,

Chairman, French Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, March 8, 1920.

Sir,—I am directed to inform you that the correspondence which has passed between the two Councils on the subject of the licensing of motor freight vehicles and freight trailers was submitted for consideration at the last meeting of this Council when the Chairman reported that it had been tentatively agreed at the conference between representatives of the two Councils on Thursday, February 26, that each Council should issue separate licences for motor freight vehicles, freight trailers and motor delivery tricycles. This agreement was unanimously confirmed and at the same time members directed that the licence fees set out in the formal set of licence conditions previously forwarded to you under Classes A and C for motor freight vehicles should be reduced to Tls. 14 and Tls. 24 respectively and for freight trailers to Tls. 10 and Tls. 17 respectively, such fees to come into force as from April 1 next, subject to their approval at the forthcoming Meeting of Ratepayers. I am directed to request your kind con-

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firmation of your Council's agreement with the principle that for motor freight vehicles, freight trailers and motor delivery tricycles separate licences shall be issued for each Settlement.

I am Sir,

Your obedient servant,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

P. LEGENDRE, Esq.,

Secretary, French Municipal Council.

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**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Yuyuen Road.* — Arrangements have been concluded with the Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. for the acquisition of Mow 1.022 of land required from B. C. Lots 3680, 6144 and 6298 for the widening of this road at Tls. 3,000 per mow or a total sum of Tls. 3,066 for the area involved. Of this area Mow 0.422 will be used for the road widening and the balance, Mow 0.584 remains as Surplus Land for resale hereafter.

*Gordon Road.*—The following correspondence with Mr. E. S. Little is published for general information. With a view to improving and adapting this road to the increasing amount of traffic, the section of the road between Haiphong and Ichang Roads will be ballasted and metalled as soon as practicable:—

Shanghai, February 14, 1920.

SIR,—I desire to draw your attention to the deplorable condition of the Gordon Road from the Riding School to the Robison Road.

The traffic along this section of the road is constantly increasing and has already reached such a volume that it is most difficult to drive along it. Matters are made much worse by the fact that a strip is still mud. If this were metalled there would be a considerable improvement.

The carts and barrows also the ricshas very generally disregard the rule of the road because they refuse to be forced on to the mud road: they stick to the metalled part refusing to budge even to allow others to pass. I have frequently to break the rule of the road and get myself off on to the mud road in order to be able to pass at all.

I have not seen for a long time any horseman using the mud road consequently there is no need to maintain this section for horsemen.

Conditions would perhaps be somewhat improved if the policy were to patrol the section so as to regulate the traffic and compel all users of the road to obey the traffic regulations.

I trust the Council will take steps to improve the state of the road at an early date.

Yours sincerely,

EDWARD S. LITTLE.

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

Council Room,

Shanghai, March 5, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 14, 1920, relating to the condition of Gordon Road from the Riding School to Bubbling Well Road and, in reply thereto, I am directed to inform you that the Council will ballast and metal the whole of this road so soon as is practicable, having regard to other necessary work and provision of a sufficient supply of road material.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

E. S. LITTLE, Esq.

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**Public Works Department.**

*Cement.*—In accordance with the conditions governing Municipal Tenders the tender of the Chee Hsin Cement Co., Ld., for the supply of cement during 1920 at Tls. 3.55 per cask has been accepted.

**Public Band.**

On Sunday next, March 21, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be asfollows:—

EIGHTEENTH CONCERT.

1.—Overture "The Merry Wives of Windsor" Nicolai

2.—Suite de Ballet "Sylvia" Delibes
(a) Prelude—Les Chasseresses
(b) Intermezzo—Valse Lente
(c) Pizzicati
(d) Cortége de Bacchus

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3.—Czardas Grossman

4.—Two Character Pieces for Orchestra wi h Harp Obligato.
(a) Serenade champetre "Au bord d'un Ruisseau"
(b) Romance "Santa Notte"

5.—Fantasia "Samson and Dalilah" Saint-Saens

A. DE KRYGER,

*Assistant Conductor.*

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**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MARCH 13.

*Fire Brigade.*—Mr. H. Upton, Station Officer, is appointed Senior Station Officer.

Mr. G. B. Thompson, Supervising Fireman, is appointed Station Officer under agreement from March 1.

*Police Force.*—Warder No. 73, Arjan Singh, is discharged, invalided, from March 11.

Constable W. J. Elliott, returned from war service, resumed duty and is transferred to the Detective Branch from March 8.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Miss E. Summerskill, Matron, Victoria Nursing Home, from March 13. During her absence, Nurse A. M. L. Nicholls will be in charge of the Victoria Nursing Home.

Miss M. Cay is appointed Nurse under an arrangement from February 4, terminable at three months' notice.

Miss J. V. Gregory, Miss C. E. Jones and Miss E. L. Warren are appointed Nurses under agreements from March 9, terminable at three months' notice.

The appointment of Nurse G. M. Gull is confirmed under an agreement from November 20, 1919, terminable at three months' notice.

Assistant Nurse M. H. Walsh is permitted to terminate her service on March 31.

Probationer Nurse D. C. Heal is permitted to terminate her service on March 31, the date of expiry of her agreement.

The appointments of Miss K. M. Taylor and Miss L. V. Vale, Probationer Nurses, are confirmed under agreements, terminable at three months' notice, from September 10, 1919 and October 1, 1919, respectively.

Miss H. J. Bergan is engaged as a candidate for an appointment as Probationer Nurse, on six months trial from March 10.

*Public Works Department.*—Miss H. Wealthy is appointed Stenographer and Typist on three months' probation from March 11.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. R. L. Evans is appointed Power Department Assistant on probation from February 25.

Long leave is granted to Mr. P. B. Critchley, Foreman Mechanic, from March 20.

Captain A. Mitchell, Charge Engineer in the Electricity Department, returned from war service, resumed duty on January 26.

*Public Band.*—Mr. A. de Kryger is appointed Assistant Conductor from November 1, 1919.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. M. G. Stuart, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, was permitted to terminate her service on March 7.

Mr. H. G. Huckstep is appointed Assistant Master in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys under agreement from March 9.

Miss E. Heughan, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, is permitted to terminate her service on March 31.

Long leave is granted to Mr. R. G. Dowie, Headmaster, Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, from July 3.

*Public Library.*—Four months' leave is granted, under special circumstances, to Mrs. H. Allan, Librarian, from March 13.

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## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, March 14, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 24 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 2 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 1 | 3 |
| Influenza | — | 18 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 12 | 208 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 629 | Kin Wo Ka | Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld. | | | steel chimney 2 soot chambers |
| 682 | Boone | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | bake house & oven |
| 149 | Kansuh | Brandt & Rodgers | | 1 | |
| S of 5555 | Lay | Kung Zun Hsin | | | boundary wall & gate |
| 5082 | Tanyang | K. T. J. Pugh | | | 3 work shops |
| 6041 | Tengyueh | Midland Packing Co. | | | transformer house |
| 2427 | Yangtszepoo | Palmer & Turner | | | godown |
| 4635 | Mokanshan | H. M. Cumine | | | water tower |
| 2755 | TempleLane | do. | 1 | | servants' qutrs. pavilion & wall |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 240 | Nanking | H. M. Cumine | 9 | | |
| 372 | Tientsin | J. Ambrose | 21 | | 2 gatehouses |
| W of 464 | Boone | Wong Shing Kee | | 1 | |
| N of 37 | Kaifeng | Lee Shue Kee | 14 | | |
| 80 | Kansuh | Brandt & Rodgers | 2 | | |
| 94 | Tsepoo | Loh Yoong Foong | | 1 | |
| 1641 | Alcock | Wha Tuck Printing Co. | 6 | | |
| E of 1870 | Chengtu | K. T. J. Pugh | 10 | | |

## Report of the Acting Commissioner of Public Works for February.

Great difficulty is being experienced in obtaining a sufficient supply of road materials from contractors, and many works are held up in consequence. Although the terms of the contract specify that in event of non-delivery by the contractor the Council may obtain materials from other sources and debit any additional cost to the contractor, it is usually found that other contractors are reluctant to supply, which points to the existence of a somewhat powerful "ring" formed for the mutual protection of contractors.

When opportunity offers it is intended to accumulate a reserve supply of all materials in order to obviate interruption of public works.

On the nights of February 1 and 2, a slight fall of snow occurred. The main roads had been swept clear by about 9 a.m. but it was not possible to get all the heaps removed until later in the day as it was more than the Public Works Department transport could cope with.

*Roads.*—The temporary traffic islands in Nanking Road and Bubbling Well Road for the accommodation of tramway passengers have, with slight modifications, been approved by the Police and they are now being made permanent.

The ballasting and metalling of a 12 ft. strip of Wuting Road has been completed west of Medhurst Road. A 12 inch diam. sewer has also been laid. A commencement has been made with the widening of Hungjao Road to 60 feet. At present work is in hand through the village west of Warren Road.

*Bundings.*—Although there was the usual interruption of work at Chinese New Year better progress has been made with the Bund reclamation.

Sixty feet of bunding has been completed to finished level and most of the wooden piles have been driven for the toe of the stone slope. This work can only be carried on at low water and progress is necessarily slow.

*Drainage.*—The remaining pipes of the Defence Creek culvert are being laid and the construction of a wooden bunding abutting on the Soochow Creek is in hand.

The culverting of the Singkeipang with 4-ft. 6-in. diam. tubes has been completed between Singkeipang Road and Dent Road. In connexion with this work the wooden bridge in Singkeipang Road and the concrete bridge in Chaoufoong Road have both been demolished.

### MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

*Administration Building.*—Further progress has been made with the electrical work, laying of floors and construction of heating trenches. Preparatory work in connexion with the heating apparatus has been commenced, and the contract for the cold water supply and sanitary installation has been let.

### FIRE BRIGADE.

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—The ground floor concrete walls of the tower have been completed. The walls generally are now up to the level of the first floor and the erection of the falsework for the first floors has been commenced.

*Hongkew Fire Station Workshops.*—The internal plastering and laying of floors are being proceeded with.

### ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

*Woochang Road Substation.*—This building is nearing completion, all centres having been removed.

*Administrative Building Substation.*—The concrete work for the first floor has been completed.

*Riverside Power Station—Office Building.*—The reinforcement and concrete work for the foundations on the east side have been completed.

*Public Works Department.*—A workshop and store shed with an office for the District Inspector has been completed at the Lay Road Depot.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—1,709½ fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

*Cleansing and Watering.*

Road sweepings collected 3,925 cartloads
Used for raising land 508 „
Water used for street watering 1,444,200 gallons.

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 1,908 |
| Artisans | 228 |
| Foremen | 245 |
| Mafoos | 154 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

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|---|---|
| Hand made | 2,277 pieces |
| Machine made | 1,430 „ |
| | 3,707 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were no admissions during the month.

*Survey Work.*

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|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 33 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates issued | 35 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 11 |
| New lots put under taxation | 1 |
| Assessed value of land placed under taxation | Tls. 6,340 |
| Official plans prepared | 31 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 70 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 160 |
| Surveys made in connexion with road widenings and/or extensions | 33 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 33 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

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|---|---|
| Eastern District | 2 |
| Western „ | 22 |

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*New Buildings.*

Summary of work done during the month :—

| *Description of work.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 323 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 59 |
| Plans approved | 46 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,709 |
| Boundary walls erected<br>Carpenter sheds erected<br>Repairs to buildings effected<br>New shop fronts inserted<br>Shop fronts, etc., painted<br>Alterations effected<br>Fences erected<br>Sign-boards erected<br>Drying stages erected<br>Temporary mat sunshades erected | 290 |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadway | 1 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 10 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 2 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 31 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 54 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

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|---|---|
| Reported by Public Works Department | 1 |
| First intimation notices issued | 1 |
| Second „ „ | 1 |

C. HARPUR,
*Acting Commissioner of Public Works.*

**Mixed Court Report for February.**

The Mixed Court was closed from February 20 to February 24 inclusive on account of the Chinese New Year Holidays. Three courts sat on the morning of February 25 and tried all police cases which had accumulated during the holidays. The majority of these cases were of a trivial nature.

The following foreigners who are not recognized by any Consulate in Shanghai were before the Court during the month on criminal charges :—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| H. B. Johnson | British | Drunk & disorderly | 3 months' impt. |
| Hanjin Din alias | Persian | Larceny | 2 months' impt. |
| Sain Baker Hersh Derman | Turkish | Embezzlement | Dismissed. |

During the month the Court tried :—

18 cases of burglary, as against 29 in Jaunary.

23 cases of cruelty to animals, as against 10 in January.

165 cases of larceny, as against 240 in January.

53 cases of gambling, as against 8 in January.

Before the Chinese New Year litigants rushed to file civil claims, no less than 60 petitions being filed from February 1 to 18. From February 25 to the end of the month only twelve petitions were filed.

The number of Chinese Civil Cases awaiting a first hearing at the end of the month was 57 as against 83 at the end of January.

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with, Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

M. O. SPRINGFIELD,
*Registrar.*

Countersigned,
A. HILTON-JOHNSON,
Acting Commissioner of Police.

OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| 1.—Offences Against the Person :— | |
| Abduction | 3 |
| Assault | 40 |
| Attempted Suicide | 1 |
| Kidnapping | 1 |
| Malicious Prosecution | 1 |
| Manslaughter | 2 |
| Murder | 1 |
| 2.—Offences Against Property :— | |
| Arson (or Criminal Negligence) | 2 |
| Burglary | 18 |
| Cruelty to animals | 23 |
| Embezzlement | 4 |
| Extortion (obtaining money by threats) | 3 |
| False Pretences | 1 |
| Forgery | 2 |
| Fraud | 4 |
| House-breaking | 8 |
| Larceny | 165 |
| Malicious damage | 3 |
| Receiving stolen property | 17 |
| Robbery | 9 |
| 3.—Offences of a Public Nature :— | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 18 |
| Carts | 24 |
| Foodshops | 2 |
| Hawkers | 20 |
| Lodging Houses | 2 |
| Motor cars | 35 |
| Opium | 42 |
| Pawnshop | 1 |
| Rickshas | 617 |
| Tea-shop | 4 |
| Wheel-barrows | 21 |
| Wine-shops | 4 |
| Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following :— | |
| Fireworks | 21 |
| House refuse | 22 |
| Indecent Advertisements | 2 |
| Nuisances | 591 |
| Prostitutes | 20 |
| Traffic | 21 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 5 |
| Disorderly conduct | 37 |
| Functioning as Police | 1 |
| Gambling | 53 |
| Loitering with intent | 11 |
| Returning after expulsion | 5 |
| Vagrancy | 6 |
| 4.—Miscellaneous Cases :— | |
| Husband and Wife | 3 |
| Insanity | 3 |
| Seeking protection of Door of Hope | 6 |
| Witness in Criminal Case | 3 |
| Various | 3 |
| TOTAL | 1,911 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 1,285 |
| Cases withdrawn | 4 |
| Cautioned | 10 |
| Dismissed | 69 |
| Expulsion | 8 |
| Fined | 302 |
| Imprisonment | 137 |
| „ and expulsion | 80 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 6 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 9 |
| Various | 1 |
| TOTAL | 1,911 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On February 1 | 47 |
| Received | 23 |
| Released | 22 |
| On February 29 | 48 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

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|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 98 |
| „ served | 105 |
| Warrants issued | 40 |
| „ executed | 11 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

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|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 5 |
| Summonses issued | 25 |
| „ served | 10 |
| „ withdrawn | 5 |
| Persons summoned | 10 |
| Sealing orders issued | 78 |
| „ „ executed | 5 |
| „ „ not executed (claim settled) | 68 |
| „ „ withdrawn | 5 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 2 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 72 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 40 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 51 |
| „ heard | 124 |
| „ in course of hearing | 8 |
| „ concluded | 80 |
| „ awaiting first hearing on Feb. 29 | 57 |
| Summonses issued | 68 |
| „ served | 61 |
| „ withdrawn | 8 |
| Warrants issued | 39 |
| „ executed | 10 |
| „ withdrawn | 13 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 10 |
| „ summoned | 65 |
| „ failed to appear on first summons | 47 |
| Sealing orders issued | 10 |
| „ „ executed | 1 |
| „ „ not executed (claim settled) | 8 |
| „ „ withdrawn | 1 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 1 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 64 |
| Bonds accepted | 41 |
| „ rejected | 13 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

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|---|---|
| On February 1 | 50 |
| Received | 26 |
| Released | 30 |
| On February 29 | 46 |

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SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hummel & Ambrose | British | Wong Kyoh Yien | Land dispute and $250 damages | For defendant |
| Harvie Cooke & Company | do. | Foh Shing Hong | Tls. 9,456.16 | Reserved |
| Brunner, Mond & Company Ld. | do. | Te Tshang Ling Hong | Tls. 1,308.40 | For plaintiffs for Tls. 1,212:61 |
| V. Read | American | Song Pau-sz | For an order to sell property and from the proceeds to pay off the mortgage, etc. | By confession as prayed |
| Shippers Commercial Union | do. | Teh Tshang Hong | Tls. 739.14 | Adjourned |
| J. Richards & Co., Ld. | British | Tsung Sung Tobacco Company | G$59,233.32 and damages | For plaintiff question of damages reserved |

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項工部局承攬信章程

二 行文辦法是否有效

三 擇定後之准攬人須繳保證金

四 目前公信合同須辦理付款之一切費用

五 本局有取消登記之權

六 本局有以承攬人之名義承攬本局公信及承辦人之責任

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單來函請寄送本局工部局

信送之後仍將該款一律送至西江路二號信箱

二時前送交本局收訖

部局必須在十日內

面寫明承攬人姓名

漆其承攬信封上加蓋

所有承攬信件必須用上海工部局

後所有承攬人之名義

明之權其款項必須在

本局有取消登記之權

所有承攬人之名義

目前公信及承辦人之責任

行文辦法是否有效

未定後之准攬人須繳保證金

所定後之准攬人須繳保證金

擇定後之准攬人須繳保證金

人選定後之准攬人須繳保證金

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 195 | 20 Miles of Bare Copper Cable | Tls. 5 | March 18, Noon |
| 196 | 13 ,, of Weatherproof Copper Wire | Tls. 5 | do. ,, |
| 197 | 8 ,, of Vulcanised Cable | Tls. 5 | do. ,, |
| 198 | 112 Induction Motors (Copies of the Specification may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road on or after Tuesday, March 9) Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 1, ,, |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

POLICE FORCE

Tender No. 149

Bean Oil, during 9 months from April 1, 750 to 800 Catties per mensem

*Yuen Mow & Co. $0.22 per catty

*Accepted

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# VICE CONDITIONS IN SHANGHAI

## REPORT OF

## The Special Vice Committee

Shanghai, March 9, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to hand you herewith the unanimous report of the Committee appointed by the Council to inquire into Vice conditions in the Settlement.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
SKINNER TURNER,
*Chairman.*

The CHAIRMAN, Municipal Council.

At the Ratepayers' Meeting held in 1919 the following resolution was passed:—

"That the Shanghai Municipal Council be authorized to appoint a Special Committee to investigate vice conditions in the International Settlement; and that such Committee be empowered to collect evidence from the Municipal Departments and other sources and report and make recommendations thereon to the next Ratepayers' Meeting. That the said Special Committee be composed of nine persons, three to be nominated by the Council, three by the Shanghai Moral Welfare Committee and three others by the six nominated as aforesaid."

In accordance therewith a Special Committee was appointed: Messrs. A. Brooke Smith, T. Ibukiyama and Skinner Turner on the nomination of the Council; Mrs. Remer, Rev. F. Rawlinson, D.D., and Mr. L. E. Canning on the nomination of the Moral Welfare Committee. Mrs. Henman, Mr. W. D. McCallum and Mr. S. C. Lin were nominated by the first named six members. Mr. Skinner Turner was elected Chairman. The Committee so formed was fortunate enough to secure the services of Mr. P. Campbell as its Secretary. In December 1919 Mr. Ibukiyama died, to the great regret of his colleagues: and the vacancy was filled by the addition of Mr. W. P. Lambe on the nomination of the Council. In all, the Committee held twenty-two meetings and examined twenty-five witnesses in addition to obtaining evidence from the records of Shanghai and elsewhere. The assistance of the public was asked through the medium of the Gazette for suggestions and several replies were received. The various departments of the Council gave all the assistance that was asked and the same may, with some few exceptions, be said of the public. The views of representative Chinese were obtained through the medium of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce.

The inquiries of the Committee were directed to the question of public prostitution in the Settlement: its extent and situation: to the existence and number of brothels and their control and to the prevalence of venereal disease and the provision for its cure, with the object of endeavouring to ascertain and recommend remedies to control and check the vice known to exist here.

Before turning to the facts as we have ascertained them, it is necessary to relate shortly the past history of this matter, as far as we have been able to learn it.

### *History.*

It is noteworthy that the original Land Regulations and Bye-laws contain no reference to brothels: they were therefore left to the ordinary operation of law enforced in the various Courts exercising jurisdiction in the Settlement. In 1871 it was estimated that there were 463 native houses with 1,612 native prostitutes in the Foreign Settlement north of the Yangkingpang Creek; with 250 houses and 2,600 prostitutes in the French Concession. (See Dr. Henderson's report published in 1871). The question of prostitution at that time was put forward by Dr. Henderson as one that demanded the serious consideration of those whose duty it was to guard the interests and care for the health of the foreign community of Shanghai. He, while recognizing the difficulties of the position, stated:—

"The greater number of these brothels exist for the use of natives only, and such ought to find no place in the foreign Settlement."

The next step that has come to our notice is the amendment of the Bye-laws in 1898. This was the outcome of the report of an influential Committee appointed by the Ratepayers in 1896 and a new Bye-law XXXIV (the present one) was then recommended and adopted. This Bye-law added the "brothel" to the list of those places that should be licensed; and we do not doubt that that recommendation was made after due thought and deliberation. But at that time no fee for a brothel licence was put forward and no attempt was made to enforce the Bye-law. In 1905 a strong Committee composed of businessmen, clergy, and missionaries sat to consider this question of prostitution in the Settlement and unanimously reported in favour of the strict carrying out of Bye-law XXXIV and, therefore, of licensing brothels. This recommendation was, however, turned down by the then Watch Committee as being, from a Police point of view, impracticable and in some directions not wholly desirable. It is interesting to note that the Chinese property owners at that time were not averse to licensing or to the limiting of the areas in which these establishments should be allowed. The fact remains that brothels never have been licensed; and as far as we know, no prosecutions have ever been instituted for the keeping of such a house without a licence. Bye-law XXXIV in this respect has been a dead letter, and no control by this means has ever been exercised over brothels.

But there is carried on now a work by the Council which in effect is the exercise of control over certain houses and their occupants. In 1877 a Lock Hospital was opened by the Council at the urgent request of the then British Admiral, for the sake of the sailors frequenting the port. The women, known as the Cantonese women, were registered and were medically examined once a week. A small fee for registration was charged and fines were inflicted for non-attendance, etc. It would appear that there is no legal sanction for the imposition of any such fine, but both fines and fees are still collected and the revenue from this head is about Tls. 2,590: while the expenditure is estimated at about Tls. 7,380. The work is now carried out at the Isolation Hospital and there are some 195 women on the roll. The card supplied to each woman contains her photograph (for purposes of identification) and is initialled whenever she is examined; but no certificate is given that she is free from disease. We do not doubt that these cards are used by the

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women as advertisements in their trade. This work of the Council has been considerably challenged in times past and in 1877, 1879, 1888 and 1890 was under discussion at Ratepayers' meetings: in every case the action of the Council was endorsed by the Ratepayers.

In the last few years the matter of public prostitution has been pressed upon the Council by various Missionary and other bodies in Shanghai: and your Committee is the outcome of their efforts.

*Facts.*

Our inquiries show that there are at least 633 brothels with 4,575 inmates in the International Settlement. Of these there are 15 houses with 53 foreign women and 618 houses with 4,522 Chinese women. This can under existing conditions only be an estimate; and it cannot be a complete one for it takes no account of the "sly" prostitute, and we do not doubt that there are many such here. But it is a sufficiently alarming figure when the population (Chinese) of the Settlement is remembered to be about 665,000. This gives the enormous proportion of one prostitute to 147 of the population. Even taking the population of the greater Shanghai as 1,500,000, it means one in 332; and adding the registered prostitutes in the French Concession it means one in 300.

It is a striking fact that brothels are in fact to be found in certain localities only; thus 4,429 of 4,522 prostitutes (about 97 per cent.) are in Central, Louza and Hongkew Police Districts: in three only out of eleven such districts, while 64 per cent. are in Louza district alone. The Foreign Prostitutes are to be found in Central and Hongkew Districts. And we draw the inference from this that the problem of commercialized vice is not spread all over the Settlement. We are satisfied that while the condition of some streets in the Settlement has improved, the state of things in certain parts of the town is extremely bad: the main thoroughfares are probably better than heretofore, but in certain parts the side streets are very bad and the women are to be seen in groups either in the street or on their doorsteps and make no disguise as to their calling. There is no reason to think that the law, if strictly enforced, is not strong enough to check and control the evil of soliciting. It is stated that this street nuisance is infrequent in the French Concession amongst the inhabitants of the licensed houses, because a conviction may endanger the licence. The penalties usually inflicted on the prostitute for this offence of street walking are probably too small to have much deterrent effect on her or on the brothel keeper who pays the fine, and efforts should be made to take proceedings against the keepers of the brothels whence these women come. We do not doubt (though we have no actual proof) that brothel properties are rented higher than similar properties let for ordinary purposes. And the owners of such properties, therefore, cannot escape criticism in a matter like this: they take the higher money for the use of their property for this trade. And as nearly all the land in the Settlement is registered in foreign names, it follows that foreigners here are, actively or passively, assisting in a degrading trade which in some countries at all events is criminal. In England, for example, it is a criminal offence, and one which carries other consequences as well, for a landlord or his agent to let premises or any part thereof with the knowledge they are to be used as a brothel: and we find no less than 633 houses known as brothels in this Settlement. It is not long since an action for the rent of a brothel was brought by a foreign landlord in the Mixed Court: it was dismissed on the ground that such a letting was an immoral contract and therefore unenforceable at law: and again it is known that an order made by the Mixed Court closing a brothel was cancelled on the application of the registered owner, a foreigner, partly on the ground that the Mixed Court had no jurisdiction over the property inasmuch as it was registered in a foreign Consulate. These two cases show that there are foreign owners of property in the Settlement who must be fully aware of the nature of the business carried on in their houses.

*Policy.*

In considering the policy that should underlie any recommendations of ours, it is to be remembered that (according to the preamble of the Land Regulations) we are dealing with a place set apart by the Chinese Authorities for the residence of foreigners: and it is up to the foreigner to set a high standard in matters of morality. We find that brothels are strictly forbidden in the last Land Regulations for a British Concession (Tientsin) and we learn that they do not exist as such in the native city. They are illegal under Chinese law until licensed: they are licensed in the French Concession to the number of about 114. And we are unanimously of opinion that the right policy for the Council to adopt is one of elimination of the brothel from the Settlement. We do not believe that the prosperity of Shanghai depends on the brothel: though it may well be that the prosperity of the brothel depends on the prosperity of Shanghai. In considering the methods to be adopted in carrying out such a policy we have to remember the very large number of women engaged in the business, many of them entirely against their will and many of them because they know no better. In addition Shanghai has a very mixed population with very varying ideas of morality. It would seem to be out of the question to proceed immediately for the total suppression of this business in Shanghai. But we are unanimously of opinion that, instead of endeavouring to obtain new powers it is advisable to use the powers that already exist and to rigorously enforce them. We are informed by the Council's officials that this can be done and we therefore recommend that Bye-law XXXIV be strictly enforced, and that brothels be licensed with a view to elimination. These licenses should be issued every six months and should be subject to annual drawings, whereby they would all cease in five years. The first drawing should be made in October next, so that the first reduction would come into force in April 1921. The licences should pay a nominal fee of $1 each, and they should be limited in number to the houses known to exist as brothels on December 31, 1919. No licence should allow more than ten women in any one brothel, with the further limitation that no brothel is to have in it more women than were there on December 31, 1919. In addition to other necessary particulars the licence must contain the names of the inmates of the house and every change of occupant must be notified and entered on the licence. There must be the full right of entry by the Police and Health Departments to the licensed premises: and no sale of opium or intoxicants must be allowed therein. The usual consequences for breach of a condition will follow.

The register of licences to be kept by the Council should contain also the name of the registered owner of the land on which the brothel is situated: this register to be open to the inspection of any ratepayer. And, in order to obtain the co-operation of these registered landowners in the policy thus outlined, a formal notice should be sent to them as soon as practicable stating the use to which their property is being put.

Under no circumstances should any licence be issued for premises near schools.

A special warning should be given to each licence holder that solicitation is an offence punishable by law and that the conviction of any occupant of a licensed house of this offence will endanger the licence.

Every licensed brothel must keep exhibited in a conspicuous place the address of the nearest police station and of any other place where help may be obtained by a prostitute if required: also a statement that no woman can be detained in the brothel against her will: also the address where free medical assistance can be obtained and a warning of the dangers of neglecting such assistance.

It is necessary to say that in its deliberations and recommendations your Committee has made no difference between the foreign brothel and the native brothel: the same conditions should apply to all.

*Lock Hospital.*

The matter of the Cantonese women and their examination by the Council's medical officers has caused us much anxiety. We were informed that some good is done by this work and that some good is better than none, but the medical examination possible is not conclusive as to the absence of disease and the value of this examination is not very marked. It is most undesirable that the cards when marked by the medical officer should be

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available in the hands of the women to attract customers with a false sense of security; and we understand that the British Naval Authorities would not be averse to the cessation of this examination. We recommend that the practice cease. We learn that, though there is a licensing of brothels in the French Concession, there is no medical inspection of the women.

*Drink.*

It is hardly necessary to enlarge upon the known relationship which exists between the liquor traffic and the brothel. It is much to be feared that a considerable amount of drink is sold in the Settlement in places that are not licensed for its sale. We recommend that more efforts be made to check this and that more supervision be kept over those who already hold licences for the sale of drink. We see no reason why all tavern licences should not be granted annually after due announcement to the public, with full opportunity for them to prefer objections. This procedure is now only followed in the case of "Foreign" licences, and it is not applicable to Chinese licences. We think it should apply to all alike.

No liquor licence of any sort should be issued to a brothel, and the issue of what are now known as "brothel wine licences" should cease.

*Indecent Advertisements.*

The existence of indecent advertisements, especially in the form of quack remedies for venereal disease, is wide-spread. The difficulty of dealing with this matter is not the weakness of the law, but the fact that to the Chinese mind these advertisements are not indecent. The Courts have dealt with cases of this sort, and the law in this matter should be continually enforced, trusting at the same time to the influence of education on such a matter. It is greatly to be feared that advertisements offering to cure venereal disease in a few days, which are common here, can only have the effect of lessening one restraint against sexual indulgence.

All parks and other open spaces under the control of the Council should be well-lighted and policed in the summer months.

It follows from much that has already been stated that we are of opinion that the law wants no strengthening, but that much may be done in the matter of enforcement of the law. We recommend that the Council consider the formation of a special branch of the Police Force for work of this nature. It is naturally delicate work and requires special training. Your Committee while making this recommendation do not feel that their inquiries enable them to pronounce upon the employment of women police: the very peculiar conditions as to nationality, language, etc., make the position far different to that in the Western world, where we understand women have been usefully employed as police. This question is therefore one on which your Committee express no opinion one way or the other. At the same time, we asked the Commissioner of Police, before he went on leave, to pay special attention to this side of the matter.

*Prostitutes.*

While recommending the policy of the eradication of the brothel from the Settlement, with proceedings against the brothel keeper whenever possible, it must never be forgotten that steps must at the same time be taken to help the thousands of prostitutes at present in the business. Generous assistance should be given to institutions like the Door of Hope in order to provide a refuge for these women; and information should be given in all brothels of the existence of such institutions here. With the measure of control now recommended this ought to be entirely feasible. The establishment of trade schools for women and other schemes of that nature may be outside the scope of the Council's activities; but sympathetic co-operation in their establishment should, as far as possible, be given by the Council

*Hotels.*

We have great reason for thinking that much immorality takes place in certain Chinese hotels in the Settlement: rooms are let without precaution and only occupied for a short time. It has been stated that it is known that rooms are let to several couples during the same night: each paying for the night but only occupying the room for a short period. It is not easy to suggest any remedy for this evil: it is a matter in which the help of the public may be most valuable. It may also be to some extent remedied by the recommendation to place all tavern licences on the same basis and only grant them, after due notice to the public, at an annual licensing meeting. We note that one of the conditions of a licence for a Chinese lodging house is that no immoral conduct be permitted in any part of the premises. This condition might well be added to the tavern licence.

Speaking generally any conviction for an offence against morality should endanger any licence and the habitual using of any licensed place other than a brothel for the purposes of immorality should be a ground for refusing the renewal of the licence to the holder and should incapacitate him from holding any such licence again.

*Venereal Disease.*

We regret that owing to insufficient information we are unable to make any statement as to the prevalence of venereal disease in the Settlement. Our inquiries from certain hospitals met with no response and the answers we did receive do not enable us to make any finding on the subject. We recommend that the Health Department endeavour to obtain regular statistics on the matter; and we further recommend that all hospitals or such like institutions in receipt of moneys from the Council be required to treat these diseases and to keep returns in such form as may be approved by the Medical Officer of Health. Further provision, in the way of clinics or otherwise, should be made by the Council for the treatment of these diseases in various parts of the Settlement.

*Education.*

A question has been much discussed amongst us as to what education in sex matters should be imparted in schools to the rising generation of both sexes. We realize the difficulties attending this very delicate matter and recommend that the Council call a Conference of all Educational Authorities in Shanghai and the neighbourhood to consider what, if any, instruction in these matters be given in schools. We feel sure that such an invitation would be accepted and the result would be productive of much good.

At the same time we think that the Health Department might undertake propaganda, which we understand it is prepared to do, relating to the evils of sexual indulgence and the dangers arising therefrom.

Your Committee has made no heroic recommendations: they are fully alive to the limitations upon any Municipality in matters of this sort, which are far greater in a place like Shanghai than elsewhere. They did not set out on their investigations with any idea that their work would result in the ending of prostitution: they know full well that men and women are not made moral by Act of Parliament: education must always be the main factor in matters of this sort. But they have approached their task with the hope that they may be able to recommend something which will improve the conditions of things here and at the same time will check and lessen what has been well described as "commercialized vice": the business of the promotion of vice and the artificial stimulation of passion for profit. And much assistance can be given to the authorities by the public: for instance in bringing to their notice facts relating to any licensed premises which constitute an offence or a ground for cancelling or refusing a licence.

Your Committee has not been able to enter into any investigation of the causes, economic and other, which operate in China to create this business; but they have endeavoured to put forward recommendations which will tend to make for better morals and health in Shanghai.

In conclusion the Committee wish to place on record their full appreciation of the work done by Mr. P. Campbell, their Secretary, throughout the whole of their meetings and deliberations. He was of the greatest assistance.

A summary of the recommendations is attached hereto.

Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
L. E. Canning
Dorothy M. Henman
Wm. P. Lambe
S. C. Lin
W. D. McCallum
Frank Rawlinson
Alice W. Remer
A. Brooke Smith
P. Campbell (*Secretary*)

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*Summary of Recommendations.*

1. That brothels be eliminated.
2. That brothels be licensed.
3. That special notification be given to all registered owners of brothel property in order to endeavour to get their co-operation.
4. That no brothel licence be granted in any event for premises near schools.
5. That as this course necessitates more extended work for prostitutes this should be done by means of increased grants to the Door of Hope and kindred institutions.
6. That the law against street soliciting be strictly enforced, including proceedings against the brothel keeper.
7. That the law prohibiting indecent advertisements by way of posters or in newspapers be strictly enforced.
8. That the law against the sale of intoxicating liquors in unlicensed premises be strictly enforced.
9. That convictions for offences relating to prostitution recorded against holders of any licences render the holder incapable of holding any licence again.
10. That no "brothel wine licence" be issued in future.
11. That parks and other open spaces be well-lighted and policed in the summer months.
12. That the examination of prostitutes by the Health Department cease.
13. That further provision for the treatment of venereal disease be undertaken by the Health Department.
14. That propaganda be undertaken by the Health Department relating to the evils of promiscuous intercourse and the dangers arising therefrom.
15. That the Health Department keep such returns as it can relating to venereal disease and hospitals receiving public moneys be compelled to treat venereal disease and keep returns in such form as the Health Department may require; failure to do this to form ground for refusing any further grant.
16. That a Conference of all Educational authorities in Shanghai and neighbourhood be called to investigate thoroughly the advisability and methods of teaching social hygiene in Schools.

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## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice:—

That a Public Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall on Wednesday, April 7, 1920, at 2 o'clock p.m. precisely, to devise ways and means of raising the requisite funds for Municipal purposes, and to pass resolutions in reference thereto and to deliberate and decide upon other Municipal matters and business. At such meeting the accounts of the Council for the year ending December 31, 1919, will be submitted for the sanction and approval of the Ratepayers.

Shanghai, March 16, 1920.

D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium.*

T. RAASCHOU,
*Consul-General for Denmark and Acting Consul-General for Sweden.*

E. D. H. FRASER,
*Consul-General for Great Britain.*

V. GROSSE,
*Consul-General for Russia.*

G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy*

K. YAMASAKI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*

E. S. CUNNINGHAM,
*Consul-General for the United States of America.*

R. REAU,
*Consul-General for France.*

S. STECKMEST,
*Acting Consul-General for Norway.*

J. A. SCHUURMAN,
*Consul for the Netherlands.*

ANTONIO M. DA SILVA,
*Acting Consul-General for Portugal.*

HUGO REISS,
*Consul for Brazil.*

JULIO PALENCIA,
*Consul for Spain.*

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2684.

### THOMAS HANBURY SCHOOL FOR BOYS.

THE attention of parents is directed to the following revised scale of fees which will have effect from March 1, 1920:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Boarders | $30 per mensem |
| Day Scholars | 9 per mensem |

The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions:—

*For a family of*

| | |
|---|---|
| 2 children | $1.80 |
| 3 or more children | 3.00 |

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2685.

### MOTOR FREIGHT VEHICLES AND FREIGHT TRAILERS.

THE Public is hereby notified that on and after April 1, all owners of Motor Freight Vehicles and Freight Trailers will be required to take out a special licence under Bye-law XXXIV.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

### MOTOR FREIGHT VEHICLES.

(Including Freight Vehicles propelled by steam or electricity or by internal combustion engines.)

CONDITIONS.

1. That unless with the consent of the Council this licence be not transferable to any other person and refers only to the vehicle in respect of which it is issued, which vehicle is described in the application made for this licence.
2. That the licensee and the man in charge of the vehicle conform to all Police regulations in force for the time being.
3. That each wheel of the vehicle be fitted with tyres made of rubber or other soft or elastic material to be approved by the Council.
4. That the chassis weight, the body weight allowance, the maximum freight capacity authorized by the makers and the gross weight of the vehicle be shown on a plate affixed in a conspicuous position on the vehicle and remain at all times legible and undefaced.
5. That the over-all length of the vehicle including the body or other structure be not more than 24 feet; and that the over-all width including the body or other structure be not more than 7 feet 6 inches.
6. That the over-hang of the vehicle be not more than one-fourth of its over-all length and be measured from the centre of the rear axle to the rear of the frame or body or other structure built upon the chassis.
7. That the number of the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous position at the back of the vehicle; that the figures be 3½ inches high and in all parts ⅝ of one inch broad; that the width of the space occupied by each figure, except the figure 1 be 2½ inches, that the space between adjoining figures be ½ of one inch; that such number be white on a black background and remain at all times legible and undefaced and that such number be used only on the vehicle in respect of which the licence is issued.
8. That between sunset and sunrise the vehicle carry two lighted lamps in front, one on each side, so constructed and placed as to exhibit a white light visible within a reasonable distance in front and a lighted tail lamp showing a red light behind and a white light to the left so placed as to render the number of the licence clearly visible within a reasonable distance, that such tail lamp be kept free from mud oil or other material which may tend to obscure the light therefrom; that where head-lights only are carried in front, they be provided with a suitable means of reducing the power of the light; that within the area east of Carter Road and west of Muirhead Road the use of head-lights be permitted only when their full power is suitably reduced; and that these and other lamps carried be subject to approval by the Council.
9. That no load be carried by the vehicle which will result in a greater wheel load than that indicated by the following table:—

| Diameter of Wheel | Maximum of load per inch width of tyre |
|---|---|
| 2′0″ | 600 lbs. |
| 2′6″ | 670 ,, |
| 2′9″ | 710 ,, |
| 3′0″ | 750 ,, |
| 3′3″ | 780 ,, |
| 3′6″ | 810 ,, |
| 3′9″ | 840 ,, |
| 4′0″ | 870 ,, |

10. That the vehicle carry an instrument, other than a bell or gong, capable of giving audible and sufficient warning of approach or position, and that such instrument be subject to approval by the Council.
11. That the vehicle be fitted with efficient splash guards.
12. That proper precautions be taken to prevent exhaust pipes discharging in such a manner as to cause annoyance to the public.
13. That the speed of the vehicle be adjusted to the traffic, more especially at street crossings or corners, at sharp curves and in narrow roads and that, when its gross weight exceeds 7,000 lbs., the speed be not in excess of 12 miles per hour or, if drawing a trailer, 9 miles per hour.
14. That the driver be provided with a permit to be given him after examination by a Board to be appointed by the Council.
15. That the driver produce the licence and his own permit when called upon to do so by the Police.
16. That the licensee be responsible for any damage done through the negligence of the man in charge of the vehicle.

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17. That only one trailer be drawn by the vehicle at any one time, that its maximum freight capacity be not in excess of that of the vehicle, and that it be duly licensed.
18. That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
19. That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEES.*

(a) Where gross weight does not exceed 4,000 lbs., Tls. 14 per quarter.
(b) Over 4,000 and up to 8,000 lbs., Tls. 20 per quarter.
(c) Over 8,000 and up to 12,000 lbs., Tls. 24 per quarter.
(d) Over 12,000 and up to 16,000 lbs., Tls. 30 per quarter.
(e) Over 16,000 and up to 20,000 lbs., Tls. 40 per quarter.
(f) Over 20,000 and up to 24,000 lbs., Tls. 50 per quarter.
(g) Over 24,000 lbs. by special arrangement.

For motor freight vehicles operating as vehicles for hire or as public freight carriers the fees are 50 per cent. in excess of those set out in the above scale.

The gross weight of a vehicle comprises the weight of the chassis, the body weight allowance and the maximum freight capacity authorized by the makers of the vehicle.

*Subject to approval at the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Ratepayers.

NOTE.

Standard number plates are obtainable gratis upon application to the Revenue Office.

This licence is not available for the French Settlement.

## FREIGHT TRAILERS.

CONDITIONS.

1. That unless with the consent of the Council this licence be not transferable to any other person and refers only to the trailer in respect of which it is issued, which trailer is described in the application made for this licence.
2. That the trailer shall at all times carry a man-in-charge who shall ride thereon.
3. That the licensee and the man in charge of the trailer conform to all Police regulations in force for the time being.
4. That each wheel of the trailer be fitted with tyres made of rubber or other soft or elastic material to be approved by the Council.
5. That the chassis weight, the body weight allowance, the maximum freight capacity authorized by the makers and the gross weight of the trailer be shown on a plate affixed in a conspicuous position on the trailer and remain at all times legible and undefaced.
6. That the over-all length of the trailer including the body or other structure be not more than 20 feet; and that the over-all width including the body or other structure be not more than that of the vehicle by which it is drawn.
7. That the over-hang of the trailer be not more than one-fourth of its over-all length and be measured from the centre of the rear axle to the rear of the frame or body or other structure built upon the chassis.
8. That the number of the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous position at the back of the trailer, that the figures be 3½ inches high and in all parts ⅝ of one inch broad; that the width of the space occupied by each figure, except the figure 1, be 2½ inches; that the space between adjoining figures be ½ of one inch; that such number be white on a black background and remain at all times legible and undefaced; and that such number be used only on the trailer in respect of which the licence is issued.
9. That between sunset and sunrise the trailer carry two lighted tail lamps placed one above the other at the right-hand side of the trailer showing red lights behind and white lights to the left so placed as to render the number of the licence clearly visible within a reasonable distance, that such tail lamps be kept free from mud, oil or other material which may tend to obscure the light therefrom.
10. That the maximum freight capacity of the trailer be not more than that of the vehicle by which it is drawn.
11. That no load be carried by the trailer which will result in a greater wheel load than that indicated by the following table:—

| Diameter of Wheel | Maximum of load per inch width of tyre |
|---|---|
| 2'0" | 600 lbs. |
| 2'6" | 670 ,, |
| 2'9" | 710 ,, |
| 3'0" | 750 ,, |
| 3'3" | 780 ,, |
| 3'6" | 810 ,, |
| 3'9" | 840 ,, |
| 4'0" | 870 ,, |

12. That the trailer be fitted with efficient splash guards.
13. That the trailer be equipped with a drawbar and steering device to be approved by the Council and such as will ensure its following the same course as the vehicle by which it is drawn.
14. That the man in charge of the trailer produce the licence when called upon to do so by the Police.
15. That the licensee be responsible for any damage done through the negligence of the man in charge of the trailer.
16. That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
17. That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEES.*

(a) Where gross weight does not exceed 4,000 lbs., Tls. 10 per quarter.
(b) Over 4,000 and up to 8,000 lbs., Tls. 14 per quarter.
(c) Over 8,000 and up to 12,000 lbs., Tls. 17 per quarter.
(d) Over 12,000 and up to 16,000 lbs., Tls. 21 per quarter.
(e) Over 16,000 and up to 20,000 lbs., Tls. 28 per quarter.
(f) Over 20,000 and up to 24,000 lbs., Tls. 35 per quarter.
(g) Over 24,000 lbs. by special arrangement.

For freight trailers operating as vehicles for hire or as public freight carriers the fees are 50 per cent. in excess of those set out in the above scale.

The gross weight of a freight trailer comprises the weight of the chassis, the body weight allowance and the maximum freight capacity authorized by the makers of the vehicle.

*Subject to approval at the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Ratepayers.

NOTE.

Standard number plates are obtainable gratis upon application to the Revenue Office.

This licence is not available for the French Settlement.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2686 (*Amended*)**

**HOUSE REFUSE REMOVAL.**

THE Council invites tenders for the Removal of House Refuse from the Settlement for one year beginning May 1, 1920. The Council will bring the House Refuse to the Shoots.

The Contractor will have the privilege of selling House Refuse. Further particulars and tender forms can be obtained from the Health Officer, Honan Road, at 11 a.m. daily, except on Sundays.

Tenders to be sent to the undersigned before noon on April 1, tenders received after that time and date or which are not made on the official "tender form" obtainable from the Health Officer will not be considered.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 25, 1920.

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MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2687.**
**LOAN OF 1900.**

THE debentures outstanding under the Municipal Loan of 1900 will be paid on presentation at the Finance Department, if properly endorsed by the registered owner, on and after June 30, 1920, from which date interest will cease.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2688.**
**TAVERN LICENCES.**

REFERRING to Notification No. 2675, applications have been made to the Council for the following new Tavern Licences for the ensuing Municipal year:—

| Applicant | Address |
|---|---|
| U. Kawai | K. 257 Boone Road |
| Mrs. L. Rogowenko | 1105/6 Broadway |
| M. Y. San | 37 Nanking Road |
| S. Uyeda | P. 448 Nanking Rd. |

The attention of applicants is drawn to the fact that only *bonâ fide* resident proprietors or managers will be permitted to hold licences.

The public is reminded that protests against the issue of these licences, or against the renewal of any existing licences, will be heard by a Committee of the Council sitting in the Council Room, No. 24 Kiangse Road, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, April 9.

It is requested that notice of such protest be given in writing to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 18, 1920.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2689.**
**PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of temporary Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls to teach children under ten years of age, either half or whole day service. Pay according to qualifications.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience in teaching, etc., and should be forwarded together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,
**N. O. LIDDELL,**
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 18, 1920.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2690.**
**HONGKEW RECREATION GROUND.**

OWING to the public demand for the use of the space available for the playing of games, it has been decided, in lieu of the "First come first served" practice, to call for applications by those desiring playing space, whereafter allocation will be made and notification will be issued as to what arrangements are feasible.

All persons desiring such playing space should form themselves into groups or associations of whom one person shall be considered to be the representative.

Each application should contain the following information:—

1.—Name of group, club or association.
2.—Name of Chairman or President.
3.—Name and address of Secretary.
4.—Number of members.
5.—Space applied for.
6.—Number of months and days per month and approximately the hours during which it is desired to make use of the space applied for.
7.—Whether willing to share with another club or group, to play alternately, in case applications are found to exceed the space available.

Applications in writing should be made to Mr. R. Ross, c/o Shanghai Public School, on or before Thursday, April 15, 1920, after which date playing spaces will be allotted for the current season.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 25, 1920.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2691.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business, on GOOD FRIDAY, April 2, on Saturday, April 3, and on EASTER MONDAY, April 5.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 25, 1920.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2692.**
**MUNICIPAL INVESTMENT BANK.**
**INTEREST ON DEPOSITS.**

FROM March 6, 1920, and until further notice, interest at the rate of

**7 Per Cent. Per Annum**

will be allowed on deposits.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 25, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Parks Committee held on Thursday, March 18, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Rev. Br. Faust (*Chairman*)
Mr. F. Ayscough

The meeting adjourned at 5 o'clock p.m.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Friday, March 19, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
J. H. Dollar
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mr. D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 7.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Wednesday, March 24, 1920, at 12 o'clock noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
J. H. Dollar
D. Goh
A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 12.50 p m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, March 24, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
D. Goh
A. Howard
W. L. Merriman
H. A. J. Macray
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Mr. W. P. Lambe

The meeting adjourned at 7.15 p.m.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*Reserve of Officers.*—In consideration of long and valued service in the Corps, and upon the recommendation of the Commandant, retired rank of Captain, with the right to wear the prescribed uniform, has been conferred on Capt. G. M. Billings upon his resignation from the Corps.

*American Co.*—The resignation of Lieut. G. F. Ashley, forwarded by the Commandant, has been accepted by the Council with regret.

**Bye-Laws.**

It is proposed to submit the following Bye-Law for the Ratepayers' approval at a Special Meeting of Ratepayers to be convened for Wednesday, April 7, at 1.45 p.m., in the Town Hall:—

XXXVA.

*Printed Matter.*—Any person who shall print (which term shall for the purposes of this bye-law include any mechanical mode of reproduction) or publish, or cause to be printed or published, any newspaper pamphlet circular handbill leaflet placard or other paper containing public news intelligence or occurrences or any remarks or observations thereon, and shall not prior to such printing or publishing have registered or caused to be registered, in the case of foreigners with the Consul of the nationality to which such person belongs and otherwise with the Municipal Council, his name and usual places of abode and business or shall knowingly have made or caused to be made any misrepresentation or omission whereby such registration shall be misleading; and any person who shall print any paper whatsoever which shall be meant to be published or dispersed and who shall not print upon the front of every such paper, if the same shall be printed upon one side only, or upon the first or last or

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editorial leaf of every paper which shall consist of more than one leaf, in legible characters, his name and usual places of abode and business; and any person who shall publish or disperse, or assist in publishing or dispersing, any such paper on which the name and usual places of abode and business of the person printing the same shall not be printed as aforesaid, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding three hundred dollars or to imprisonment not exceeding three months or to any such other penalty as shall be prescribed by the law to which such person in amenable.

### Semaphore Service.

Correspondence with the French Municipal Council.—

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 19, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 14, in which you have been good enough to inform me of the total estimate for the Semaphore service for the year 1920, which it is noted will be Tls. 21,200.

In this connexion, I have to refer to the correspondence which took place between Mr. Laferriere and myself in December 1917 on the subject and to inform you that the Council notes with concern the ever increasing estimate for this service, which has grown from Tls. 2,500 in 1913 to more than fourfold that figure for the present year.

In requesting, therefore, that you will be so good as to provide me, as heretofore, with details of the anticipated expenses, I have to request that you will be good enough to inform me whether there is a probability of foreseeing finality in the matter of the cost of this service.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

The SECRETARY,
French Municipal Council.

*Translation of letter from the French Municipal Council, dated March 9, 1920.*

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 19, last, on the subject of the expenses of the Semaphore service.

The increase in the working expenses of this service proceeds almost entirely from the fact that the pay of the European staff has been raised from January 1, 1920, by reason of the increased cost of living. No new employe has been engaged and the cost of the maintenance of the plant is very much the same as for the year 1919.

I send you herewith the statement of the contemplated Budget for 1920 and also that for 1919, to aid you in comparing the expenses of these two years.

I am, etc.,
P. LEGENDRE,
*Secretary.*

The SECRETARY,
Shanghai Municipal Council.

ANTICIPATED EXPENSES FOR THE SEMAPHORE SERVICE AND THE METEOROLOGICAL SIGNALS FOR 1919.

(1.)—*Semaphore Service.*

| | Tls. | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| I—European Staff | 4,680 | |
| II—Chinese " | 1,192 | |
| III—Subscription to the Observatory | 400 | |
| IV—Subscription to Telephone | 450 | |
| V—Various expenses | 900 | |
| | | 7,622 |

(2.)—*Meteorological Signal Service.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| I—European Staff | 7,380 | |
| II—Chinese " | 288 | |
| III—Telephone Subscription | 90 | |
| IV—Lighting and Electric Motor | 360 | |
| V—Various expenses | 1,330 | |
| | | 9,448 |
| | Tls. | 17,070 |
| Contributed by the Municipal Council for the Semaphore expenses (50%) | Tls. | 8,500 |

ANTICIPATED EXPENSES FOR THE SEMAPHORE SERVICE AND THE METEOROLOGICAL SIGNALS FOR 1920.

(1.)—*Semaphore Service.*

| | Tls. | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| I—European Staff | 5,880 | |
| II—Chinese " | 1,116 | |
| III—Subscription to the Observatory | 400 | |
| IV—Subscription to Telephone | 450 | |
| V—Various expenses | 900 | |
| | | 8,746 |

(2.)—*Meteorological Signal Service.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| I—European Staff | 10,680 | |
| II—Chinese " | 312 | |
| III—Telephone Subscription | 90 | |
| IV—Lighting and Electric Motor | 300 | |
| V—Various expenses | 1,150 | |
| | | 12,532 |
| | Tls. | 21,278 |
| Contributed by the Municipal Council for the Semaphore expenses (50%) | Tls. | 10,600 |

### Police Force.

*Foreign Branch Quarters.*—The leases from The Credit Foncier d'Extreme Orient of Nos. 37 and 38 Darroch Road, have been renewed for a further period of two years terminating on March 31, 1922.

### Official Plans for 1920.

The following is a schedule of the chief alterations and improvements in the plans for the five districts of the Settlement adopted upon the recommendation of the Works Committee.

*Central District.*—An improvement in the line of the Soochow Road between Honan and Shantung Roads, whereby it will be possible to land cargo west of Honan Road Bridge, has been approved.

The four road corners adjacent to the new Administration Buildings will be improved by rounding off the present acute angles.

*Northern District.*—Extension of the Fearon Road Electric Light Works is provided for by scheduling Lot 1075 and the unregistered land at the corner of Yuhang and Miller Roads which adjoin the works; Haining Road will be widened to 60 feet between the Settlement boundary on the west to Chapoo Road and thence eastward to Yalu Road, which road also will be widened to a similar width. The big curves in the North Szechuen Road between Range Road and the Rifle Range will be straightened.

*Eastern District.*—A new site for the Wayside Market at the corner of Ward and Chusan Roads has been acquired. Lot 5039 is scheduled for acquisition for an extension of the Yangtszepoo Police Station. Lot 2240 north of the Nieh Chih Kuei School and the unregistered land to the west thereof will be acquired. Lots 892, 5680, 3596 have been acquired as surplus land and Lot 6051 is incorporated in Lot 6054 (Riverside Power Station). Lot 2698 has been sold and is no longer shown as a Municipal property.

*Western District.*—Areas scheduled from the section of Bubbling Well Road between Medhurst and Gordon Roads will practically eliminate the present curves in this section of the road. The purchase of Lot 2945, about half of which is included in the new road line, will much assist this desired improvement. The scheduled area of Temple land adjacent to the Bubbling Well Cemetery has been removed from the plans.

The radii of the corners at Lots 655 and 895, Sinza Road, will be improved, and the scheduled area of the bend between Lots 1768 and 1783, Great Western Road, will be straightened. The Seymour Road is extended as far as Ichang Road, and the Shaoshing Road to Robison Road at an entire width of 50 feet. The West Soochow Road is scheduled to 50 feet through Lot 3553. Lot 3101, Medhurst Road, hitherto used for an Electricity Sub-station, has been sold, and Lot 3107, Sinza Road, has been purchased in substitution. Gordon Road is scheduled for widening ex Lots 4175 and 4180. The extension of the Mohawk Market, scheduled in 1919, is abandoned.

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MARCH 20.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Sub-Inspector C. Maguire from March 28.

Sergeant P. S. Page is permitted to terminate his service on May 27.

Constable A. D. Trowell, who proceeded on war service, is invalided from March 15.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Inspector R. W. Burton from April 10.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. R. H. Woods is appointed Assistant Inspector on probation from March 16.

*Public Band.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. A. de Kryger, Assistant Conductor, from March 25.

G. Mejia is appointed Musician under agreement from January 25.

P. Natividad is re-engaged as Musician under agreement from January 25.

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*Educational Department.*—Mrs. M. A. Mitchell is appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls from March 1.

*Finance Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. A. W. Macphail, Chief Accountant, from April 10.

*Secretariat.*—Mr. H. J. D. Lowe, temporary Assistant, is permitted to terminate his service on March 20.

### Public Band.

**On Sunday next, March 28, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—**

NINETEENTH CONCERT.
"Soloists and Chamber-Music"

1.—Quartet G minor
for 2 Violins, Viola and Cello
Grieg
*(a) Un poco Andante*
*(b) Romanza*
*(c) Intermezzo*
*(d) Finale*
Messrs. V. Siroido, G Lestuzzi, T. Laudjil, P. Brunelli

2.—Two Pieces for Harp
*(a) Impromptu-Caprice* G. Pierné
*(b) Ballade et Scherzo* A. Périlhou
*Soloist: Mrs. M. C. Jaquot

3.—Two Songs for Tenor
*(a) Caro mio ben* Giordani
*(b) Mattinata* Leoncavallo
*Soloist: Mr. P. Brunelli

4.—Concerto D Major for Violin
Tschaikowsky
*1st Movement*
*Soloist: Mr. V. Siroido

*The Soloists will be accompanied at the Piano by Mr. H. Ore.

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, March 21, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 2 | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 23 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 3 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 2 | 11 |
| Influenza | — | 12 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 207 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### 7 per cent. Loan 1919.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed to the above loan as on March 12, 1920:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ld. | Tls. 100,000 | |
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | 50,000 | |
| Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. | 50,000 | |
| Canton Insurance Office, Ld. | 50,000 | |
| Kung Yik Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ld. | 50,000 | |
| One Investor of | 47,000 | |
| Nippon Yusen Kaisha | 40,000 | |
| Yokohama Specie Bank, Ld. | 40,000 | |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, Ld. | 40,000 | |
| Osaka Shosen Kaisha | 20,000 | |
| Nisshin Kisen Kaisha | 20,000 | |
| South Manchuria Railway Co., Ld. | 20,000 | |
| Bank of Chosen | 20,000 | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | |
| One ,, | 16,500 | |
| Japan-China Spinning and Weaving Co., Ld. | 15,000 | |
| S. Toyoda | 15,000 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 15,000 | 30,000 | |
| One Investor of | 14,300 | |
| One ,, | 14,000 | |
| Estate of R. W. Shaw, deceased | 13,600 | |
| Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha, Ld. | 13,000 | |
| Mitsubishi Bank, Ld. | 13,000 | |
| Shanghai Paper Mill | 13,000 | |
| One Investor of | 13,000 | |
| One ,, | 12,500 | |
| One ,, | 11,000 | |
| One ,, | 10,600 | |
| Shanghai Produce and Stock Exchange, Ld. | 10,000 | |
| C. Itoh & Co., Ld. | 10,000 | |
| International Savings Society | 10,000 | |
| Nippon Menkwa Kabushiki Kaisha | 10,000 | |
| F. A. Kennedy | 10,000 | |
| Suzuki & Co. | 10,000 | |
| Mogi & Co. | 10,000 | |
| Furukawa & Co., Ld. | 10,000 | |
| Three Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 30,000 | |
| | | Tls. 881,500 |
| 383 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 481,100 |
| 423 Foreign Investors | | Tls. 1,362,600 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Shanghai Benevolent Industrial Institution | Tls. 100,000 | |
| Yung Tsung King | 40,000 | |
| One Investor of | 40,000 | |
| One ,, | 25,000 | |
| One ,, | 18,000 | |
| Chek Sou Char | 15,000 | |
| One Investor of | 15,000 | |
| Koo Chin Zun | 10,800 | |
| One Investor of | 10,500 | |
| Hangkee | 10,000 | |
| Sisson Nie and/or Mrs. Isabella Nie | 10,000 | |
| Dung Chien Nung | 10,000 | |
| | | Tls. 304,300 |
| 61 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 126,400 |
| 73 Chinese Investors | | Tls. 430,700 |
| | | Total Tls. 1,793,300 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

### Parks Report for February.

On account of the heavy rains the soil was so saturated that any work thereon was impossible and only pruning, repairs to paths, and similar work could be carried on.

*Dogs in Parks.*—Now the warmer weather is approaching, it is desirable that the regulations that all dogs in the parks must be muzzled and led on leash should be strictly observed. This order applies to lap dogs and puppies also, as the former are frequently vicious, and the latter always destructive.

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players |
|---|---|
| Golf | 911 |
| Football | 154 |
| Hockey | 88 |
| Total No. of Players | 1,153 |
| ,, ,, Non-players | 2,637 |
| ,, ,, Visitors | 3,790 |

*Roadside Trees—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total No. of trees planted | 156 |
| ,, ,, ,, ,, staked | 48 |
| ,, ,, ,, ,, fastened | 160 |
| ,, ,, ,, ,, pruned | 3,332 |
| ,, ,, ,, ,, topdressed | 602 |
| ,, ,, ,, ,, transplanted | 5 |

*Road Widenings—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total No. of trees transplanted | 7 |
| ,, ,, ,, ,, staked | 7 |
| ,, ,, ,, ,, fastened | 7 |

*Nurseries—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Cuttings inserted | 1,770 |

D. MACGREGOR,
*Superintendent.*

Countersigned:
C. HARPUR,
Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬者須自有本局印發之圖樣及價目表

二 未有承攬者必須行文准用本局承辦人之名稱

三 擇定之後承辦人須遵照本局公布之章程辦理

四 所有承攬各人之保證金及承攬人之保證金須由本局收取之後方准登入本局公報

五 本局有取閱清單之權本局必將所收之保證金退還其餘款項仍將該款一律退還

六 所有承攬者須自有本局印發之圖樣及價目表方准登入本局公報

面漆其承攬者須自有本局印發之圖樣及價目表方准登入本局公報

二部局總辦處至西江路二號工部局辦公處

信時之前以須在十日上午十一時送交工部局

清單送來最善者

此次概免公開挂號信

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 198 | 112 Induction Motors (Copies of the Specification may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road on or after Tuesday, March 9) Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 1, Noon |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 195

20 Miles of Bare Copper Cable

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Takata & Co. | £5,462 13 7 | |
| Sumitomo Yoko | 5,533 6 8 | |
| Furukawa & Co. | 5,641 19 6 | |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | 5,661 15 10 | |
| Scott, Harding & Co. | 5,829 10 0 | |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld. | 6,398 0 0 | |
| General Electric Co. of China | 6,757 2 11 | Yen 56,290 |
| William Little & Co. | 8,452 10 0 | |

Tender No. 196

13 Miles of Triple Braid Weatherproof Copper Wire

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | £1,395 13 9 | |
| Sumitomo Yoko | 1,421 4 7 | |
| Furukawa & Co. | 1,429 10 2 | |
| Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha | 1,567 14 7 | |
| Takata & Co. | 1,582 4 6 | |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld. | 1,633 16 0 | |
| General Electric Co. of China | 1,640 9 10 | Yen 13,666 |
| Representation for British Manufacturers, Ld. | 1,859 0 0 | |
| William Little & Co. | 1,989 10 0 | |
| Scott, Harding & Co. | 2,078 16 6 | |

Tender No. 197

8 Miles of Vulcanised Cable

| | |
|---|---|
| †Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld. | £1,205 10 0 |
| *Furukawa & Co. | 1,687 19 7 |
| Sumitomo Yoko | 1,708 17 8 |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | 1,7 9 15 6 |
| Scott, Harding & Co. | 1,763 16 6 |
| General Electric Co. of China | 1,798 7 6 |
| Representation for British Manufacturers, Ld. | 1,849 0 0 |
| Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha | 2,080 18 0 |
| William Little & Co. | 2,185 0 0 |
| British Electrical Engineering Co. of China | 3,040 18 0 |

*Accepted

†Incomplete

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## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice:—

That a Public Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall on Wednesday, April 7, 1920, at 2 o'clock p.m. precisely, to devise ways and means of raising the requisite funds for Municipal purposes, and to pass resolutions in reference thereto and to deliberate and decide upon other Municipal matters and business. At such meeting the accounts of the Council for the year ending December 31, 1919, will be submitted for the sanction and approval of the Ratepayers.

Shanghai, March 16, 1920.

D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium.*
T. RAASCHOU,
*Consul-General for Denmark and Acting Consul-General for Sweden.*
E. D. H. FRASER,
*Consul-General for Great Britain.*
V. GROSSE,
*Consul-General for Russia.*
G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy*
K. YAMASAKI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*
E. S. CUNNINGHAM,
*Consul-General for the United States of America.*
R. REAU,
*Consul-General for France.*
S. STECKMEST,
*Acting Consul-General for Norway.*
J. A. SCHUURMAN,
*Consul for the Netherlands.*
ANTONIO M. DA SILVA,
*Acting Consul-General for Portugal.*
HUGO REISS,
*Consul for Brazil.*
JULIO PALENCIA,
*Consul for Spain.*

## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby given notice that a Special Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall on Wednesday, April 7, at 1.45 p.m., when the following Resolution will be proposed:—

*Resolution.*—That the Bye-law published in the Municipal Gazette on March 25, 1920, be passed and approved, and that such Bye-law be numbered XXXVA.

Proposed by: E. C. Pearce.
Seconded by: A. Brooke Smith.

Shanghai, March 26, 1920.

A. E. Algar
W. A. Argent
H. Arnhold
F. Ayscough
A. W. Burkill
A. S. Campbell
E. E. Clark
B. A. Clarke
W. Wakeford Cox
Reginald F. C. Master
Duncan McNeill
R. B. Moorhead
Gordon Morriss
E. Nissim
M. Nodaira
E. W. Noel
Jas. H. Osborne
Edward I. Ezra
W. T. Findley
R. E. S. Gregson
Cecil Holiday
Robert S. Ivy
W. S. Jackson
P. W. O. Liddell
M. H. Logan
J. F. Macgregor
C. G. S. Mackie
P. W. Massey
R. M. Saker
E. Samson
Cecil R. Slowe
W. C. Sprague
R. E. Stewardson
G. H. Stitt
J. H. Teesdale
T. E. Trueman
Reginald N. Truman
G. H. Wright

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2693.**

THE following Resolutions will be brought forward by the Council at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers to be held in the Town Hall on April 7, 1920, at 2 o'clock p.m., and are published for general information:—

*Resolutions I, II and III.—Formal business and adoption of Rules of Procedure.*

*Resolution IV.*—That the Report and Accounts for the year ending December 31, 1919, be passed.

*Resolution V.*—That this Meeting extends its appreciative thanks to Major T. E. Trueman for the invaluable services he has rendered as Commandant of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps during the past five years.

*Resolution VI.*—That the programme of Electricity Department plant extensions recommended in the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager's report published in the Municipal Gazette of January 29, 1920, be approved and that the Council be authorized in its discretion to enter into such contracts as may be requisite to give effect thereto.

*Resolution VII.*—That the estimated expenditure for 1920, contained in the Budget proposed by the retiring Council, together with the recommendations attached thereto, be approved and adopted, and that the Council be and it is hereby authorized to impose, collect and recover the rates, taxes, dues and fees recommended therein, and to raise, should it be considered expedient to do so, upon such terms and in such manner as the Council may in its discretion think fit, a sum not exceeding Tls. 4,800,000 or the equivalent of this sum, for the purposes defined in the estimate of Extraordinary Expenditure.

*Resolution VIII.*—That this Meeting approves of the creation of a Chinese Advisory Committee and that the constitution and powers of such committee be those set forth in the letter from the Chairman of Council to the Senior Consul dated October 24, 1919, and published in the Municipal Gazette of January 8, 1920.

*Resolution IX.—Election of Land Commissioner for the ensuing year.*

*Resolution X.—Election of four Governors of the General Hospital for the ensuing year.*

*Resolution XI.—Election of two members of the Permanent Education Committee.*

Ratepayers intending to ask questions in regard to the Accounts or other matters connected with the foregoing Resolutions, are requested to give notice of such intention before the Meeting, so that a full answer or other explanation may be given.

Ratepayers desirous of bringing forward additional motions, or of nominating duly qualified persons willing to serve under Resolutions IX, X and XI, are required to give notice thereof to the undersigned before 4 p.m. on April 1, for due publication.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 27, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2698.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, in addition to the Resolutions to be brought forward as published in Notification No. 2693, the following will be proposed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7:—

*Amendment to Resolution VIII.*—To delete everything after the word "meeting" and substitute the following:

"Hereby instructs the Council to take such steps as are necessary to procure the alteration of the Land Regulations for the purpose of increasing the number of Councillors from 9 to 12 of which 3 shall be Chinese Ratepayers with the same qualifications as Foreign Councillors, and to be elected as may be subsequently determined."

Proposer: Edward S. Little.
Seconder: Edward I. Ezra.

*Resolution XII.*—That the Council be hereby authorized and directed to arrange for the re-assessment of the land comprised within the limits of the Settlement, during the current year, such re-assessment to come into force as from the first day of January 1921, and to engage such professional assistance for the performance of the work as may be found expedient.

Proposer: E. F. Mackay.
Seconder: P. A. Cox.

*Resolution XIII.*—That the Report of the Loan Redemption Committee published in the Municipal Gazette of March 16, 1918 be tabled for consideration at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers to be held in 1921.

Proposer: E. C. Pearce.
Seconder: A. Brooke Smith.

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*Resolution XIV.*—That the Council be and it is hereby authorized to impose collect and recover in respect of any licence or permit to carry firearms, that may be issued under the provisions of Bye-law XXXVII a fee of Tls. 10 per quarter with effect from May 1, 1920, until the next Annual Meeting of Ratepayers, payable in advance.

Proposer: E. C. Pearce.
Seconder: A. Brooke Smith.

*Resolution XV.*—That the report of the Special Committee appointed to inquire into vice conditions in this Settlement published in Municipal Gazette No. 681 dated March 20, 1920 be adopted and its recommendations be carried out.

Proposer: Skinner Turner.
Seconder: L. E. Canning.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2694.**

**VOTING TICKETS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that voting tickets have been forwarded to Ratepayers entitled to vote at the forthcoming Annual Meeting and at the Special Meeting of Ratepayers. Any such Ratepayer not having received his ticket is requested to be good enough to communicate with the Commissioner of Revenue, No 7A The Bund, as soon as possible.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2688.**

**TAVERN LICENCES.**

REFERRING to Notification No. 2675, applications have been made to the Council for the following new Tavern Licences for the ensuing Municipal year:—

| Applicant | Address |
|---|---|
| U Kawai | K. 257 Boone Road |
| Mrs. L. Rogowenko | 1105/6 Broadway |
| M. Y. San | 37 Nanking Road |
| S. Uyeda | P. 448 Nanking Rd. |

The attention of applicants is drawn to the fact that only *bonâ fide* resident proprietors or managers will be permitted to hold licences.

The public is reminded that protests against the issue of these licences, or against the renewal of any existing licences, will be heard by a Committee of the Council sitting in the Council Room, No. 24 Kiangse Road, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, April 9.

It is requested that notice of such protest be given in writing to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 18, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2690.**

**HONGKEW RECREATION GROUND.**

OWING to the public demand for the use of the space available for the playing of games, it has been decided, in lieu of the "First come first served" practice, to call for applications by those desiring playing space, whereafter allocation will be made and notification will be issued as to what arrangements are feasible.

All persons desiring such playing space should form themselves into groups or associations of whom one person shall be considered to be the representative.

Each application should contain the following information:—

1.—Name of group, club or association.

2.—Name of Chairman or President.

3.—Name and address of Secretary.

4.—Number of members.

5.—Space applied for.

6.—Number of months and days per month and approximately the hours during which it is desired to make use of the space applied for.

7.—Whether willing to share with another club or group, to play alternately, in case applications are found to exceed the space available.

Applications in writing should be made to Mr. R. Ross, c/o Shanghai Public School, on or before Thursday, April 15, 1920, after which date playing spaces will be allotted for the current season.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 25, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2691.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business, on GOOD FRIDAY, April 2, on Saturday, April 3, and on EASTER MONDAY, April 5.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 25, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2686 (*Amended*)**

**HOUSE REFUSE REMOVAL.**

THE Council invites tenders for the Removal of House Refuse from the Settlement for one year beginning May 1, 1920. The Council will bring the House Refuse to the Shoots.

The Contractor will have the privilege of selling House Refuse. Further particulars and tender forms can be obtained from the Health Officer, Honan Road, at 11 a.m. daily, except on Sundays.

Tenders to be sent to the undersigned before noon on April 1, tenders received after that time and date or which are not made on the official "tender form" obtainable from the Health Officer will not be considered.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 25, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2695.**

**MOTOR BICYCLE AND PRIVATE CARRIAGE LICENCES.**

THE following amended licence condition will be enforced from July 1, 1920:—

MOTOR BICYCLE.

(3) That the number of the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous position, that the figures be 1¾ inches high and in all parts 5/16 of an inch broad; that the width of the space occupied by each figure except the figure 1, be 1¼ inches; that the space between adjoining figures be ¼ one inch; that such number be white on a black ground and remain at all times legible and undefaced; and that such number be used only on the vehicle in respect of which the licence is issued; *that the number plate on the front mud guard have duplicate faces, and that an additional number plate be affixed in a conspicuous position at the rear of the vehicle.*

The following additional licence condition will be enforced from July 1, 1920.

PRIVATE CARRIAGE.

(5A) That an approved number and a licence number plate be affixed to every vehicle in the presence of the Police, that such numbers be not transferable and that they remain at all times legible and undefaced.

For he purpose of affixing the number plate, all private carriages are required to be sent to the Vehicle Inspection Office at Gordon Road Police Station on any week day in June between the hours of 8 a.m. and noon and 2 p.m. and 5 p.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2696.**

**SPECIAL RATE ON PREMISES OUTSIDE SETTLEMENT LIMITS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the occupants of premises situate outside Settlement limits but served by Municipal roads and supplied with water by the Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld., or with electricity by the Municipal Electricity Department or connected with the telephone system of the Shanghai Mutual Telephone Co., Ld., will (subject to the approval of the Ratepayers at the Annual Meeting to be held on April 7), be

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required as from July 1, 1920, to pay a special Municipal Rate of 12 instead of 7 per cent. on the assessed rentals of such premises, payable quarterly in advance.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 1, 1920.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2697.**
**EXCHANGE AND TOBACCO SHOPS.**

THE public is hereby notified that Condition No. 6 of the Exchange Shop or Stall Licence and Condition No. 4 of the Tobacco Shop or Stall Licence published in the Municipal Gazette of January 22 have been rescinded.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 1, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Volunteer Corps Commission held on Thursday, March 25, 1920, at 5.15 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Rev. J. R. Hykes *(Chairman)*
Messrs. R. E. S. Gregson
S. J. Halse
Lieut. Col. M. H. Logan, M.C.
Mr. C. G. S. Mackie

The meeting adjourned at 7 o'clock, p.m.

AT a special meeting of the Council held on Monday, March 29, 1920, at 12 noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
D. Goh
A. Howard
W. L. Merriman
H. A. J. Macray
A. Brooke Smith

*Absent:*
Messrs. J. H. Dollar
W. P. Lambe

The meeting adjourned at 1 o'clock, p.m.

AT the meeting of the Volunteer Corps Commission held on Tuesday, March 30, 1920, at 6 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Rev. J. R. Hykes (*Chairman*)
Messrs. R. E. S. Gregson
S. J. Halse
Lieut. Col. M. H. Logan, M.C.
Mr. C. G. S. Mackie

The meeting adjourned at 7.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, March 31, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
J. H. Dollar
D. Goh
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
W. L. Merriman
H. A. J. Macray
A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*Light Horse.*—The resignation of Captain H. S. Lindsay, forwarded by the Commandant, has been accepted by the Council with regret.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, a commission as Captain is authorized for issue to Mr. E. H. McMichael.

**Report of the Volunteer Corps Commission.**

The scope of the Commission's enquiry is contained in the resolution of the Ratepayers passed at the Annual Meeting on April 9, 1919, as follows:—

"To enquire into and report publicly upon the condition of 'B' Company, British, Shanghai Volunteer Corps, and into the Regulations governing the Shanghai Volunteer Corps generally."

There was considerable delay in selecting and securing the members of the Commission, so that an inaugural meeting of the incomplete membership was not held until August 1, 1919. Finally the following were appointed and consented to serve:—

Messrs. R. E. S. Gregson,
S. J. Halse,
Dr. J. R. Hykes,
Lt. Col. M. H. Logan and
Mr. C. C. S. Mackie.

Dr. John R. Hykes was elected chairman and Mr. S. Hammond was appointed secretary.

The first meeting of the full Commission could not be held until November 18, 1919.

The Commission held in all seven sittings.

Two applications were made to the Municipal Council for a copy of the proceedings and findings of the Court of Enquiry held on November 1, 1918. These applications were refused. The Commission was unanimous that these findings were most material towards throwing further light on its investigations and that they should have been produced. Whilst the Commission regrets that the documents asked for were not forthcoming, it considers that the evidence placed before it is sufficient to enable it to arrive at a definite conclusion as to the conditions existing in "B" Company during the years 1915-1919, and the causes which were responsible for them.

From an examination of the muster rolls of "B" Company it appears that between the dates January 15, 1918, and November 19, 1919, 75 members of the Company resigned. On November 21, 1919, the strength of "B" Company was 35 members only, a few of whom were members who had resigned and subsequently rejoined. In consequence of the large number of resignations the utility and efficiency of the Company was greatly decreased.

The Commission is of opinion that the condition of "B" Company is attributable principally, if not altogether, to dissatisfaction in the Company at the method of appointment of its officers. The method of appointment and promotion of officers is provided for by Article VIII of the Regulations for the Shanghai Volunteer Corps:

"The sole power of granting commissions is vested in the Council who will appoint and promote officers on the recommendation of the Commandant who shall satisfy himself that such officers are acceptable to their unit as a whole."

This rule is sufficiently clearly expressed and the principle that members of a unit are entitled to have a voice in the appointment of its officers cannot be doubted.

It is clear that until comparatively recently the procedure in "B" Company, in common with other Companies of the S.V.C., was that prior to the appointment of an officer to the Company, a meeting was convened and the opinion of the Company as a whole was taken as to whether or not such appointment was acceptable to the Company.

The Commission finds that during the War, officers have been appointed to "B" Company contrary to Regulation VIII, and to the spirit of that Regulation, in that the opinion of the Company as a whole was not in fact invoked prior to such appointments.

An instance occurred in the case of the appointment of an officer in October 1918, when the approval of the Company Officer and the assurance of one member of "B" Company that he was willing to forego promotion in favour of such officer was stated to be a compliance with Article VIII.

It is recognized that occasions might arise where the summary appointment of an officer to a unit would be justified by expediency, or by urgent reasons of public safety; but as no such conditions did exist, the consideration of this aspect of the matter is irrelevant to the present enquiry.

In a body such as the S.V.C., as at present constituted, there are no real means of enforcing discipline except by the good-will of the members of the Corps and the weight of public opinion; and if on this account alone the spirit and letter of the Regulations should be strictly observed.

The Commission finds that there was a legitimate grievance in "B" Company because of the failure to observe the requirements of Article VIII, and that the condition of the Company is due to this cause.

It also finds that the proceedings subsequent to the Court of Enquiry held on November 1, 1918, were irregular and that no justification existed for the publication of Corps Order No. 101 in the Public Press.

With regard to the second part of the Ratepayers' resolution it was understood that a draft of proposed new regulations would be laid before the Commission for consideration and comparison.

This has been done, but at so late a date that the Commission finds there is insufficient time before the Ratepayers' meeting for it to undertake adequately this portion of

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the enquiry. It, therefore, confines itself to indicating the proposed amendment to Article VIII of the present regulations, contained in Article X of the new draft, in which the Commandant is to satisfy himself as to the fitness and "acceptability" of officers; but no reference is made to the acceptability of officers "to their units as a whole."

The Commission regards this omission as of significance especially in the light of the interpretation sought to be put upon Article VIII and referred to earlier in this report: namely, that there has been a compliance with the Article, as it now stands, when the Company officers approve an appointment and the Senior N.C.O. does not object.

JOHN R. HYKES,
*Chairman.*

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**Foreign Women's Home.**

Correspondence on the subject of an application for an increased grant to this Institution from the public funds:—

Shanghai, February 18, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—On behalf of the Committee of the Foreign Women's Home, I have to ask you to bring before the Members of the Shanghai Municipal Council, the following facts and request:—

Last November, the Foreign Women's Home moved into a large house in Baikal Road. The Home has been full ever since they moved in. At present it is too full, owing to the somewhat abnormal conditions now existing in the city.

But with the ever growing foreign population, the Committee are unanimously convinced that the accommodation they have will always be needed. Since the middle of November, they have given shelter and care to 34 women of English, Scotch, American and Russian Nationality.

Some of these women needed nursing and special care. Two were sent to the hospital for operations. The operations were performed gratis by a member of our Committee, Dr. Margaret Polk. In both cases, the hospital expenses were also procured by the Home.

I wish to emphasise the fact that we give shelter to any destitute or friendless foreign women. We know and recognize the great value of other organizations, working for the relief of the needy, but we are the only permanent organization that has a roof to offer to those who need one.

On the other side of our work, viz., to give a home and to help any unfortunate woman who wishes to try and reclaim her character and her womanhood, we feel, that while others have been making valuable and necessary investigations, we have been doing *real work* along these lines.

Because we wish to do this work in a still more efficient manner, and to be a real help to the Community, we asked our Vice-President, Mrs. Billinghurst, to try and secure for us a lady worker in England. We have received a cablegram to the effect that she is sailing next month.

We are very grateful to the Municipal Council for the yearly grant made to the Home, and the Committee wish to express their gratitude. Owing, however, to the large number of women who have come under our care, we find ourselves in somewhat financial difficulties, and I am requested to petition the Council to increase the yearly grant Taels One Thousand per year.

Hoping that the Council will favourably consider this request, and assuring them of our very real desire to supply a need in the Community, I beg to remain,

Yours sincerely,
LIZZIE MACGILLIVRAY,
*Hon. Secretary,*
*Foreign Women's Home.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 17, 1920.

MADAM,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 18 applying for an increase of the grant-in-aid of the Foreign Women's Home in Baikal Road, and in reply thereto I am directed to inform you that while fully sympathetic in the aims and objects of this institution, the Council regrets its inability to increase the amount of the authorised grant.

I am, Madam,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

MRS. DONALD MACGILLIVRAY,
Honorary Secretary,
Foreign Women's Home.

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**Report of the Special Vice Committee.**

Letter containing the Council's views upon the recommendations summarised in the Report of the Special Vice Committee published in the Municipal Gazette of March 19, 1920:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 30, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of and to thank you for your letter of March 9, forwarding the unanimous report of the Committee appointed by the Council, in pursuance of Resolution X passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers in 1919, to investigate vice conditions in the Settlement.

In conveying to you and to your colleagues on the Committee an expression of the Council's sincere appreciation of the exhaustive investigations undertaken, as indicated by the comprehensive and instructive manner in which the several aspects of the problem of the betterment of existing vice conditions have been dealt with, I am directed to express in as few words as possible the Council's views (excepting the members who sat on your Committee) regarding the recommendations contained in the summary appended to your Committee's Report.

1.—The Council adheres to the view that the total elimination of brothels is inadvisable and that this recommendation, if adopted, will in fact result (*a*) in the removal of a large number of brothels to a short distance beyond the limits of the Settlement where, in the absence of all control and regulation by the Council, they would flourish under conditions infinitively worse than those which exist at present, (*b*) in the establishment of "sly" brothels in different areas of the Settlement, the suppression of which would have no other results than those which have attended their attempted suppression in other countries. In addition their suppression would involve a substantial increase in the strength of the Police Force such as would constitute no inconsiderable burden on the taxpayers, apart from the demoralizing influences to which the Force would undoubtedly be exposed and (c) in a very large increase in street and public resort soliciting, the suppression of which, by legal process, presents no little difficulty by reason of the reluctance of those who are solicited in coming forward and giving evidence. So long as brothels are licensed this evil could undoubtedly be kept very largely in check by proceedings against the keepers of the brothels under a condition imposed in the licence, but so soon as licences are withdrawn this means of checking this evil will automatically disappear.

2, 3, 4, 11, 13, 14 and 15. The Council has expressed its endorsement of these recommendations, though there are practical difficulties which would prevent the Council from compelling the treatment of venereal disease by certain of the hospitals which receive grants-in-aid.

5.—Effect to this recommendation would be given by the specific approval of the Ratepayers from time to time.

6, 7 and 8.—The Council has endorsed these recommendations subject to the comments under No. 1 above, but, in members' opinion, the whole-hearted co-operation of the public with the Police would be essential to success.

9.—Convictions would naturally weigh with the Council in considering the fitness of an applicant for the issue or renewal of a licence.

10.—This recommendation, if adopted, would, in the members' opinion, prove abortive in its object, through lack of co-operation on the part of the public with the Police.

12.—The Council adheres to the view that examination has its value, even if the percentage of possible prevention effected in the case of gonorrhœa is but 10 per cent., of syphilis 50 per cent., and of chancroid 75 per cent.

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16.—The Council will ascertain the views of the local educational institutions on this recommendation.

In conclusion, I am directed to express the hope that, as a result of discussion of the subject at the forthcoming meeting of Ratepayers, a satisfactory *modus operandi* may be found whereby commercialised vice and its kindred evils may be reduced to a minimum in and around the Settlement.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

SKINNER TURNER, Esq.,
Chairman, Special Vice Committee.

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**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Muirhead Road.*—The compensation offered for Mow 0.106 of land required from Lot 896 for the widening of this road has been accepted in terms of the following correspondence:—

Shanghai, August 13, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—Replying to your letter of August 8, we beg to inform you that the beneficial owner of Cadastral Lot 896 claims compensation for the area of Mow 0.106 required from this lot for incorporation into Muirhead Road Extension at the rate of Tls. 3,000 per mow, or a total of Tls. 318 for the area to be surrendered.

Yours very respectfully,
CHINA REALTY COMPANY, LD.,
W. A. ADAMS,
*Manager.*

The MUNICIPAL ENGINEER.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, August 23, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter to the Municipal Engineer of August 13, on the subject of the compensation payable for the strip of Cadastral Lot 896 required for the widening of Muirhead Road.

In reply I am directed to state that the Council considers your claim at the rate of Tls. 3,000 per mow altogether too excessive, and to inform you that compensation based on the assessed value of the land, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, as follows, is considered equitable in the circumstances:—

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| Mow 0.106 at Tls. 1,200 per mow | Tls. 127.20 | |
| Plus 10 per cent. | 12.72 | |
| | | Tls. |
| | Tls. 139.92 | say 140 |

In conveying a counter-offer on the above basis, I am directed to express the hope that it will meet with your acceptance.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The CHINA REALTY CO., LD.

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Shanghai, September 19, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—In reply to your letter of August 23, 1919 regarding the compensation payable for the strip of B. C. Lot 9632 required for the widening of Muirhead Road, we beg to inform you that the owner of this lot is not willing to accept your proposal of payment of Tls. 140. He, however, is willing to accept compensation on the basis of Tls. 2,000 per mow plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender or

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| Mow 0.106 at Tls. 2,000 per mow | Tls. | 212. |
| Plus 10 per cent. | ,, | 21.20 |
| | Tls. | 233.20 |

We hope that the Council can arrange to settle the matter on this basis.

Yours very respectfully,
CHINA REALTY COMPANY, LD.,
W. A. ADAMS,
*Manager.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 1, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—In reply to your letter of September 19, relative to the surrender from Lot 896 of the area required from the Muirhead Road, I am directed to inform you that the Council is quite unable to comply with the owner's suggestion. In his first claim this owner demanded Tls. 3,000 per mow, he now demands Tls. 2,000 per mow. The Council has offered him the assessed value, upon which he has paid taxes. This valuation was based upon that of adjacent lots, assessed by independent experts in accordance with the usual procedure.

I have to add that the Council if obliged to refer this case for compulsory surrender with award of compensation by the Land Commissioners, may feel under the necessity, in pointing out to the Commissioners the advantage which will be derived by the property by fronting as a corner lot upon the new thoroughfare, to press for a deduction for betterment.

In these circumstances I am to suggest that you will be good enough to use your good offices with your client for settlement of this matter upon the full and adequate terms offered, i.e., the assessed value plus 10 per cent. without deduction of any kind whatsoever.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The CHINA REALTY CO., LD.

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Shanghai, October 24, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—Replying to your letter of October 1 regarding the surrender of a portion of B. C. Lot 9632 for incorporation into the Muirhead Road, we beg to inform you that the beneficial owner has agreed to accept your offer contained in your letter of August 23, 1919.

We would thank you to forward us the necessary surrender deeds for signature.

Yours very truly,
CHINA REALTY COMPANY, LD.,
W. A. ADAMS,
*Manager.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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*Bubbling Well Road.*—Acquisition has been effected of Mow 0.120 of unregistered land for widening this road East of B.C. Lot 9714 for the sum of Tls. 300.

The claim has been accepted of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. for the surrender of the scheduled area of Lots 234 and 233 at the assessed value plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender or Tls. 22,519 for Mow 1.980, plus cost of reinstatement of the walls and fences, etc., affected.

*Yuyuen Road.*—Acquisition has been arranged of Mow 0.145 of land ex T.C. Lot 606 (formerly U.S. Lot 2141) for the widening of this road, for the sum of Tls. 189.

**Traffic.**

The Chaoufoong Road Jetty will be closed to traffic during repairs, from Tuesday, April 6, to Tuesday, April 20 inclusive.

**Motor Freight Vehicles and Freight Trailers.**

Correspondence with the French Municipal Council, on the subject of the proposed licence conditions for these vehicles, in continuation of that published in the Gazette of March 18, 1920:—

*Translation of letter from the Secretary of the French Council, dated March 22, 1920.*

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 8, 1920, on the subject of the new regulations for motor freight vehicles and trailers. This letter was the subject of consideration by the French Council at its meeting on March 15 when it recorded its agreement with the principle of separate licences for each Settlement.

I have the honour to forward herein enclosed the new regulations which will be put into force for these vehicles in the French Settlement as from April 1, 1920.

I also enclose the new tariff applicable from the same date to motor tricycles, pedal tricycles and hire vehicles.

I am, etc.,
P. LEGENDRE,
*Secretary.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 30, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 22 notifying the agreement

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of your Council with the principle of separate licences for each Settlement in the case of motor freight vehicles and freight trailers as also forwarding a copy of the regulations affecting these vehicles which will be enforced in the French Settlement as from April 1, for which I am directed to thank you.

I am also to thank you for the new tariff which will have effect from the same date in the case of motor tricycles, pedal tricycles and hire vehicles.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

P. LEGENDRE, Esq.,
Secretary, French Municipal Council.

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**Wharfage Dues.**

Interchange of correspondence with the French Municipal Council, the General Chamber of Commerce and the Commissioner of Customs:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 28, 1919.

SIR,—Under the agreement concluded between the Council, the French Council and the Commissioner of Customs in 1899, set forth on page 178 of the Council's Annual Report for that year, it was agreed that the collection of wharfage dues should be carried out by the Commissioner of Customs on behalf of the two Councils, in accordance with the tariff therein set forth, which has since remained unchanged but for the fact that opium no longer figures therein, and that a modification has been made in the case of dues on cocoons.

Under Article IX of the Land Regulations, the Council is authorized to collect dues "on all goods passed through the Chinese Custom House. . . provided the said. . . dues shall in no case exceed the amount of one-tenth of 1 per cent. of the value of the goods. . . ." On reference to the tariff, it will be seen that the only classes of goods on which the maximum rate is not at present collected, are silk, tea, treasure and such goods as pay Customs Duty at a lower rate than 5 per cent. Recently, however, the Council has given consideration to the desirability of raising the dues on these goods to the maximum amount and subject to the concurrence of your Council, it proposes to approach the General Chamber of Commerce, for an expression of its views on the desirability of this action, and subject to their consideration, to address the Commissioner of Customs thereafter, so that provision for the collection of dues at the maximum rate on all goods passing through the Chinese Custom House may be included in the Council's Budget of Ordinary Income for 1920.

I am directed to request that you may kindly bring this proposal to the attention of your Council for its consideration, thereafter communicating its views to me for submission to the Council and for such further action as may be requisite.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The SECRETARY,
French Municipal Council.

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*Translation of letter from the Secretary of the French Municipal Council, dated August 30, 1919.*

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of July 28, last, respecting wharfage dues.

The Municipal Council considered this matter at its meeting of August 18, and directed me to inform you that it entirely approves the Municipal Council's scheme relative to raising to the maximum the rates for wharfage dues, to be collected on all merchandise passing through the Chinese Custom House.

I am requested further to inform you that it is prepared to support the Council in any representations to be made on this subject.

I am, etc.,
P. LEGENDRE,
*Secretary*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 6, 1919.

SIR,—Under the agreement concluded between the Council, the French Council and the Commissioner of Customs in 1899, set forth on page 178 of the Council's Annual Report for that year, it was agreed that the collection of wharfage dues should be carried out by the Commissioner of Customs on behalf of the two Councils, in accordance with the tariff therein set forth, which has since remained unchanged but for the fact that opium no longer figures therein, and that a modification has been made in the case of dues on cocoons.

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I am, accordingly, directed to request that you will kindly bring this proposal to the attention of your Chamber for its consideration, thereafter communicating its views to me for submission to the Council and for such further action as may be requisite.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The CHAIRMAN,
Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce.

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Shanghai, October 24, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I beg to acknowledge your favour dated October 6 which was placed before my Committee at their Meeting on October 14, and a reply will be sent you as soon as possible.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
G. J. W. MORGAN,
*Acting Secretary,*
*Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, November 4, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—The Wharfage Dues Agreement which was signed in March 1899, by representatives of the International Settlement, the French Concession, and by the Commissioner of Customs, provided, as you know, for the collection of wharfage dues on all dutiable cargo landed and shipped at this port at the rate of 2 per cent. of the duty paid; and, in the case of duty-free articles, at the rate of 2 per cent. of 5 per cent. of their value. A specific tariff was, however, fixed for opium, silk, tea, table waters and treasure. Of these articles, opium no longer appears on our tables.

The levy of wharfage dues on silk, tea and table waters at specific rates instead of at a fixed percentage of the duty paid is an arrangement which entails considerable inconvenience to the Customs, owing to the fact that special records for these commodities have to be kept; and I now venture to request that this matter be laid before your Council with a view to arranging that wharfage dues be levied on silk, tea and table waters from April 1 next at the rate of 2 per cent. of the duty paid instead of at the specific rates now in force.

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The articles affected by the change now proposed are as follows:—

| Article | per | Customs Duty, Hk. Tls. | Present rate of Wh. Dues. | Proposed rates for Wh. dues. |
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| Silk, Steam Filature | Picul | 10.000 | 0.320 | 0.200 |
| ,, Raw and White | ,, | 10.000 | 0.160 | 0.200 |
| ,, Yellow, Native | ,, | 7.000 | 0.135 | 0.140 |
| ,, Wild, Raw | ,, | 2.500 | 0.100 | 0.050 |
| ,, Wild, Filature | ,, | 2.500 | 0.120 | 0.050 |
| ,, Re-reeled, Native | ,, | 10.000 | 0.250 | 0.200 |
| ,, Re-reeled from Dupion | ,, | 5.000 | 0.250 | 0.100 |
| ,, Re-reeled, Filature | ,, | 10.000 | 0.300 | 0.200 |
| ,, Refuse | ,, | 1.000 | 0.020 | 0.020 |
| ,, Cocoons | ,, | 3.000 | 0.600 | 0.600 |
| Tea, Black and Green, fired | ,, | 1.250 | 0.015 | 0.025 |
| ,, Brick | ,, | 0.600 | 0.010 | 0.012 |
| ,, Dust | ,, | 1.250 | 0.015 | 0.025 |
| ,, Dust | ,, | 0.600 | 0.003 | 0.012 |
| ,, Unfired | ,, | 1.000 | 0.015 | 0.200 |
| Table Waters, Native or Foreign | Dozen | 0.070 foreign, Free. native. | 0.0025 | 0.0014 |

It will be noticed that the proposed uniform rates of 2 per cent. of the duty paid represent, in the case of certain of the above articles, an increase over the present rates; in others, a decrease; while in the case of silk refuse and silk cocoons there would be no change.

The effect of the proposed unification of rates on the total wharfage dues collection would be negligible,—one year would show a slight increase, another a decrease as compared with the present collection, depending on the relative quantities of these commodities landed and shipped.

I append a table showing the difference between the actual wharfage dues collection on the above commodities during the last five years at the present specific rates, and the wharfage dues collection on the same articles worked out on the basis of the proposed uniform rate of 2 per cent. of the duty for the same period. Had 2 per cent. of the duty been collected during this period, it would have meant a slight increase in the wharfage dues collection in 1914 and 1915, and a decrease in 1916, 1917 and 1918. Over the whole of this 5-year period there would have been a total net decrease in the wharfage dues collection of Hk. Tls. 8,319, which represents slightly over half of 1 per cent. of the total wharfage dues collection for the 5-year period.

In view of the fact that the proposed change would simplify considerably the recording of the wharfage dues collection, and at the same time make no appreciable difference in the amount collected, I should be gratified if your Council could see its way to sanction the new procedure. I would further ask you kindly to inform me whether your Council is prepared to adopt the change now proposed, so that I may likewise approach the Chinese authorities interested in the question.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

L. A. LYALL,

*Commissioner of Customs.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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APPENDIX

| Year | A | B | C | D | E |
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| | Hk. Tls. | Hk. Tls. | Hk. Tls. | Hk. Tls. | |
| 1914 | 30,236 | 32,634 | *2,398 | 278,516 | *0.86% |
| 1915 | 39,789 | 40,576 | *787 | 283,135 | *0.21% |
| 1916 | 28,605 | 22,823 | †3,782 | 312,294 | †1.21% |
| 1917 | 25,561 | 20,667 | †4,894 | 310,304 | †1.25% |
| 1918 | 29,172 | 26,344 | †2,828 | 301,756 | †0.90% |
| Total, 5 years | 151,363 | 143,044 | †8,319 | 1,486,005 | †0.56% |

*Increase. †Decrease.

Col. *A*.—Wharfage dues collected on silk, tea and table waters at existing rates for 5 years, 1914-1918.

Col. *B*.—Wharfage dues for the same years if proposed uniform rate of 2 per cent of the duty had been in force.

Col. *C*.—Difference between *A* and *B*.

Col. *D*.—Total wharfage dues collection on all commodities for the years 1914-1918.

Col. *E*.—Percentage of gain or loss on total wharfage dues collection which would have resulted from proposed uniform rate.

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Shanghai, November 26, 1919.

SIR,—With reference to your letter of October 6 and the Acting Secretary's acknowledgement dated October 24, I now beg to enclose copies of letters received from the Bankers', Silk, and Tea Associations dealing with above subject, and would commend them to the Council's consideration.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

M. G. BECK,

*Secretary,*

*Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

(*Enclosure No. 1.*)

Shanghai, October 29, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of October 24 with enclosure regarding the proposed increase in the charge at this port for wharfage dues from 30 tael cents per Tls. 1,000 to Tael 1 per Tls. 1,000.

At present all imports of bullion are subject to a tax of 75 cents per Tls. 1,000 made up as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Wharfage Dues | ... 30 cents |
| Conservancy Tax | ... 45 ,, |
| | 75 cents |

The present charge for wharfage dues appears to be a sufficient tax for the services rendered, especially as no such charge is made in other countries on imports and/or exports of bullion and currency.

The Banks are of opinion that any increased tax on bullion will only tend to create a further charge on the currency of this country and the inland exchanges, and on these grounds are of the unanimous opinion that a strong protest must be made against the proposed increase in the charge for wharfage dues at this port.

Yours faithfully,

C. J. SCOTT,

*Chairman,*

*Shanghai Foreign Exchange Bankers' Association.*

The SECRETARY,

Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce.

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(*Enclosure No. 2.*)

Shanghai, November 5, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I have to thank you for your letter of October 24 requesting the views of our Association on the proposed increase of wharfage dues as set forth in copy of letter from the Secretary of the Shanghai Municipal Council dated October 6. The views of my Committee are as follows:—

If dues are to be collected at the maximum rate of one-tenth of 1 per cent. of the value, this will represent an increase of some three times the present dues, say

| | Tls. | Present Dues per picul. Hk. Tls. | Proposed Dues per picul. Hk. Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Steam Filatures | 1.000 | 0.320 | 1.00 |
| Rereeled White | 700 | 0.250 | 0.70 |
| Wild Filature | 400 | 0.120 | 0.40 |

While eventually exporters pay an increase, this is a point which from previous experience my Committee has found very difficult to impress on the Chinese dealers, who will have to pay such an increase first. The majority of silk-men have lost money (the Steam Filatures having suffered most are studying ways how to relieve the situation) and to enforce such a increase in a bad season will cause general dissatisfaction and might interfere with business. My Committee consequently suggest that any proposed increase be gradual after due notice and if possible to commence at the beginning of the season, say June 1.

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With regard to the proposal to levy dues on a value basis, my Committee consider this entirely impracticable on an article which fluctuates Tls. 200 in a couple of months and which is frequently contracted for three to five months ahead. The only practicable way is the one at present in use, a charge per picul.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
A. JOST,
*Hon. Secretary,*
*Foreign Silk Association of Shanghai.*

The CHAIRMAN,
Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce.

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*(Enclosure No. 3.)*

Shanghai, October 30, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—I have circulated your letter (together with the copy of the letter from the Shanghai Municipal Council) among Members of the China Tea Association.

The general opinion is that the tax is so small anyway, that it is of little importance if there is a slight increase.

The present rate of wharfage dues on tea is Tls. 0.015 per picul. The present average value of tea is about Tls. 25 per picul.

If Tls. 25 per picul is taken as a basis and the maximum rate of 1/10th of 1 per cent. is charged, the rate for wharfage dues would be Tls. 0.025.

As the tea trade is suffering from the absence of a Russian demand, and the export largely diminished in consequence, the trade in certain kinds of tea is threatened with extinction, and hundreds of thousands of workers have to look for other employment.

The Customs to help the trade have removed the export duty for two years and reduced the likin by a half. It will therefore give a bad impression to the native authorities if the foreign community at this time make any advance in taxation of tea even though it may not be appreciable to individual dealers.

I suggest under the circumstances that the wharfage dues on tea remain unchanged.

I am,
Yours faithfully,
H. A. J. MACRAY,
*Chairman, China Tea Association.*

ACTING SECRETARY,
Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, January 29, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to refer to your letter of August 30 last on the subject of wharfage dues and to enclose herein copy of correspondence which has passed between the Council and the General Chamber of Commerce, copy of a letter from the Commissioner of Customs and extract from the minutes of the meeting of the Finance Committee held on January 22 and subsequently confirmed by the Council at its meeting on January 28. This minute records the Council's present views on the subject, but before communicating these views to the Commissioner of Customs I am to request you kindly to favour me with the views of your Council as it seems to the Council most desirable that the two Councils should be agreed as to the action to be taken.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

P. LEGENDRE, Esq.,
Secretary, French Municipal Council.

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*Translation of letter from the Secretary of the French Municipal Council, dated February 16, 1920.*

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated January 29 last, in reference to wharfage dues and the correspondence enclosed therewith.

The French Council considered this matter at its last meeting on February 9, and directs me to inform you that it is in complete accord with the views of the Municipal Council.

I am, etc.,
P. LEGENDRE,
*Secretary.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, February 28, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to refer to your letter of November 4, 1919, on the subject of the collection of wharfage dues.

Towards the end of June last the Council reached the view that it was desirable that the dues on silk, tea, treasure and goods upon which Customs duties are paid at a lower rate than 5 per cent. should be increased so as to bring them into line with other goods, upon which dues are already collected at the maximum rate laid down in Article IX of the Land Regulations, viz., one-tenth of 1 per cent. on their value. This view was communicated to the French Council with a request for its views on the subject and on August 30 reply was received expressing its agreement with the Council. The General Chamber of Commerce was next addressed and on October 24 the Council was informed that the matter had been considered at a meeting of the Committee of the Chamber held on October 14 and that a reply would be sent to the Council in due course. On November 4 your letter now under reply was received. On November 26 the Chamber of Commerce replied enclosing copies of letters on the subject from the Bankers, Silk and Tea Associations, copies of which are enclosed herein for your information.

The whole of the above correspondence was considered in detail at a meeting of the Finance Committee on January 22 when the following minute was recorded and subsequently confirmed by the Council:—

*Wharfage Dues.*—A letter from the French Council is submitted expressing concurrence with the Council's views on the subject of wharfage dues as recorded in the Committee's minute of June 26, and signifying their willingness to support representations in this connexion. There is also submitted the ensuing correspondence with the General Chamber of Commerce, wherefrom members note that the Shanghai Foreign Exchange Bankers Association is opposed to any increase in the dues on bullion, in the view that it will tend to create a further charge on the currency of the country and on inland exchanges, whilst no such charge is made in other countries: that the Foreign Silk Association is somewhat diffident in regard to an increase in the dues on silk, expressing the view that any increase should be gradual after due notice, and that a levy on a value basis is impracticable since silk values are liable to violent fluctuations; and that, whilst of the opinion that the dues are so small that a slight increase would be of little importance, the China Tea Association nevertheless suggests that the dues should remain unchanged, a suggestion which the Association supports by alluding to the fact that the Customs duty has been remitted for two years and likin reduced by one-half, with a view to helping the tea trade. Finally a letter from the Commissioner of Customs is submitted suggesting alteration of the basis upon which wharfage dues are collected in the case of silk, tea and native and foreign table waters. He points out that the levy of dues on the commodities mentioned at specific rates as at present instead of at a fixed percentage of the Customs duty, entails considerable inconvenience, and he suggests that from April 1 next, the dues be levied at the rate of 2 per cent. of the duty paid.

Whilst members have no objection to the principle involved in the Commissioner's suggestion, it is recalled that the object in addressing the French Council and the General Chamber of Commerce was to secure a larger revenue from wharfage dues, whereas consideration of the statistics, which the Commissioner quotes, in regard to the dues collected during the last five years, shows that the collection on the basis which he proposes would have meant a net decrease in the dues of Hk. Tls. 8,319. Accordingly, subject to ascertainment of the view of the French Council, members recommend that reply be made to the Commissioner approving his proposals provisionally and in principle, but pointing out that the increased cost of the administration of the Settlement necessitates collection of 3 instead of 2 per cent. of the duty paid, but so that such percentage

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shall not in any case exceed one-tenth of one per cent. of the value of the goods concerned. With regard to bullion it seems to members that an increase in the wharfage dues from 30 to 45 cents per Tls. 1,000 which is the amount levied for the Conservancy tax, would not appreciably affect the currency of the country or the inland exchanges, and a recommendation that the dues be increased accordingly is recorded.

The French Council was again approached on the matter and the Council has since been informed that it is in complete accord with the views expressed in the above minute.

I am accordingly directed to inform you that, subject to their confirmation by the Ratepayers at the forthcoming Annual Meeting, which will probably be held in the second week of April, the proposals outlined in your letter of November 4 have been provisionally approved on the basis that the collection of dues shall be at the rate of 3 instead of 2 per cent. of the duty paid, but so that such percentage shall not in any case exceed one tenth of 1 per cent. of the value of the goods concerned. With regard to treasure the Council proposes an increase in the dues to 45 cents per Tls. 1,000.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

L. A. LYALL, Esq.,
Commissioner of Customs.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 1, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to thank you for your letter of February 16, on the subject of wharfage dues, and to forward herein for your information, a copy of the communication that the Council has addressed in this matter to the Commissioner of Customs. A copy of the correspondence therein referred to was forwarded with my letter of January 29.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

P. LEGENDRE, Esq.,
Secretary, French Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, March 5, 1920.

SIR,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of February 28 concerning my proposal to simplify the collection of wharfage dues.

As I understand the proposal now made by you, it is to collect as wharfage dues 3 per cent. of the amount of Customs duty collected on all goods imported or exported, provided that this amount shall in no case exceed one-tenth of one per cent. on their value.

I may mention that this proviso *re* the amount not exceeding one per mille of the value, though found in the Land Regulations, is not found in the agreement concerning the collection of wharfage dues made in March 1899, between the Councils of the Foreign Settlements and the Commissioner of Customs.

As the Customs duty on nearly all articles paying a specific duty rate is less than 5 per cent. it was probably thought unnecessary to complicate the collection of wharfage dues by incorporating this proviso in the memorandum of agreement concerning their collection, but now that you propose that the rate of wharfage dues shall be increased from 2 per cent. to 3 per cent. of the amount of Customs duty collected on goods, this proviso will become of great importance for on goods paying *an ad valorem* duty of 5 per cent. on their value, 3 per cent. of 5 per cent. will amount to 1.5 per mille. It will, therefore, be necessary to collect 3 per cent. of the Customs duty on all goods paying a specific tariff duty, and 2 per cent. of the Customs duty on all goods paying an *ad valorem* rate. This will very greatly complicate the collection of wharfage dues and will not only defeat the object I had in view when writing my letter of November 4 last, but will make the situation far worse from the Customs point of view than it now is.

The only interest that the Customs have in the collection of wharfage dues is that their collection shall be as simple as possible, and shall, therefore, delay as little as possible the passing of goods through the Custom House. As the proposal now made by you will not help towards this end, you will readily understand that it would not be becoming for me to lay it before the Chinese Authorities and endeavour to enlist their support for it.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai March 30, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to refer to the correspondence already exchanged on the subject of Wharfage Dues and to forward herein copy of a further letter addressed to the Council by the Commissioner of Customs on March 5.

It would seem to the Council that the only practical means of avoiding the difficulties to which the Commissioner refers and, at the same time, of increasing the possibilities of revenue from Wharfage Dues, apart from the results of increased trade and the operation of the 5 per cent. effective Customs Import Tariff, would be by alteration of Regulation IX of the Land Regulations governing this Settlement so as to provide that Wharfage Dues shall in no case exceed " per cent. of the Customs duty on the goods so passed, landed, shipped or trans-shipped" instead of "the amount of one-tenth of 1 per cent on the value of the goods so passed, landed, shipped or trans-shipped."

The incoming Council will give consideration to this matter at an early date, and with this end in view I am directed to request that you may kindly favour the Council with an expression of the views of the French Council.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

P. LEGENDRE, Esq.,
Secretary, French Municipal Council.

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**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 67 | Hongkong & Szechuen | S. A. Hardoon | | | water closet system |
| 27 | Jinkee | Shai Land Investment Co., Ld. | | | water closet |
| 88 | Kiangse | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | altns. |
| 695 | Yunnan & Avenue Edward VII | Wong Chi Ju | 2 | | |
| 7209 | Chow Dong Pang (Ward Road) | Sidney J. Powell | | | wooden bridge |
| E of 806 | East Yalu | Soong Shun Shing | | | addns. |
| E of 460 | Hailar | King Kee | | | 3 foundries |
| S of 3237 | Pingliang | Chang Fong Kee | | | addns. |
| 7293 | Seoul | Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| 7293 | do. | Hou Sung Cotton Mill Co., Ld. | | 1 | |
| 3612 | Thorburn | Algar & Co., Ld. | | 1 | |
| 3841 | Ward | Lin Tai & Co. | | 1 | |
| 2510 2530 | Yangtszepoo & Wetmore | E. J. Muller | 1 | | mill, 2 godown garage & wall |
| 2758 | Yangtszepoo | Graham Brown & Wingrove | 3 | | |
| 2435 | Yangtszepoo & Jansen | Moorhead & Halse | | | 2 godowns |
| 2382 | Yangtszepoo | Y. Ohara | 1 | | |
| 2377 | do. | do. | | | wall |
| S of 3904 and 3904 | Gordon | Chang Yuen Shun | | | 5 work sheds |
| 5670 | do. | Yah Kee Shun | | | conservatory |
| W of 5738 | Robison | Chang Yuen Shun | | 10 | workshops |
| 3070 | Sinza | M. Mishima | | | summer house |
| 4892 | W. Soochow | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | addns. |
| 805 | do. | do. | | 1 | 2 godowns |
| 4600 | do. | Dong Chi Kee | | | boiler house |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 319 | S. Woosieh | Chow Wai Sak | | 19 | |
| 153 | Tientsin | Yah Zung | | | addns. |
| 695 | Yunnan & Avenue Edward VII | Wong Chi Ju | | 62 | |
| 1174 | Kashing | H. M. Cumine | 6 | | |
| 342 | N. Honan | Sin Hwa Yuen | | | addns. |
| E of 382 | N. Shanse & Tong Dong Ka Loong | Ah Yung | | | altns. |
| 366 | N. Shanse | Woo Nee Kee | 5 | | |
| E of 460 | Hailar | King Kee | | 5 | |
| 6865 | Yangtszepoo | Chen Wan Hing | 4 | | |
| 980 | Yochow | Zah Sue Kee | 5 | | |
| W of 5818 | Robison | Naigai Wata Kaisha | 84 | 20 | |
| W of 5456 | do. | H. M. Cumine | | 1 | |
| S of 261 | Wenchow | Chi Ching Kee | | | addns. |

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### Public Band.

On Good Friday April 2, there will be no public dance performance in the Town Hall.

On Sunday next, April 4, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

TWENTIETH CONCERT.

Russian and French Composers

1.—Overture "*La grande Pâque Russe*" *Rimsky-Korsakow*

2.—Two Pieces for Cello with Orchestra
(*a*) *Melodie*
(*b*) *Sérénade espagnole*
*Glazounow*

(Mr. P. Brunelli, Cello)

3.—(*a*) "*In the Steppes of Central Asia*" *Borodin*
(*b*) Rêverie *Scriabine*

4.—Prélude "*L'Apres-midi d'un Faune*" *Debussy*

5.—Three movements "*Namouna-Suite*"
(*a*) *Prélude*
(*b*) *Sérénade*
(*c*) *Fête foraine* *Lalo*

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MARCH 29.

*Police Force.*—Constable J. E. Fulton is dismissed the Force from March 20.

Sergeant A. Paterson is permitted to terminate his service on August 2, the date of expiry of his agreement.

Sub-Inspector A. McGregor is transferred to be Underground Mains Foreman in the Electricity Department under an agreement from March 1, terminable at three months' notice.

*Health Department.* — Mr. G. McDonald, Attendant, Mental Ward, is permitted to terminate his service on March 24.

Dr. T. F. S. Fulton is appointed an Assistant Health Officer under agreement from March 21.

The following are appointed Nurses under agreements terminable at three months' notice from the dates specified hereunder:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Miss I. Pringle | from | March | 21 |
| E. P. McCloy | ,, | ,, | 21 |
| H. Butterworth | ,, | ,, | 24 |
| A. Z. Davies | ,, | ,, | 24 |
| F. E. Grace | ,, | ,, | 24 |
| M. Johnstone | ,, | ,, | 24 |
| M. Lyall | ,, | ,, | 24 |

*Electricity Department.* — Long leave is granted to Charge Engineer A. A. Malcolm from April 2.

Mr. A. Malevinsky is appointed temporarily as Assistant Draughtsman from March 1.

Mr. L. Kennedy is appointed Meter Inspector on probation from March 16.

Mr. W. Hunter is appointed Assistant Mains Engineer under an agreement from March 21, terminable at three months' notice.

*Educational Department.* — Miss M. M. M. Hunter is appointed Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, under agreement from March 21.

Mrs. W. D. Anderson is re-engaged temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, from March 5.

Mrs. I. Branel-Norman is appointed temporarily as Music Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, from April 12.

Mr. L. C. Healey, Acting Headmaster, is appointed Headmaster of the Polytechnic Public School for Chinese under a new agreement from January 1.

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, March 28, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 2 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 28 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 3 | 0 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 0 | 7 |
| Influenza | — | 12 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 200 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

### CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

### 工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 未行定價必須用認價目錄本局自有本局亦認如是極低不承辦本局自寄

三 所有信章係本局各項本局有權利

四 人擲到之信章必須用本局自有之信章

五 目所有以後承攬保證之准價本局各項承辦人遵照本局之合同及人攬理的保證金

六 後明本所局有必取其錢仍將收款一律退還承攬信章登錄火險

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單最善用此次概免或交代

信送時來前以須送在信期日由挂號

二部局總辦至江西路二十上海工號

面寫明承攬何項料等物必須

漆所有其承攬項目要加蓋

後明本所局有必取其錢款一律退還承攬信章登錄火險

人擲到之信章保證金

行定價必准價認辦人自寄

未定有必准價本局自有本局亦認如是極低不承辦本局自寄

所有係本攬各項本局有權利承辦人遵照本局之合同及人攬理的保證金

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 543 | Supply of Road and Building Materials | — | April 15 |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 198 | 112 Induction Motors (Copies of the Specification may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road on or after Tuesday, March 9) Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 1, Noon |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2690.**

**HONGKEW RECREATION GROUND.**

OWING to the public demand for the use of the space available for the playing of games, it has been decided, in lieu of the "First come first served" practice, to call for applications by those desiring playing space, whereafter allocation will be made and notification will be issued as to what arrangements are feasible.

All persons desiring such playing space should form themselves into groups or associations of whom one person shall be considered to be the representative.

Each application should contain the following information:—

1.—Name of group, club or association.

2.—Name of Chairman or President.

3.—Name and address of Secretary.

4.—Number of members.

5.—Space applied for.

6.—Number of months and days per month and approximately the hours during which it is desired to make use of the space applied for.

7.—Whether willing to share with another club or group, to play alternately, in case applications are found to exceed the space available.

Applications in writing should be made to Mr. R. Ross, c/o Shanghai Public School, on or before Thursday, April 15, 1920, after which date playing spaces will be allotted for the current season.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, March 25, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2695.**

**MOTOR BICYCLE AND PRIVATE CARRIAGE LICENCES.**

THE following amended licence condition will be enforced from July 1, 1920:—

MOTOR BICYCLE.

(3) That the number of the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous position, that the figures be 1¾ inches high and in all parts 5/16 of an inch broad; that the width of the space occupied by each figure except the figure 1, be 1¼ inches; that the space between adjoining figures be ¼ one inch; that such number be white on a black ground and remain at all times legible and undefaced: and that such number be used only on the vehicle in respect of which the licence is issued: *that the number plate on the front mud guard have duplicate faces, and that an additional number plate be affixed in a conspicuous position at the rear of the vehicle.*

The following additional licence condition will be enforced from July 1, 1920:—

PRIVATE CARRIAGE.

(5A) That an approved number and a licence number plate be affixed to every vehicle in the presence of the Police, that such numbers be not transferable and that they remain at all times legible and undefaced.

For the purpose of affixing the number plate, all private carriages are required to be sent to the Vehicle Inspection Office at Gordon Road Police Station on any week day in June between the hours of 8 a.m. and noon and 2 p.m. and 5 p.m.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2697.**

**EXCHANGE AND TOBACCO SHOPS.**

THE public is hereby notified that Condition No. 6 of the Exchange Shop or Stall Licence and Condition No. 4 of the Tobacco Shop or Stall Licence published in the Municipal Gazette of January 22 have been rescinded.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2701.**

**PUBLIC RECREATION GROUND.**

CLUBS desirous of securing playing space within the racecourse are requested to make application to R. I. Fearon, Esq. No. 1 The Bund, on or before Thursday, April 22.

Each application should provide the following information in the order given:—

1. Name of Club.
2. Name of Chairman or President.
3. Name and address of Secretary.
4. Number of Members.
5. Number of Playing Members.
6. Amount of Annual Subscription, if any.
7. Space applied for.
8. Whether, in case applications outrun the number of playing spaces, the Club is willing to share a space with another Club playing on alternate days.

All applications will receive the Public Recreation Ground Committee's attention, and permits will be issued as soon as possible after the date named.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 12, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2703.**

**POLITICAL MEETINGS.**

OF late there have been certain unbridled utterances by political malcontents and others affecting the Chinese Government; with attacks upon public personages, and immoderate defamatory accusations in which terms of violent abuse have been employed of such nature as tend to perturb the public mind and to prove subversive of peace and good order.

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In the Foreign Settlement, the Council is the executive custodian of order. In pursuance, therefore, of the powers vested in the Council the following regulations with regard to meetings of a political nature are issued for observance by all persons within the Foreign Settlement. These regulations will be enforced forthwith:—

1. No meeting of a political nature shall be held in the Foreign Settlement without special permission from the Council.

2. Any person or persons wishing to convene such meeting shall apply for the necessary permission at least forty-eight hours in advance to the Commissioner of Police stating the object of the meeting and giving in a general way all particulars with regard to those attending the meeting and the programme to be observed at the meeting.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 15, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2704.**

**DOGS.**

DOG owners who have not yet taken out licences for the current year, are requested to make application at the Revenue Office, *accompanied by the fee of $5 for each dog.*

Attention is directed to Condition No. 6 imposed in the licence, as follows:—

"That the dog when in the streets "or other place of public resort be "effectively muzzled, but in such a "manner as will admit of its "breathing and drinking."

Dogs found without muzzles, whether led or at large, within the limits of the Settlement or on outlying roads, will be seized by the Police and detained at the Kennels in the Gordon Road for a period of one week or longer as circumstances may direct; their owners, when identified, will be prosecuted. Dogs wearing ineffective muzzles will be regarded as unmuzzled.

Enquiries on the subject of lost or strayed dogs should be made at the Gordon Road Police Station (Telephone No. West 348).

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 15, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2705.**

**TOWN HALL.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the charge for the use of the Town Hall for meetings, dances or other social functions is Tls. 130 per diem, exclusive of the cost of electricity consumed.

The charge for the North or South Room only, inclusive of lighting, is Tls. 15 per diem or Tls. 10 for the afternoon only.

Applications should be made on special forms which can be obtained from the undersigned.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 15, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2706.**

**HOTEL OR TAVERN—ON-LICENSES.**

THE following amended licence condition will be enforced from this date:—

19. That no drunkenness, noise, disorderly *or immoral* conduct, gambling, prize fight or boxing competition be permitted on the premises.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 15, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2707.**

**DAYLIGHT SAVING.**

THE public is hereby notified that from May 1, the official office hours in all Departments of the Council's Service, will be from 8.30 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon, and from 2 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. Saturdays from 8.30 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 15, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Thursday, April 8, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce
C. M. Bain
D. Goh
A. Howard
W. P. Lambe
H. A. J. Macray
W. L. Merriman
A. Brooke Smith
Lieut.-Col. P. A. Cox O.B.E.
Messrs. M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. A. Macintyre

*Absent:*

Mr. J. H. Dollar

Before retirement of the outgoing Council Mr. Merriman addressed the meeting as follows:—

"Gentlemen, this is the last occasion upon which the retiring members of the Council for the past year will be present in this room and since I have been a Councillor for a longer period than any of you excepting Mr. Pearce, I desire to say a few words on the subject of our retiring Chairman. Mr. Pearce has served on the Council for 9 years, and for the past seven as our Chairman. I have served on the Council during the entire period of his Chairmanship and I can personally testify to the great service which he has done for Shanghai. I am sure I am voicing the view of all of you when I express our very great appreciation of his work as Chairman. I feel it a privilege to be your spokesman on this occasion and to propose a very hearty vote of thanks to Mr. Pearce not only for what he has done for Shanghai but for the constant and unfailing courtesy and assistance which he has always shown to us in the course of our deliberations in this room."

Responding to this vote of thanks, which is passed with acclamation, Mr. Pearce expresses his great appreciation and thanks for Mr. Merriman's kind words and for the loyalty and co-operation, which his colleagues have shown him throughout his period of office. He states that his association with Mr. Merriman during the past seven years had been such as closely to cement their personal friendship, and he requests that his name be coupled with his own in members' vote of thanks, referring to the fact that Mr. Merriman had missed only one meeting of Council since his election to its membership. Members heartily endorse Mr. Pearce's remarks.

Messrs. Howard, Macray, Merriman and Pearce then withdrew.

The meeting adjourned at 5.15 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Watch Committee held on Friday, April 9, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. W. P. Lambe *(Chairman)*
Lieut.-Col. P. A. Cox, O.B.E.
S. Fessenden

The meeting adjourned at 6.35 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Friday, April 9, 1920, at 5 o'clock p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
D. Goh
H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 6.55 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, April 14, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
M. Benjamin
Lieut.-Col. P. A. Cox O.B.E.
Messrs. S. Fessenden
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay

The meeting adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

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### Council for 1920.

Mr. E. F. Mackay has accepted the Council's invitation to fill the vacancy in the membership caused by the inability of Mr. G. T. M. Edkins to take his seat owing to his early departure from Shanghai.

The following will be the Office Bearers and Standing Committees for the ensuing year:—

*Chairman*: Mr. A. Brooke Smith.

*Vice-Chairman*: Mr. W. P. Lambe.

*Finance Committee*: Messrs. D. Goh, H. A. Macintyre and A. Brooke Smith.

*Works Committee*: Messrs. C. M. Bain, M. Benjamin and E. F. Mackay.

*Watch Committee*: Lieut.-Colonel P. A. Cox, O.B.E., Messrs. S. Fessenden and W. P. Lambe.

The Council's representatives on the Sub-Committees will be as follows:—On the Electricity Committee, Messrs. Benjamin and Macintyre; on the Health Committee, Mr. Lambe and Lieut.-Colonel Cox, O.B.E.; on the Permanent Education Committee, Mr. Lambe; on the Foreign Educational Committee, Mr. Bain; on the Chinese Educational Committee, Mr. Benjamin; on the Band Committee, Mr. Bain; on the Public Recreation Ground Committee, Mr. Fessenden.

The membership of the Committees will, accordingly, be as follows:—

*Electricity Committee*: Messrs. H. A. Macintyre, A. W. Burkill, C. G. S. Mackie and S. B. Neill.

*Health Committee*: Mr. W. P. Lambe, Lieut.-Colonel P. A. Cox, O.B.E., Drs. R. J. Marshall and J. W. Jackson and Mr. S. J. Halse.

*Permanent Education Committee*: Messrs. E. C. Pearce, E. I. Ezra, the Chairmen of the Foreign and Chinese Educational Committees and Mr. W. P. Lambe.

*Foreign Educational Committee*: Mesdames Merriman and Billinghurst; Dr. R. S. Ivy and Messrs. P. W. Massey and C. M. Bain.

*Chinese Educational Committee*: Rev. Dr. D. MacGillivray, Messrs. M. Benjamin, Chicheh Nieh and Shen Tun-ho.

*Band Committee*: Messrs. C. M. Bain, O. M. Green and A. Howard.

*Parks Committee*: Rev. Brother Faust and Mr. F. Ayscough.

*Library Committee*: Rev. Dr. D. MacGillivray, Messrs. F. C. Kendall and R. N. Macleod.

### Volunteer Corps.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, commissions are authorized for issue to the following, who have passed the necessary examinations:

*American Co.*—Sergt. R. F. Wilner as 2nd Lieutenant. Mr. P. Chatom as 2nd Lieutenant.

*The Engineers.*—Leave is granted to Lieutenant R. C. Young from April 10, 1920 to November 10, 1920.

*Artillery.*—Six months' leave is granted to Captain R. W. Davis, from April 12.

*Machine Gun Co.*—One year's leave is granted to Lieut. E. B. Heaton-Smith, from April 24.

### Police Force.

*Foreign Branch, Quarters.*—The lease from Messrs. The Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. of No. 132 Dixwell Road has been renewed for a further period of three years terminating on April 30, 1923.

### Annual Municipal Report.

Ratepayers who require the Report complete with Table of Contents and Index, are requested to return the four separate Parts to the Council's Offices, No. 24 Kiangse Road, whereupon the single volume will be forwarded in exchange.

### Wooden Houses.

Letter from Messrs. O. Thoresen on the above subject, with Council's reply:—

Shanghai, March 1, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—With reference to the public discussion which has lately been going on in respect of the possible introduction into Shanghai of wooden houses, we should feel obliged if you would kindly inform us what view is taken by the Municipal Council regarding the matter, and whether it may be anticipated that permission to erect wooden houses in the Settlement will be given.

Yours faithfully,

*p. pro.* O. THORESEN,

E. O. APENES.

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, March 18, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 1, and in reply thereto to state that whilst the erection of houses with wooden walls is contrary to the provisions of the Building Rules, the Council would not prohibit the erection of wooden houses in certain localities, provided that the person desiring to erect such a structure gave a satisfactory undertaking in writing that an unobstructed open space of at least 50 feet would be permanently left on all sides of the house.

Apart from the walls, such a structure would have to comply in other respects with the Building Rules.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

Messrs. O. THORESEN.

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### Easement.

The application of the Fei Lung Garage Co., has been approved to install a Gasolene pump outside their premises, No. F 1787-9 Bubbling Well Road, on the following conditions:—

(1) That the position of the gasolene tank be approved by the Commissioner of Public Works.

(2) That the tank installation be approved by the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade.

(3) That the tank be removed or its position changed at the expense of the owners whenever the Council may direct.

(4) That an annual fee of Tls. 5 be paid for the privilege.

### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Bubbling Well Road.*—Compensation for the land surrendered for the widening of this road ex Lot 2820, and for the reinstatement work involved has been settled in terms of the appended correspondence, which follows upon that published on pp. 55/56c of the Report for 1918.

There remains, therefore, the question of the payment of compensation, if any, in respect of the alleged depreciation of the remainder of the lot by reason of the severance of a portion of the gardens, and in accordance with the request of Messrs. Palmer and Turner, this matter will be referred for settlement by the Land Commissioners.

Shanghai, May 30, 1919.

SIR,—We are instructed by our clients the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation to again register a protest against the proposed widening in the immediate future of the Bubbling Well Road which would necessitate surrender of the scheduled portion of Cadastral Lot 2820 as shown by plan No. 8353.

They express the hope that the new Council will adhere to the decision of the last as given in your letter dated July 31, 1918 which was "that they have no intention of requiring surrender of the scheduled area until the lot is put to some other use than at present or until rebuilding takes place."

The loss of 21 ft. off the gardens of the two houses occupied by the Sub-Managers would seriously affect their desirability as residences and the amenity generally.

We are, Sir,

Your obedient servants,

PALMER & TURNER.

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, July 15, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—In reply to your letter of May 30 on the subject of your protest against the proposed widening of Bubbling Well Road, ex Lot 2820, I am directed to inform you that the present Council has felt itself obliged, in the public interest, definitely to overrule any suggestion as to abandonment of the scheduled widening, and while it is desirous of causing the least disturbance possible to your tenants, it is considered necessary to carry out the scheduled improvement at the earliest date possible.

Arrangements have already been concluded for the surrender of the necessary road land, to the west of your property, and I am directed to state that with a view to affording you every convenience in the matter of setting back the walls, trees and shrubs, etc., the Council

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would be willing to defer the work until the autumn of the present year when the requisite reinstatement work could be effected to the best advantage, either by yourselves or in your option, by the Public Works Department.

The Municipal Engineer has accordingly been directed to arrange with you details as to the reinstatement work involved.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

MESSRS. PALMER & TURNER.

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Shanghai, July 23, 1919.

SIR,—We have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of July 15 on the subject of the proposed widening of Bubbling Well Road ex Cadastral Lot 2820, and we are instructed to state that whilst our clients are not desirous of opposing any measure conceived to be in the public interest, they still consider that some more cogent reason as to the urgency of the proposed widening should be given than that advanced in your letter under notice, and also for the complete abandonment of the policy announced in your letter of July 31, 1918.

We are, Sir,

Your obedient servants,

PALMER & TURNER.

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, September 11, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—In reply to your letter of July 23, with further reference to the projected widening of the Bubbling Well Road ex Lot 2820, I am directed to state that it has been apparent for some years, that the Bubbling Well Road, which is the chief arterial thoroughfare in the Settlement leading west, would have to be widened if it were to continue effectively to serve its purpose. To this end, therefore, an increased width for the road to 70 ft. throughout its length was scheduled in 1918 and in those parts in which it was particularly narrow, and properties were undeveloped, no time was lost in proceeding to expropriate such land as was requisite for the improvement. As regards your lot, however, and other properties similarly affected, where, by reason of recently completed development, immediate excision of garden land might constitute avoidable hardship, the Council hesitated to press the matter and gave special instructions that the owners' convenience should be studied in every way; hence the letter of July 31, 1918.

In the meantime the volume of traffic along this important thoroughfare has increased far more rapidly than was expected, the number of motor vehicles on the Revenue Office register for the quarter ending June 1916 was 709, for the quarter ending June 1919 it was 1,425, exclusive of 535 registered by the French Council. Comparative figures of traffic on Bubbling Well Road west of Mohawk Road, taken in July last year and this year, show that the maximum number of motor vehicles passing along the road in one hour was 188 in 1918; in 1919 it was 264. The traffic figure on one average day in July each year are as follows:—

| | 1918. | 1919. |
|---|---|---|
| Pedestrians | 4,851 | 4,363 |
| Motor Vehicles | 2,070 | 3,061 |
| Carriages | 402 | 442 |
| Ricshas | 1,878 | 2,110 |

In these circumstances the Council, charged with the public duty of making adequate provision for traffic requirements, has found itself obliged to press forward with the widening earlier than was intended and work has accordingly proceeded steadily from the Bubbling Well, till at length, it has reached your property. The Council is indeed reluctant to approach once again, at so early a date, those owners who considered that the widening would be detrimental to their properties and to whom the Council had given an assurance of every consideration. Lot 2437 opposite is perhaps one of the lots which suffers most in this respect; the owner has, however, consented to surrender from his garden a strip measuring 22 feet at its widest by 562 feet in length. Lot 2820 is also a fully developed residential property adversely affected but the Council has no option but to express the hope that you will be so good as to surrender the requisite strip of land, and in making this suggestion I am to observe that the Council hopes that it may be considered not disadvantageous to set back the numerous trees and shrubs now rather than be confronted later with increased growth and progressively greater difficulty in reinstatement.

At the same time I am to renew the Council's assurance that it fully realizes the inconvenience caused you in this matter and desires to alleviate that inconvenience as much as possible.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

MESSRS. PALMER & TURNER.

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Shanghai, December 12, 1919.

SIR,—On May 25, 1918, we were instructed to address to you a letter in which were stated the terms and conditions under which our clients the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation were prepared to surrender that portion of B. C. Lot 2152, which was required for the widening of the corner of Ferry Road.

At that time it was not considered necessary to deal with B. C. Lots 1251 and 2151, as it was not anticipated that the question of widening Bubbling Well Road ex these lots, would assume a definite form for a number of years; and this view was fully confirmed by your letter dated July 31, 1918, in which it was stated that it was not the Council's intention to require the surrender of the land until the lots "were put to some other use or rebuilding took place." The widening of Bubbling Well Road having been decided upon in face of the protests contained in our letters of May 28, 1918, and May 30, 1919, and the work now being in progress, we have been instructed to put forward our client's claim in regard to the land compulsorily acquired out of their property.

*B. C. Lot 2152*

*Scheduled Area*

| | Tls. | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Mow 0.151 at assessed value Tls. 4,000 per mow | 604 | |
| Plus 10% for compulsory surrender | 60.40 | |
| | | 664.40 |

*B. C. Lot 2151, No. 180 Bubbling Well Road.*

*Scheduled Area*

| | Tls. | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Mow 0.341 at assessed value Tls. 4,000 per mow | 1,364 | |
| Plus 10% for compulsory surrender | 136.40 | |
| Depreciation of property owing to removal of trees, loss of shade, severance and disturbance of the amenity generally, Tls. 15 per mensem—Tls. 180 per annum, estimated life of house 20 years, 6% Table, 11.47 years purchase | 2,064.60 | |
| | | 3,565 |

*Scheduled Area*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Mow 0.432 at assessed value Tls. 4,000 per mow | 1,728 | |
| Plus 10% for compulsory surrender | 172.80 | |
| Depreciation of property owing to removal of trees, loss of shade, severance and disturbance of the amenity generally, Tls. 25 per mensem—Tls. 300 per annum, life of house estimated at 20 years, 6% Table 11.47 years purchase | 3,441 | |
| | | 5,341.80 |

Yours faithfully,

PALMER & TURNER.

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, January 20, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of December 12, containing your claim for widening the Bubbling Well Road ex Cadastral Lot 2820.

In reply thereto I am directed to state that the Council accepts your claim in its entirety for the land, at the assessed value, Tls. 4,000 per mow, with 10 per cent. added, and without deduction for betterment, as under:

| | | | | Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| B. C. Lot | 2152 | Mow | 0.151 | 664 |
| ,, ,, | 2151 | ,, | 0.341 | 1,500 |
| ,, ,, | 1251 | ,, | 0.432 | 1,900 |
| ,, ,, | 6105 | ,, | 0.115 | 506 |
| | | | Tls. | 4,570 |

It will be noted that the last named item was not included in your claim, but the amount is added, since it is presumed that you would wish the corner lot dealt with at the same time.

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With respect to the two items for depreciation of the property, estimated at Tls. 15 and Tls. 25 per mensem respectively, capitalized at 6 per cent. I am directed to point out that were the Council to pay compensation on the basis of capitalized loss of rental, a claim for the land as well would be equivalent to paying the value of the land twice over.

The Council recognizes, however, that you are entitled to some further compensation in respect of the loss of privacy and the fact that the gardens may be rendered too small for the purpose for which they were designed, and to this end would be willing to make payment of a sum of Tls. 1,000 in the case of each house, in accordance with the principle underlying the award of the Land Commissioners in the case of the adjoining property on the west.

I am directed, therefore, to suggest that you will be so good as to indicate your acceptance of these terms.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

MESSRS. PALMER & TURNER.

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Shanghai, March 8, 1920.

SIR,—We have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated January 20, 1920 on the subject of compensation for the surrender of land ex Cadastral Lot 2820 for the widening of Bubbling Well Road.

We have referred the matter to our clients, the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, and are instructed to state, that whilst they accept the offer for the land to be surrendered, Mow 1.039, at the rate of Tls. 4,000 per mow plus 10 per cent. added for compulsory surrender, they are not prepared to accept the offer of compensation at the rate of Tls. 1,000 per house for the two smaller houses, for the depreciation effected to their property by reason of the severance of a considerable portion of the gardens.

Under the circumstances, therefore, we are instructed to request that the matter be referred to the decision of the Land Commissioners.

Yours faithfully,
PALMER & TURNER.

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 15, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 8, on the subject of the widening of the Bubbling Well Road ex Lot 2820.

In reply thereto I am directed to state that the Council notes that while your clients, the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, accept the Council's offer as regards compensation for the land, they desire that "the question of the additional compensation, if any, to be paid in respect of the depreciation effected to the property by reason of the severance of a considerable portion of the gardens," be referred for decision by the Land Commissioners.

I am directed, therefore, to inform you that the matter will be placed before the Land Commissioners in due course, and that notice of the date set for the hearing will in due course be conveyed to you.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

MESSRS. PALMER & TURNER.

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**Public Band.**

On Sunday next, April 18, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

TWENTY-FIRST CONCERT.

"Beethoven"

1.—Overture "*Leonora No. 3*"

2.—Concerto D Major for Violin with Orchestra
Soloist: *Mr. V. Siroido*
*(a) Allegro ma non troppo*
*(b) Larghetto*
*(c) Finale: Rondo*

3.—Seventh Symphony Op. 92 A major
*(a) Poco Sostenuto-Vivace*
*(b) Allegretto*
*(c) Scherzo: Presto*
*(d) Finale: Allegro*

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

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**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, April 4, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 1 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 3 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 22 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 0 | 7 |
| Influenza | — | 7 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 178 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, April 11, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 22 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 3 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 3 | 3 |
| Influenza | — | 7 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 163 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING SATURDAY, APRIL 10.

*Fire Brigade.*—Mr. F. M. Howard, Departmental Engineer, was permitted to terminate his service on March 31.

*Police Force.*—Assistant Warder H. J. Hooper is invalided from April 1.

Long leave is granted to the following:—

Superintendent J. Ramsay from April 20.
Senior Warder D. McKenzie from March 31.
Sergeant A. Groves from April 1.

Sikh Constable No. 500, Harnam Singh, is discharged, invalided from April 7.

Sergeant A. J. Ferguson is permitted to terminate his service on November 15, the date of expiry of his leave.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Inspector D. P. W. Jones from October 23.

Probationer Nurse P. Ceetare is permitted to terminate her service on June 30.

*Public Works Department.*—The appointment of Mr. W. C. Johnstone, Clerical Assistant, is confirmed under an agreement from October 7, 1919, terminable at three months' notice.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. W. J. Williams, Chief Assistant Engineer, is permitted to terminate his service on May 28, the date of expiry of his agreement.

Mr. L. Coulcher is appointed Junior Clerk in the Distribution Department on probation from April 1.

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*Educational Department.*—Mrs. C. Irvin, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, was permitted to terminate her service on February 29.

Miss M. V. Radcliffe is appointed Assistant Mistress on probation in the Public School for Girls from May 1.

**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 61A | Avenue Edward VII | Captain J. J. Bahnson | | | water closet |
| 57 | Canton | Robert Dollar Co. | | | block offices |
| 17D | Museum & Hongkong | National Committee Y.M.C.A. | | | water closet |
| 155 | Nanking | China Realty Co., Ld. | | | altns. |
| 162 | " | C. Luthy | | | altns. |
| E of 488 | Cunningham | Yue Ling Hai | | | water closet |
| 2255 | Baikal | Tong Chi Kee | | | wall & gates |
| 648 | Chaoufoong | The Augustinian Corporation | | | godown |
| E of 520 | " | E. J. Muller | | | garage |
| 1037 | Kungping | " | | | 2 godowns |
| E of 1922 | Off Kwenming | Yu Fong & Co. | | | godown |
| 5555 | Off Lay | Kung Zun Hsin | | | 2 godowns |
| N of 1604 | Tongshan | Kwei Lan Kee | | | wall & gates |
| 662 | " | Van Wha Silk Co. | | | factory |
| W of 1332 | Off E. Yalu | Liou Sung Bao | | | foundry |
| 2755 | Off B'bling Well | H. M. Cumine | 2 | | |
| 2985 | " | Stewardson & Spence | | | addns. |
| W of 4709 | Off Macao | Naigai Wata Kaisha | | 1 | |
| W of 4305 | " Markham | E. E. Lever | | | addns. |
| 3520 | Markham | Yang Yung Kee | | | watchman's house |
| 4610 | Mokanshan | E. J. Muller | | | transformer house |
| 4605, 4606 & 4607, 4608 | Off Mokanshan | E. J. Muller | | | cotton mill, picker room & godown |
| 480 | Off Myburgh | Chun Wei Ping | | | covered way |
| 3290 | Sinza | R. A. Curry | | | garage |
| S of 1335 & 1335 | Thibet | Dr. Stafford M. Cox | | | hospital |
| 4709 | Tonquin | Naigai Wata Kaisha | | 1 | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 435 | Canton | Loo Sou Dong | 3 | | |
| 272 | Foochow | " | 30 | | gate-house |
| 1179 | Kashing | H. M. Cumine | | 1 | |
| 1072 | Miller and Hanbury | Wong Chien Kee | 9 | | |
| 118 | N. Chekiang | Dzung Tur Kee | 4 | | |
| N of 7460 | Off Seoul | King Kee | | | 3 bungalows |
| 5900 | " Ferry | D. H. Silas | | | bungalow |
| 3527 | Markham | Yu Sung Hung Kee | | | 1 gate-house |
| S of 4790 | Off Tonquin | Doung Fou Kee | | | 9 bungalows |

**Report of Acting Commissioner of Police for March.**

Strength of the Force on March 31.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 214 | |
| Japanese | 27 | |
| Sikhs | 678 | |
| Chinese | 1,444 | 2,372 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 93 | |
| Followers | 230 | 323 |
| | Total | 2,695 |

*Armed Robberies.*—During the month 18 persons (including 2 Foreigners) were arrested in connexion with 6 cases of armed robbery in the Settlement. The most serious case was one in which the Russian proprietor of a jeweller's shop in North Szechuen Road was attacked and seriously injured by his house-boy and others. Seven reports of armed highway robbery were received and 3 persons were arrested. In one case the victim raised the alarm and was shot dead by the robbers. In one case of unarmed highway robbery, in which the victims were 2 foreigners, 5 foreign sailors were arrested and 4 of them have since been sentenced to 2 years' imprisonment each. Ten persons arrested for armed robbery before March 1 were handed over to the Chinese Authorities to be dealt with, and several were sentenced to 20 years' imprisonment each by the Mixed Court.

*Stolen Property.*—Successful investigations were made in 150 out of the 382 cases reported to the police during the month. These cases included 43 of burglary, 22 of house-breaking, 1 of office breaking and 4 of godown breaking.

Between January 1 and March 31 the cases of burglary in the Settlement totalled 131, of house breaking, 53 and of office, shop and godown breaking, 24.

Special mention must be made of the arrest in the West Hongkew District on March 12 of a gang of 4 youths against whom 30 cases of larceny can be proved, and on March 21 of another gang of 6 men who were responsible for 35 cases of larceny and burglary.

*Shoplifting.* — Three Russians were arrested on March 10 and a large quantity of stolen property was recovered from their lodgings. These men had recently arrived from Siberia and were responsible for a number of cases of theft from shops in the Settlement. They were sentenced respectively to 2, 3 and 9 months' imprisonment by the local Russian Consular Court.

*Counterfeit Money.*—On March 3, a Chinese was arrested on a charge of uttering counterfeit twenty-cent pieces and was sentenced to 3 months' imprisonment.

*Bombs.*—Following the receipt of a number of threatening letters, a bomb was exploded on the roof of the New World about 10 p.m. on March 5. No one was injured and no material damage was done.

*Strikes.* — From March 16 to March 19, 300 women workers in the No. 2 Shanghai Cotton Mill were on strike owing to a new rule obliging them to take their meals on the mill premises.

In consequence of the engagement of local workmen, about 70 Cantonese plumbers in the employ of the Waterworks Company struck work on March 18 and were still out at the end of the month.

Between March 9 and March 17 a number of painters employed by the Horse Bazaar went on strike owing to pressure put upon them by the Guild leaders. Two of the latter were charged at the Mixed Court with intimidation; and in passing sentences of 2 and 4 months respectively, the Assessor said in part as follows:—

"No combination or union, whether it be a Street union, a "Student union or a Trade "union, can be allowed to "employ such methods amongst a "population that is peculiarly "susceptible to intimidation; and "any attempt to do so will be "punished with the utmost rigour "of the law."

It is important in these days for all employers of labour to note that striking and causing strikes are punishable offences under the Chinese Provisional Criminal Code.

*Gaol Breaking.*—On March 21 a big gaol break occurred from the Zau Oo Ching prison near Lunghwa. Of the 174 prisoners who escaped, most are still at large.

*Bars Outside Limits.*—Following repeated representations made by the S. M. Police, the Chapei Police have at last undertaken to introduce effective control, by means of stringent licence conditions, of the low-class bars bordering on North Szechuen Road Extension which have so long been a source of trouble to the Settlement Authorities.

*Gambling Outside Limits.*—The seals on the gambling resort at No. 28 Paoshan Road (North Honan Road Extension), which was closed by the local Chinese Authorities on November 14, 1919, were removed on March 30, and the building was handed over to the Tsi Sung Charitable Institution for use as a hospital.

*Motor Traffic Offences.*—During the quarter ended March 31 proceedings have been taken in 153 cases against drivers or owners of motor vehicles for breach of licence conditions. In all, 13 convictions have been recorded against foreigners and 133 against Chinese chauffeurs. The chief offences committed are causing street obstruction and driving to the public danger. In respect of the former, there seems to be a marked disinclination on the part of some owners to comply with perfectly reasonable requests made by the Police as to the ranking of cars in the streets. In regard to the latter, the same selfish lack of consideration for the public convenience is also prevalent to an undue

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extent. It is the intention of the police to ameliorate this condition as far as it is possible to do so, and they will continue to prosecute 'road-hogs,' whether Foreign or Chinese, in all cases where evidence sufficient to prove the offence is forthcoming. It may be repeated that the police always welcome and appreciate any assistance that may be given to them in bringing offenders to book because they realize that without public co-operation and support their own efforts can never be entirely effective.

*Exchange and Tobacco Shop Licences.*—Some 300 proprietors of Exchange and Tobacco Shops held a meeting in the Native Tobacco Dealers' Guild outside the East Gate on March 16 to protest against the new taxes which the Council proposed to levy. This was followed by certain representations to the Council, and the shops were subsequently advised by their leaders to pay the tax.

*Japanese Boycott.*—Efforts to keep this movement alive are still being made by various local societies. In general, however, they appear to lack vigour and there are indications that public interest in the matter continues to decline. The principal meetings held in March were at the Chinese Y.M.C.A. in Szechuen Road on the 7th and at the National Organizations' Union Headquarters in Frenchtown on the 10th. The National Perseverance Society and the Boycott Bad Goods Society appear to be taking prominent parts in the agitation.

*Amalgamated Association of Street Unions.*—Since the return of its president, Chen Tse-ming, from Canton on March 1, this Association has made renewed efforts to restore itself to popular favour. During the month, according to the native press, it petitioned the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs for the restoration of the Mixed Court; and it also took a leading part in the preparation of a petition for representation on the Municipal Council to be presented at the Annual Ratepayers Meeeting in April.

*Inquest.*—The inquest on the body of Mr. F. E. Weiss, who was found dead in the country off Pingliang Road on August 22, 1919, was resumed at the American Court on March 20, the jury returning a verdict that "deceased came to his death by a bullet wound in the head and a razor cut in his throat, both either self-inflicted or by a person or persons unknown."

***Identification Office.*—During the month 596 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 163 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 126 records were received from the French Police out of which number 68 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—**

| | |
|---|---|
| For Identification | 722 |
| Identified | 231 |
| Percentage | 32 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 2 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 42 |
| | 44 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 12.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 363 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 70 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 62 | *Second offenders.* |
| 36 | *Third offenders.* |
| 3 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 62 | *Habitual offenders* (serious). |
| 596 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for March.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. | Tls. 5,298.40 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 2,783.49 |
| Total | Tls. 2,514.91 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. 2,514.91 |

Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licenses suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.

A. HILTON-JOHNSON,
*Acting Commissioner of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:—* | |
| Assault | 2 |
| 2.—*Offences Against Property:—* | |
| Forgery | 1 |
| Larceny | 3 |
| Robbery | 4 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:—* | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:—* | |
| Dog | 1 |
| Motor Cars | 3 |
| Motor Cycles | 6 |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:—* | |
| Nuisance | 1 |
| Traffic | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 7 |
| Obstruction | 1 |
| Total | 30 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,445 | 1,445 |
| Others | 45 | 881 | 926 |
| Total | 45 | 2,326 | 2,371 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Absconded | 1 |
| Case Withdrawn | 1 |
| Cautioned | 2 |
| Fined | 11 |
| Imprisonment | 8 |
| Remanded | 7 |
| Total | 30 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on March 31.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 4 |
| Louza Station | 6 |
| Hongkew Station | 30 |
| Harbin Road Station | 3 |
| West Hongkew Station | 7 |
| Wayside Station | 4 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | — |
| Sinza Station | 7 |
| Bubbling Well Station | — |
| Gordon Road Station | 2 |
| North Szechuen Road | 1 |
| Gaol | 1,493 |
| Reformatory | 67 |
| Total | 1,624 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 1,357 | 766 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 1,357 | 766 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN February 28 and March 26, 1920.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 57,419.43 |
| Recovered | 17,268.23 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 29/2/20 | 36 | 322 |
| Captured | 286 | |
| Returned | 60 | 322 |
| Killed | 222 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 4 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 36 | |

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

**CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.**

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

**工部局承攬信章程**

一 所有承攬各項本局承辦之全份章程自有出售之日起至極低本局有權將所有承攬信函或電報一概退還

二 所有承攬信函必准用認承辦人自寄

三 擬定之保證金應與合同一併交付本局認可

四 所有承攬人之信函及承攬價目表必須用英文開列

五 本局有取消清單若干項之權本局必將其理由明白公佈

六 所有承攬信函必須加蓋密封字樣並註明所承攬工程名稱

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單費 信函送來之最前以用此次信函概蒙或說明 二部局總辦處須在定期十日上午十一時以前送交市政廳面寫明江西路二號工程名稱 滬北市政廳

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 543 | Supply of Road and Building Materials | — | April 15, Noon |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 198 | 112 Induction Motors (Copies of the Specification may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road, on or after Tuesday, March 9) Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 1, Noon |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2710.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

With effect from March 6, 1920 and until further notice, interest at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 22, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2701.**

**PUBLIC RECREATION GROUND.**

CLUBS desirous of securing playing space within the racecourse are requested to make application to R. I. Fearon, Esq. No. 1 The Bund, on or before Thursday, April 22.

Each application should provide the following information in the order given:—

1. Name of Club.
2. Name of Chairman or President.
3. Name and address of Secretary.
4. Number of Members.
5. Number of Playing Members.
6. Amount of Annual Subscription, if any.
7. Space applied for.
8. Whether, in case applications outrun the number of playing spaces, the Club is willing to share a space with another Club playing on alternate days.

All applications will receive the Public Recreation Ground Committee's attention, and permits will be issued as soon as possible after the date named.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2706.**

**HOTEL OR TAVERN—ON-LICENSES.**

THE following amended licence condition will be enforced from this date:—

19. That no drunkenness, noise, disorderly *or immoral* conduct, gambling, prize fight or boxing competition be permitted on the premises.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 15, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2708.**

**LICENSING OF FOREIGN LODGING HOUSES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after May 1, 1920 all persons conducting a Foreign Lodging House will be required to take out a licence under Bye-law XXXIV.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

1.—That the licence be not transferable.

2.—That the licensee keep on the premises a permanent accurate and legible register of the name, nationality, occupation, place of employment, last address, destination and date of arrival and departure, of all persons resorting to, or using the premises, which register shall be open to inspection at all times by the Police or other duly authorized officer of the Council.

3.—That free access be afforded to the Police on duty or other duly authorized officer of the Council.

4.—That no gratuities of any kind be payable to any employe of the Council.

5.—That on a breach of any of its conditions, the licence be subject to cancellation or suspension by the Council and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

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SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

$1.50 per quarter, payable in advance.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 22, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2709.**

**MOTOR CAR OR OTHER MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSE.**

THE following amended licence condition will be enforced from May 1, 1920:—

(9) That proper precautions be taken to prevent exhaust pipes discharging in such a manner as to cause annoyance to the public. *The use of a cut-out or other device providing an open exhaust is prohibited.*

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 22, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2711.**

**LOSS OF DEBENTURE CERTIFICATE.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the debenture certificate hereunder specified in the name of the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha Ld. has been declared to be lost and the Public is warned against its negotiation.

Application has been made for the issue of a duplicate certificate and should no objection be lodged with the Municipal Treasurer and Comptroller within 30 days from date hereof, the application will be complied with.

| Loan | Distinctive Number | Value of Debenture |
|---|---|---|
| 1919 | 21,832 | Tls. 1,000 |

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 22, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2712.**

**FIREARMS.**

**(Carrying or Conveying.)**

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after May 2, all persons desiring to carry firearms are required to take out a licence under Bye-law XXXIV.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

1.—That the licence be not transferable to any other person, and refers only to the particular firearm in respect of which it is issued, which firearm is hereunder described.

2.—That the firearm remain at all times in the possession of the licensee, who shall produce it to the Police if and when called upon to do so.

3.—That the licensee shall, in case of any change of address or other alteration in the information supplied by him in the Application Form for this licence, within seven days thereof give to the Council notice in writing of such change or alteration.

4.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid to any employe of the Council.

5.—That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

Tls. 10 per quarter payable in advance.

Description of Firearm in respect of which this licence is issued.

Nature and Calibre.
Maker's name.
Maker's number on firearm.

NOTES.

Applications for licences must be made in writing on the prescribed form which can be obtained at the Revenue Office, No. 7a The Bund.

No licence is required for firearms which are solely used for sporting purposes, and members of any recognized revolver or rifle club will not be required to take out a licence, providing the membership of the club is submitted for record with the Police, together with the particulars of the weapon owned by members, and subject to the Council's right to insist upon a licence being taken out in any individual case when exemption is for good reason considered undesirable in the public interest.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai April 22, 1920.

**AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, April 21, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—**

***Present:***

**Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)**
**C. M. Bain**
**M. Benjamin**
**S. Fessenden**
**D. Goh**
**W. P. Lambe**
**H. A. Macintyre**
**E. F. Mackay**

***Absent:***

**Lieut.-Col. P. A. Cox O.B.E.**

**The meeting adjourned at 5.20 p.m.**

### Municipal Salaries Commission.

The resignations of Messrs. S. Trumper and L. A. Lyall of their seats on the above Commission owing to pressure of work have been accepted by the Council with regret.

Mr. F. A. Butcher has accepted the Council's invitation to serve on the above Commission.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Annual Inspection.*—A letter from H. E. Major-General Sir Francis Ventris, Commanding the troops in South China, informs the Council that he will be unable to accept the Council's invitation to inspect the Corps, but that he has delegated Lieut.-Col. J. R. Wyndham to carry out the inspection on his behalf.

This function will take place at the Public Recreation Ground on Saturday, April 24, at 3.30 p.m.

The resignation of the Rev. A. J. Walker, M.A., Chaplain to the Corps, has been forwarded by the Commandant and accepted by the Council with regret.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, commissions are authorized for issue to the following:

*Chaplain to the Corps.*—The Rev. C. J. F. Symons, M.A.

*"A" Company British.*—Col.-Sergeant N. Mathieson as 2nd Lieutenant.

### Annual Municipal Report.

Ratepayers who require the Report complete with Table of Contents and Index, are requested to return the three separate Parts to the Council's Offices, No. 24 Kiangse Road, whereupon the single volume will be forwarded in exchange.

### Chinese Advisory Committee.

Letter to the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 17, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that by Resolution VIII proposed by the Council and passed at the recent Annual Meeting of Ratepayers, approval was given to the creation of a Chinese Advisory Committee with the constitution and powers set forth in the letter from the Chairman of Council to the Senior Consul, dated October 24, 1919, of which a copy with extract from the Settlement Extension Draft Agreement of 1915, was published in the Municipal Gazette of April 7, 1920, copy herewith.

As the Council desires to give effect to the Resolution above referred to at an early date, and as it is desirable that the names to be submitted for nomination to membership of the Chinese Advisory Committee should be as representative as possible of the whole of the Chinese Community resident in this Settlement, I am directed to seek the good offices of your Chamber in taking the initiative in calling together the guilds and associations established in this Settlement representing the several sections of the Chinese Community, with a view to the selection of at least 5 Chinese residents who are considered suitable for nomination to membership of the Chinese Advisory Committee and who have the qualifications laid down in the Chairman of Council's letter to the Senior Consul, contained in the enclosure herewith, and with a view also to the submission of their names to the Council for the approval of the Consular Body.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The CHAIRMAN,
Chinese General Chamber of Commerce.

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## Tavern Licences.

REPORT BY THE WATCH COMMITTEE ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL, APRIL 21, 1920.

The foreign Taverns for which licences are at present held are as per schedule attached:—

| Class | Name of Establishment | Licensee. Name. | Licensee. Nationality. | Licensee. Address. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | *Central District.* | | |
| I | Kalee Hotel | A Mildner | French | 25A Kiangse Road |
| II | Shepherd's Café | C. E. Shepherd | British | 33 " " |
| II | Lyceum Theatre | Amateur Dramatic Club | " | 19 Museum " |
| I | Palace Hotel | E. Burrows | British | 2 Nanking " |
| II | Carlton Café | L. Ladow | American | 4-5 Ningpo " |
| II | Grand Hotel Continental | D. G. Chelmis | Greek | 88-90 Szechuen " |
| | | *Northern District.* | | |
| II | The Trocadero | J. Raynes | British | 14 Astor Road |
| III | | Mrs. K. Kimura | Japanese | 10 Boone Road |
| II | Hotel Acropol | Mrs. B. R. Goldstein | French | 10A-10B Boone " |
| III | | R. Shiraishi | Japanese | K264-5 " " |
| III | | Mori Yoshi | " | K2264A " " |
| II | Astor Grill | E. Burrows | British | 13-14 Broadway |
| II | Astor House Annex | " | " | 15 " |
| III | | K. Masumi | Japanese | 40 Chapoo Road |
| III | | T. Hamasaki | " | 067/9 " " |
| III | | T. Shimada | " | 0165 " " |
| III | | R. Shiraishi | " | 0170 " " |
| III | | T. Kanazawa | " | 0172 " " |
| III | | A. Koyama | " | 0174 " " |
| III | | K. Senkichi | " | 0178 " " |
| III | | Miss Fukin | " | 0191 " " |
| III | Tokiwa Hotel | T. Tokiwa | " | 0196 " " |
| II | Victoria Hotel | I. Goldenberg | British | 0389 " " |
| III | | Miss A. Fujimura | Japanese | 0402 " " |
| III | | Eijiro Hada | " | 0403 " " |
| III | | Y. Yogo | " | 0450 " " |
| II | Victoria Cinematograph | A. Ramos | Spanish | 24 Haining " |
| II | Savoy Hotel | A. Popovitch | Russian | 5/7 Nanzing Road and 21 Broadway |
| II | | Kankichi Yasui | Japanese | 41 N. Szechuen Road |
| II | Apollo Theatre | S. Hertzberg | Russian | 52 " " |
| I | Astor House Hotel | E. Burrows | British | 7 Whangpoo " |
| III | | T. Sasaki | Japanese | F172/3 Woochang " |
| III | Hayokwan Hotel | J. Yoneda | " | C159 Woosung " |
| III | | S. Aikawa | " | C856 " " |
| II | Concordia Hotel | M. Greenberg | Russian | C1537 " " |
| | | *Western District.* | | |
| II | Olympic Theatre | A. Ramos | Spanish | 127 Bubbling Well Rd |
| II | Burlington Hotel | R. W. MacCabe | British | 173 " " " |
| II | St. George's Hotel | S. Hertzberg | Russian | 217 " " " |

Four applications for new licences with Police Reports have been submitted to us and considered. There were no protests by the public, although against two of them objection was lodged by the Police. Plans of the Central and Northern Districts were submitted and were inspected showing the positions of the various premises already licensed, and in giving consideration to the applications now put forward, we have had special regard to the number and position of the existing establishments. The applications were taken in detail as under, it being noted that all of them are for third class tavern licences:—

1. *Cafe Paulista S. Uyeda, Manager, P448, Nanking Road.* Recommended for approval.

2. *M. Y. San & Co., Ld., 37 Nanking Road.*—Recommended for approval.

3. *U. Kawai, Japanese, K257 Boone Road.*—This application was for premises within the prohibited area, as per decision of the Council in the year 1913, but exception has heretofore been made in favour of Japanese restaurants in the view that while the district was, generally speaking, well served with such establishments, the Japanese community was a growing one and that for *bona fide* restaurants some increase in the number should reasonably be permitted. Members hear the views of the Police and Revenue representatives on this matter, in the course of which they endorse the view that the time has come when even Japanese restaurants in this neighbourhood will have to be restricted. The applicant is already in possession of a billiard saloon licence for these premises and having regard to the whole circumstances, the Committee regrets that they must recommend refusal of the application.

4. *The widow Lydia Rogowenko, Russian, 1105/6 Broadway.*—This application was also in respect of the area in the Northern District already congested with taverns and the premises proposed to be licensed are almost opposite the Savoy Hotel, a fully licensed house. The Committee regrets that they are obliged to recommend refusal of the application.

W. P. LAMBE,
P. A. COX,
S. FESSENDEN,
*Members of the Watch Committee for 1920.*

## Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Bubbling Well Road.*—Arrangements have been concluded with the Committee of the Country Club for improving the line of this road by the surrender of Mow 0.136 of land ex Cadastral Lots 2019 and 2020, in exchange for an equivalent area of road land, which will no longer be required on the improved line, the necessary reinstatement work being undertaken by the Council.

*Jessfield and Connaught Roads.*—Arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. Lester, Johnson and Morriss for the surrender of the land required from B.C. Lot 3877 for widening the corner of Jessfield and Connaught Roads, an area of Mow 0.233 for Tls. 466.

## Public Lighting.

*Pingliang and Pingyang Roads.*—The recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works has been adopted to light these roads between Lay Road and the Yangtszepoo Road with twenty-one, 60 c.p., metallic filament lamps at a cost of Tls. 602.50 per annum.

## Public Band.

The Sunday concerts to be given on April 25 and May 2 will take place in the Town Hall at 9 o'clock p.m., instead of 5 o'clock p.m.

On Sunday next, April 25, the programme will be as follows:—

TWENTY-SECOND CONCERT.

1.—Symphony B minor No. 6 (Pathetic) Tschaikowsky
- *(a)* Adagio—Allegro ma non troppo Andante—Moderato mosso—Andante Allegro Vivo
- *(b)* Allegro con grazia
- *(c)* Allegro molto vivace
- *(d)* Finale: Adagio lamentoso

2.—Concerto D Major for Violin with Orchestra
Soloist: Mr. V. Siroido
- *(a)* Allegro ma non troppo
- *(b)* Larghetto
- *(c)* Finale: Rondo

3.—Capriccio espagnol Rimsky-Korsakow
- *(a)* Alborada
- *(b)* Variations
- *(c)* Alborada
- *(d)* Scene and Gitano Song
- *(e)* Asturias Fandango

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, APRIL 17.

*Fire Brigade.*—The following are appointed Supervising Firemen under agreements from April 11:—

C. Caynes
C. Kinnaird
R. H. Miles
S. M. Vincent

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Sergeant G. C. Holt from April 18.

*Public Works Department.*—The service of probationary Assistant Inspector R. H. Woods will terminate on May 15.

*Electricity Department.*—The resignation of Mr. W. J. Williams, Chief Assistant Engineer, is accepted with effect from May 28.

*Public Band.*—Long leave is granted to Musician L. Cattapan from April 22.

The temporary service of Musician F. Wandrachek terminated on March 31.

Mr. P. Brunelli is appointed Musician on six months' probation from April 1.

*Educational Department.*—Long leave is granted to Miss A. M. Manning, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, from June 19.

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Long leave is granted to Mrs. F. L. Garner, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Boys, and Mr. D. Drake, Assistant Master in the Public School for Boys, from June 21.

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, April 18, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 3 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 28 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 1 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 1 | 3 |
| Influenza | — | 8 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 169 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 916 | Chaoufoong | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | 2 silk filatures |
| N of 5200 | Pingliang | Sidney J. Powell | | | water tower |
| 3813 | Thorburn | H. J. Andrews | | | servants' quarters |
| 2260 | Off Wayside | Tong Chi Kee | 1 | | |
| 740 | Off W. Soochow | Loo Yuen Kee | | | slaughter house addns. |
| 6454 | Off Yangtszepoo | Midland Packing Co. | | | |
| 2427 | " | Oriental Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. | | | store-room |
| 871 | Off East Yuhang | M. C. Yeh | | | store-shed |
| 1 | Off Burkill | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | generator house |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 640 | Hankow & Kwangse | Chang Yu San | | | altns. |
| 1160 to 1169 | Fearon Ext. | E. E. Lever | 13 | | gate-house |
| E of 5180 | Off Lay | King Kee | | | 6 bungalows |
| 135 | Tongshan Ext. | Wing Hap & Co. | 35 | | gate-house |
| 1 | Off Burkill | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | altns. |

### Health Officer's Report for March.

During March the sub-epidemic prevalence of Influenza, which has been present since last November, continued in mild form. Measles has been prevalent. Cases of mild Smallpox have been observed and upwards of 2,000 free vaccinations have been done at the Branch Health Offices during the month, large numbers coming on the "Flower Birthday," which is considered by the Chinese an auspicious occasion for vaccination.

Cerebrospinal fever has made itself conspicuous in Shanghai and many parts of the Yangtze valley, highly coloured reports of its prevalence have been received from many towns and especially from country districts, children and young adults being most susceptible. The disease is not highly contagious. Cerebrospinal fever occurs in all civilized countries. The disease lingers indefinitely after an outbreak and in all large cities a moderate number of cases occur every year in the winter and spring. Meningitis carriers, persons who have the germ in their throats or noses, but who are themselves unaffected, play an important part in transmitting the disease. This makes preventive measures very difficult to carry out. On the other hand few persons are susceptible to infection. When contracted the fatality is high but considerably reduced by the early use of the specific curative serum. Four deaths occurred among foreign residents and 26 among the Chinese. It is probable that the latter figure was exceeded as the disease is not easy to recognize.

The nursing staff was augmented by ten new nurses during the month—a welcome addition.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign Resident | Foreign Non-resident | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 4 | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 13 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 | 1 | 104 |
| Beri-beri | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 4 | 1 | 26 |
| Influenza | 2 | 0 | 60 |
| From all causes | 38 | 10 | 899 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 4 |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 |
| Dysentery | 4 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 7 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases Admitted—Small pox | 2 | 1 |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 9 |
| Scarlet fever | 6 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 | 0 |
| Cerebrospinal fever | 6 | 22 |
| Influenza | 8 | 0 |
| Measles | 7 | 6 |
| Other Diseases | 3 | 41 |
| Discharged | 25 | 54 |
| Died | 4 | 27 |
| Remaining last day of month | 24 | 24 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 7,625 |
| Bacterial " " | 155 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 3 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 617 |
| Analyses | 118 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted. | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 27 | 9 |
| Surgical | 54 | 0 |
| Maternity | 8 | 3 |
| Mental | 1 | 0 |
| Infectious | 1 | 3 |
| Total | 91 | 15 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen ..... | 1,835 | 2 | 1,835 | 8 | 1 |
| Sheep ..... | 3,250 | 0 | 3,250 | 6 | 0 |
| Calves ..... | 370 | 1 | 370 | 0 | 3 |
| Pigs..... | 402 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.

Sample received March 30, 1920.

Report sent out April 4, 1920.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.

Physical Characters.—Greyish yellow colour with considerable opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 15.0 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 9.4 |
| (a) Temporary | 5.4 |
| (b) Permanent | 4.0 |
| Chlorine | 2.1 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.049 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.002 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.008 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° c. | 0.046 |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° and 37° C. showed an average of 290 and 16 micro-organisms per c.c. respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in 4 c.c. and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Considerable improvement is shown in the biological purity of the water as compared with recent preceding months, but the number of bacteria grown at 23° C. is still excessive

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox | 483 | 724 | 442 | 595 | 2,244 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 1 | 14 | 9 | 2 | 26 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 48 | 132 | 107 | 36 | 323 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 75 | 125 | 130 | 299 | 629 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 869 | 1,660 | 1,285 | 2,157 | 5,971 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 10 | 159 | 337 | 89 | 595 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 25 |
| Defective drainage amended | 38 | 16 | 42 | 21 | 117 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 4 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 13 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 1 | 3 | 13 | 1 | 18 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 0 | 11 | 13 | 24 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 9 | 10 | 14 | 33 |
| Offensive trade processes amended | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 10 | 10 | 20 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 16 | 7 | 7 | 26 | 56 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 50 | 46 | 60 | 54 | 210 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 8 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 27 | 12 | 35 | 37 | 111 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 0 | 625 | 1,105 | 545 | 2,275 |
| Outside hawkers licensed | 520 | 611 | 549 | 361 | 2,041 |
| Food prosecutions | 0 | 20 | 10 | 8 | 38 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 0 | 52 | 48 | 2 | 102 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 0 | 7 | 6 | 7 | 20 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,890 | 4,001 | 3,348 | 3,064 | 14,303 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 6,487 | 3,796 | 2,350 | 1,937 | 14,570 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 2,469 | 413 | 190 | 554 | 3,626 |

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Known as | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Loong Dah | Tsa Ling-shing | 51 Ferry Road | 2.7% added water Addition Starch |
| Loong Dah | Tsa Ling-shing | 51 Ferry Road | 35.2% added water |
| Gordon Road | Tsu Oong-Kwhe | Z. 1128 Gordon Road | 3.3% added water |
| Gordon Road | Tsu Oong-Kwhe | Z. 1128 Gordon Road | 7.8% added water |
| Woodland Dairy | Thos. D. Gram | 43 N. Honan Road Extension | 5.9% added water |
| Yah Loong | Thaung Dzoe-bang | Fa 100 Yu Yuen Road | Abstraction of fat |
| Ah Sing | Waung Ah-sing | Jg 784 Ward Road | Abstraction of fat |
| Yuen Chong | Yau Z-kya | M. 756 Avenue Road | 2.7% added water |
| Yuen Chong | Yau Z-kya | M. 756 Avenue Road | 2.4% added water |
| Zien Kyi | Zien Ah-ling | 52 Ferry Road | 4.7% added water and abstraction of fat |
| Fok Hyung | Phe Sz-zung | Je 1600 Tongshan Rd. | 3.2% added water |
| Wayside Dairy | Tsang Tsz-yui | Je 1543 Tongshan Rd. | 9.6% added water |
| Baikal Dairy | Sung Waung-yuin | 55 Baikal Road | Ab traction of fat |
| Teh Kyi | Waung Tuh-foong | M. 1503 Avenue Road | 23% added water |
| Dzang Shing | Ng Yeu-san | Hungjao Road | 20.8% added water |
| Thoong Woo | Sung Sih-van | 17a Jessfield Road | 5.9% added water |
| Fok Kyi | Tsa Ah-hoo | Z. 815 Gordon Road | Abstraction of fat |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK.

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 344 | 640 | 230 | 462 | 1676 |
| Rats plague infected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation | 800 | 2600 | 2000 | 400 | 5800 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1099 | 3715 | 2455 | 780 | 8049 |
| Poisoned baits laid | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier | 0 | 0 | 216 | 0 | 216 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner | 0 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

## Mixed Court Report for March.

The undermentioned foreigner who is not recognized by any Consulate in Shanghai was before the Court on criminal charges:—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| T. Merisals | Finn | Drunk and Disorderly | Fined $10 |

During the month the Court tried:—

35 cases of burglary as against 18 in February.

26 cases of robbery as against 9 in February.

215 cases of larceny as against 165 in February.

125 cases of gambling as against 53 in February.

111 Chinese civil petitions requiring a hearing were filed during the month.

49 Chinese civil cases were awaiting a first hearing on March 31 as against 57 at the end of February.

The plaintiff in a Chinese civil action was fined $100 for contempt of Court.

A Chinese shop assistant was convicted of having filed a fraudulent security bond and was sentenced to 3 months' imprisonment. This sentence was subsequently commuted to a fine of $300.

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with, Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

M. O. SPRINGFIELD,
*Registrar.*

Countersigned,
A. HILTON-JOHNSON,
Acting Commissioner of Police.

OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| 1.—Offences Against the Person:— | |
| Abduction | 3 |
| Assault | 51 |
| Attempted Suicide | 1 |
| False imprisonment | 1 |
| Intimidation | 4 |
| Kidnapping | 2 |
| Malicious Prosecution | 2 |
| Manslaughter | 4 |
| False Information | 2 |
| Adultery | 2 |
| 2.—Offences Against Property:— | |
| Burglary | 35 |
| Cruelty to animals | 4 |
| Embezzlement | 8 |
| Extortion (obtaining money by threats) | 4 |
| Forgery | 1 |
| Fraud | 6 |
| House-breaking | 6 |
| Larceny | 215 |
| Receiving stolen property | 9 |
| Robbery | 26 |
| 3.—Offences of a Public Nature:— | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 10 |
| Carts | 15 |
| Dairy | 1 |
| Dogs | 3 |
| Foodshops | 6 |
| Hawkers | 56 |
| Motor cars | 43 |
| Opium | 44 |
| Pawnshops | 7 |
| Ricshas | 1,096 |
| Tavern | 1 |
| Tea-shop | 1 |
| Wheel-barrows | 81 |
| Wine-shops | 2 |
| Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| House refuse | 2 |
| Indecent Advertisements | 2 |
| Nuisances | 756 |
| Prostitutes | 14 |
| Traffic | 16 |
| Bribery | 1 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 4 |
| Contempt of Court | 1 |
| Disorderly conduct | 3 |
| Functioning as Police | 1 |
| Gambling | 125 |
| Loitering with intent | 15 |
| Obstructing the Police | 9 |
| Returning after expulsion | 7 |
| Vagrancy | 2 |
| Associates of bad characters | 2 |
| 4.—Miscellaneous Cases | 25 |
| TOTAL | 2,737 |

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SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 1,917 |
| Cases withdrawn | 14 |
| Cautioned | 20 |
| Compensation | 3 |
| Dismissed | 91 |
| Expulsion | 3 |
| Fined | 364 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 3 |
| Imprisonment | 199 |
| ,, and expulsion | 82 |
| Reformatory | 6 |
| Released on Security | 6 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 14 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 14 |
| Sent to Children's Home | 1 |
| TOTAL | 2,737 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On March 1 | 48 |
| Received | 34 |
| Released | 31 |
| On March 31 | 51 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 138 |
| ,, served | 134 |
| Warrants issued | 45 |
| ,, executed | 17 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 6 |
| ,, withdrawn | 1 |
| Summonses issued | 24 |
| ,, served | 11 |
| ,, withdrawn | 4 |
| Persons summoned | 13 |
| Sealing orders issued | 78 |
| ,, ,, executed | 17 |
| ,, ,, not executed (claim settled) | 55 |
| ,, ,, withdrawn | 5 |
| ,, ,, pending | 1 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 9 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 111 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 50 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 64 |
| ,, heard | 117 |
| ,, in course of hearing | 16 |
| Cases concluded | 64 |
| ,, awaiting first hearing on March 31 | 49 |
| Summonses issued | 97 |
| ,, served | 74 |
| ,, withdrawn | 8 |
| Warrants issued | 44 |
| ,, executed | 20 |
| ,, withdrawn | 7 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 20 |
| ,, summoned | 74 |
| ,, failed to appear on first summons | 51 |
| Sealing orders issued | 14 |
| ,, ,, executed | 6 |
| ,, ,, not executed (claim settled) | 6 |
| ,, ,, withdrawn | 1 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 9 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 64 |
| Bonds accepted | 49 |
| ,, rejected | 20 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On March 1 | 46 |
| Received | 31 |
| Released | 31 |
| On March 31 | 46 |

SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ault & Wiborg Shanghai Company | American | Tsiang Poh-tsa | Tls. 6,642.60 | For plaintiffs by default |
| Harvie, Cooke & Co. | British | Foh Shing Hong | Tls. 9,156.16 | For plaintiffs damage to be assessed |
| Olga Koltsoff | Russian | Vera Mayer | Rbs. 21,000. $3,900 jewellery value $4,000 | Proceeding |
| J. Friend | do. | Mow Kyi Oriental Fur Company | Tls. 60 | Property to be returned to plaintiff without payment |
| Shippers Commercial Corp. | American | Teh Tshang Hong | Tls. 739.14 | For plaintiff as prayed |
| Dzung Ping Mei *et al* | Portuguese | Dzung Loh-tshing | $1,700 | For plaintiff: interest at 7% and costs $50.00 |
| Oriental Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. | British | — | — | Adjourned *sine die* with leave to apply |
| Y. Yendo | Japanese | Tsang Yien-ping<br>Kyang Tsong-yau | Yen 75,472.70<br>Tls. 11,705.24 | Proceeding |

## Report of the Acting Commissioner of Public Works for March.

The failure of the Contractor to supply the requisite quantities of road and building materials, has culminated in the cancellation of his Contract to supply during 1920, and the forfeiture of his cash deposit.

At the present time it is impossible to obtain supplies in sufficient quantity to carry out the various public works with anything approaching a reasonable speed. There is also a shortage of some classes of labour, and there is every indication that this will be more acutely felt during the summer months. Recent constructional development in Shanghai has been on a scale that the time-honoured and rather primitive internal organization and methods of the Chinese Contractors are unable to satisfactorily cope with. Local stocks of imported material have always been liable to fluctuation, and a complete absence of necessary material, cement for example, has occasionally occurred for short periods, but until a year or two ago, the supply of domestic material has been fairly adequate and of a uniform quality. The shortage of bulk material such as sand, gravel, and broken stone, for which there is a very large demand, is in a large measure due to the inadequacy of the boating facilities, a state of affairs which could in a large measure be overcome by quickening the movements of the cargo boats and junks by the installation of crude oil engines or other power, so that more journeys in a given time could be made.

This course would involve radical improvements in the methods of handling material on shore, or congestion would soon result, as landing facilities are already inadequate.

Foreign enterprise has mitigated the conditions to some extent, by the introduction of motor trucks. Well organized motor transport can compete with hand cart haulage, but here again quick loading and unloading is one of the most important factors for financial success. At the present time, however, few if any godowns or wharves are equipped with labour aiding devices.

If a careful economic study of the port transport and industrial conditions could be made it would probably be shown that the introduction of mechanical aids would increase the capacity of all yards, godowns, and wharves, and at the same time release men for operations in which manual labour cannot be substituted.

The outstanding features, in all constructional work at the present time, from the supply and delivery of material onward are the need for a "speeding up" and careful planning of all processes, better coordination of various forms of labour, and the intelligent introduction of labour aiding appliances with a view to increased efficiency and ultimate economiy.

*Roads.*—The widening of Bubbling Well Road opposite the Country Club has been completed.

A spall foundation is being laid in East Seward Road between Chaoufoong Road and Kungping Road, the original broken brick foundation having become disintegrated.

A useful widening has been effected at the corner of Chapoo Road and Tiendong Road.

*Drainage.*—1-ft. 6in. by 1-ft. sewers have been laid in Yu Yuen Road West of Tifeng Road and in Mokanshan Road West of West Soochow Road.

The sewer in Hankow Road has been relaid between Fokien Road and Hoopeh Road.

A 12-in. sewer has been laid in Tengyueh Road South of Yangtszepoo Road.

### MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

*Administration Building.*—The electric work is proceeding satisfactorily. Practically the whole of the flooring to the second floor has now been laid. A large consignment of piping for the heating installation has arrived from England, and the work in that connexion is being pushed forward as quickly as possible.

### FIRE BRIGADE.

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—The falsework for the First Floor is now completed and the steel reinforcement laid. A start has also been made with the pouring of the concrete, to beams and slabs.

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*Hongkew Fire Station Workshops.*—The paving of the compound is in hand.

ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

*Woochang Road Substation.*—The construction of this building has been completed.

*Administration Building Substation.*—A portion of the centering in the second storey has been put in place. Progress on the construction of this building has been slow, due to the more urgent requirements of the Administration Building.

*Riverside Power Station, Office Building.*—A portion of the centering for the first storey is in place.

*Tonquin Road Substation.*—An expanded metal screen supported on iron framework is being placed around the first storey.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—2,067 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected cartloads | 4,691 |
| Used for raising land | 551 |
| Water used for street watering 405,480 gallons. | |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,388 |
| Artisans | 367 |
| Foremen | 239 |
| Mafoos | 155 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 5,695 pieces |
| Machine made | 2,610 ,, |
| | 8,305 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 115 admissions during the month and 285 bundles of wood chopped.

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 92 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates issued | 30 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 46 |
| New lots put under taxation | 30 |
| The assessed value of land placed under taxation is | Tls. 63,476 |
| Official plans prepared | 44 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 248 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 257 |
| Surveys made in connexion with road widenings and/or extensions | 66 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 92 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Central ,, | 6 |
| Eastern ,, | 3 |
| Western District | 27 |
| Outside limits | 10 |

*New Buildings.*

Summary of work done during the month:—

| *Description of work.* | |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 346 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 85 |
| Plans approved | 57 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,806 |
| Boundary walls erected<br>Carpenter sheds erected<br>Repairs to buildings effected<br>New shop fronts inserted<br>Shop fronts, etc., painted<br>Alterations effected<br>Fences erected<br>Sign-boards erected<br>Drying stages erected<br>Temporary mat sunshades erected | 601 |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadway | 1 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 143 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 3 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 37 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 50 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by P.W.D. | 2 |
| First intimation notices issued | 2 |
| Second ,, ,, | 1 |

C. HARPUR,
*Acting Commissioner of Public Works.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bona fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2710.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

With effect from March 6, 1920 and until further notice, interest at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 22, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2715.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par. or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2706.**

**HOTEL OR TAVERN—ON-LICENSES.**

THE following amended licence condition will be enforced from this date:—

19. That no drunkenness, noise, disorderly *or immoral* conduct, gambling, prize fight or boxing competition be permitted on the premises.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 15, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2707.**

**DAYLIGHT SAVING.**

THE public is hereby notified that from May 1, the official office hours in all Departments of the Council's Service, will be from 8.30 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon, and from 2 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. Saturdays from 8.30 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 15, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2708.**

**LICENSING OF FOREIGN LODGING HOUSES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after May 1, 1920 all persons conducting a Foreign Lodging House will be required to take out a licence under Bye-law XXXIV.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

1.—That the licence be not transferable.

2.—That the licensee keep on the premises a permanent accurate and legible register of the name, nationality, occupation, place of employment, last address, destination and date of arrival and departure, of all persons resorting to, or using the premises, which register shall be open to inspection at all times by the Police or other duly authorized officer of the Council.

3.—That free access be afforded to the Police on duty or other duly authorized officer of the Council.

4.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.

5.—That on a breach of any of its conditions, the licence be subject to cancellation or suspension by the Council and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

$1.50 per quarter, payable in advance.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 22, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2711.**

**LOSS OF DEBENTURE CERTIFICATE.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the debenture certificate hereunder specified in the name of the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha Ld. has been declared to be lost and the Public is warned against its negotiation.

Application has been made for the issue of a duplicate certificate and should no objection be lodged with the Municipal Treasurer and Comptroller within 30 days from date hereof, the application will be complied with.

| Loan | Distinctive Number | Value of Debenture |
|---|---|---|
| 1919 | 21,832 | Tls. 1,000 |

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 22, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2712.**

**FIREARMS.**

**(Carrying or Conveying.)**

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after May 2, all persons desiring to carry firearms are required to take out a licence under Bye-law XXXIV.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

1.—That the licence be not transferable to any other person, and refers only to the particular firearm in respect of which it is issued, which firearm is hereunder described.

2.—That the firearm remain at all times in the possession of the licensee, who shall produce it to the Police if and when called upon to do so.

3.—That the licensee shall, in case of any change of address or other alteration in the information supplied by him in the Application Form for this licence within seven days thereof give to the Council notice in writing of such change or alteration.

4.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid to any employe of the Council.

5.—That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

Tls. 10 per quarter payable in advance.

Description of Firearm in respect of which this licence is issued.

Nature and Calibre.

Maker's name.

Maker's number on firearm.

NOTES.

Applications for licences must be made in writing on the prescribed form which can be obtained at the Revenue Office, No. 7a The Bund.

No licence is required for firearms which are solely used for sporting purposes, and members of any recognized revolver or rifle club will not be required to take out a licence, providing the membership of the club is submitted for record with the Police, together with the particulars of the weapon owned by members, and subject to the Council's right to insist upon a licence being taken out in any individual case when exemption is for good reason considered undesirable in the public interest.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai April 22, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2713.**

**Motor Car or other Motor Vehicle Licence, Condition No. 9, Motor Bicycles, Condition No. 8, and Motor Freight Vehicles, Condition No. 19:—**

WITH respect to the above, the following amended licence condition will be enforced from May 1, 1920:—

"That proper precautions be taken to prevent exhaust pipes discharging in such a manner as to cause annoyance to the public. *The use of a cut-out or other device providing an open exhaust is prohibited.*"

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2716.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business during the race days, viz., Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, May 3, 4 and 5.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Thursday, April 22, 1920, at 5 o'clock p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
D. Goh
H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 6.45 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Friday, April 23, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. A. W. Burkill (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
H. A. Macintyre
C. G. S. Mackie
S. B. Neill

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Monday, April 26, 1920, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. A. W. Burkill (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
H. A. Macintyre
C. G. S. Mackie
S. B. Neill

The meeting adjourned at 12.25 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, April 26, 1920, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. C. M. Bain (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
E. F. Mackay

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Watch and Works Committees held on Monday, April 26, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. W. P. Lambe (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
M. Benjamin
Messrs. S. Fessenden
E. F. Mackay

*Absent*:

Lieut.-Col. P. A. Cox, O.B.E.

The meeting adjourned at 6.10 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, April 28, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
M. Benjamin
Lieut.-Col. P. A. Cox O.B.E.
Messrs. S. Fessenden
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Reserve of Officers.*—Five months leave is granted to 2nd Lieut. J. W. Baldwin from April 2.

Letter from Major T. E. Trueman, expressing appreciation of the vote of thanks passed at the recent Meeting of Ratepayers:—

Shanghai, April 16, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to express my deep appreciation of the reference made by the late Chairman of Council at the Ratepayers' Meeting held on April 7, to my service as Commandant of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps, and for the endorsement of the Council's recommendation by the Meeting of Ratepayers in presenting me with a motor car.

The work done by myself is not worthy of special notice any more than the service given by every loyal Volunteer who has served the Council and the Community during the past five years. Each one has had his own special duty to perform, and it happened that I was senior, and the whole-hearted co-operation of the other officers has made it possible for me to carry on the duties of Commandant entrusted to me by the Council.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
T. E. TRUEMAN,
*Major,*
*Commandant S.V.C.*

The CHAIRMAN, Municipal Council.

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### Unburied Coffins.

Letter from residents in the Western District on the subject of an accumulation of unburied coffins just beyond the Settlement Boundary, with resultant correspondence with the Chinese authorities, and reply:—

Shanghai, February 28, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—The undersigned residents in the Foreign Settlement beg to call the earnest attention of the Council to the accumulation of unburied coffins, in various stages of decay, in a small space just outside the western boundary of the Settlement and close to the Kiaochow and Jessfield Roads.

These coffins—the majority of flimsy construction and evidently brought from long distances—lie rotting and exposed in a higgledy-piggledy heap—an offence to all the senses, a scandal in the eyes of all respectable Chinese such as would not be suffered elsewhere, and an intolerable nuisance, if not a danger, to the residents in the neighbourhood.

The explanation given is that land in the vicinity of Shanghai is now so valuable that the poorer classes cannot afford to purchase burying space. But it is not conceivable that the Chinese officials concerned, or our Chinese fellow citizens generally, will permit such a consideration to cause the maintenance of an abominable state of things which time will only aggravate; and we feel sure that the Council has only to move in the matter to have it properly dealt with.

We would, therefore, request the Council to address the Chinese official immediately responsible with a view to the decent burial or removal of the coffins as quickly as possible. The heap is constantly being added to and prompt action is necessary.

We remain,
Dear Sir,
Your obedient servants,
ARTS & CRAFTS, LTD.,
S. J. HICKS,
*Director and Manager.*
HUBERT S. HONIGSBERG,
*per* H. L. RICKS,
F. S. UNWIN,
J. W. H. FERGUSON,
N. R. M. SHAW,
J. W. H. JOHN,
N. F. MILLER,
C. B. W. MOORE,
H. SPEAKMAN,
S. NISHIGORI,
G. BOEZI,
L. K. LITTLE,
C. R. S. COOPER,
J. TREVOR SMITH,
R. R. HUGHES,
EDWARD M. MERRINS, M.D.
International Committee
Y.M.C.A.
A. Q. ADAMSON,
F. B. HUDSON, D.D.S.,

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 23, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your petition of February 28, on the subject of the nuisance caused by an accumulation of unburied coffins just beyond the western boundary of the Settlement, and, in reply, to forward for the information of yourselves and your co-signatories the enclosed copy of a letter which has been addressed to the Senior Consul on the subject.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Messrs. ARTS & CRAFTS, LTD.,
and other residents in the Western District.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 23, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Council has received a petition from a number of residents in the Western District complaining of the nuisance caused by an accumulation of unburied coffins about 300 yards beyond the Settlement boundary, west of the Kiaochow Road.

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The Health Officer refers to this coffin dump, which consists of about 500 exposed coffins, as offensive and dangerous to the health of those living in the vicinity.

In view of these facts, I have the honour to request that you will kindly arrange with the Chinese Authorities to remove or bury these coffins, in order to improve the present unsatisfactory state of affairs.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. C. PEARCE,
*Chairman*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, April 19, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—In reply to your letter of February 28, on the subject of an accumulation of unburied coffins in the vicinity of the Western boundary of the Settlement, I am directed to forward, for your information and that of your co-signatories enclosed copies of correspondence with the Chinese local authorities. The Council trusts that as a result of this measure, the nuisance complained of will be abated.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Messrs. ARTS & CRAFTS, LTD.,
and other Residents.

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Shanghai, March 30, 1920.

SIR,—In pursuance to your letter of March 23, 1920, concerning 500 exposed coffins about 300 yards beyond the Settlement boundary, west of the Kiaochow Road, I have the honour to hand you herewith for your consideration a copy of the Chinese text and a free translation of a letter received from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. SIFFERT,
*Senior Consul.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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*Translation of letter from the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs to the Senior Consul dated March 27, 1920.*

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter concerning 500 exposed coffins about 300 yards beyond the Settlement boundary, west of the Kiaochow Road, as offensive and dangerous to the health of those living in the vicinity. You ask me to arrange to remove or bury these coffins, etc.

In reply I beg to inform you that I have written the same to the City Magistrate, asking him to notify the refuges concerned to bury them.

YANGTCHENG.

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**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Siccawei Road.*—Letter received from the French Council notifying proposed improvements to the Siccawei Road (French side) with reply, for general information.

*Translation of letter from French Municipal Council, dated March 25, 1920.*

SIR,—In the course of its recent meetings, the French Council has renewed the examination of the question of the widening of the Siccawei Road (French side) between the Route Say Zoong and Siccawei.

On this subject, the Council has come to the following decision which I now communicate to you:—

"*Siccawei Road.*—After examination of the plan of the whole and of the tracing of the Siccawei Road between Siccawei and the Route Say Zoong and considering the sum necessary for the widening of this road, which was set aside for this purpose by decision of July 9, 1917,

"considering that in its present state, it is, however, indispensable that the Council retains a strip of land sufficient for the placing thereon of electric light poles and various pipes,

"the Council decides upon a widening of 10 feet (French side) and with a view to safeguarding future requirements to reserve a zone *non edificandi* of 10 feet as well (French side).

"The Council adopts the new plan of the widening of Siccawei Road (French side) submitted by the Acting Municipal Engineer. (Decision of March 15, 1920)."

I am, Sir, etc.,
P. LEGENDRE,
*Secretary,*
*French Municipal Council.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
The Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, April 21, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 26, on the subject of the widening and control of the Siccawei Road (French side) between Route de Say Zoong and Siccawei, and to thank you for the information therein contained.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

P. LEGENDRE, Esq.,
Secretary, French Municipal Council.

**Transport.**

With reference to the note in the Gazette of January 15, 1920, on the subject of the introduction of Motor Wagons in the Public Works Department; it has been found possible to reduce the number of draught animals by twenty; notice accordingly has been given to the Shanghai Horse Bazaar & Motor Co., Ld., and, in accordance with the provisions of the Standing Contract, the reduction will come into effect on October 1 next.

**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, April 25, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 84,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 3 |
| Scarlet Fever | 5 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 22 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 2 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 1 | 5 |
| Influenza | — | 4 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 166 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, APRIL 24.

*Police Force.*—Constable H. A. Flower is dismissed the Force from April 18.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. O. Harpur, Deputy Commissioner, from August 2.

The service of Assistant Inspector J. T. Course will terminate on July 7.

Mr. T. P. Moorehead, temporary Engineering Assistant, is permitted to terminate his service on June 5.

*Electricity Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. A. Habecost, Controller of Stores, and Mr. J. W. Harding, Clerical Assistant, from May 6 and May 10 respectively.

*Revenue Department.*—Mr. T. Aiers is re-engaged as Tax Collector on three months' probation from April 16.

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*Educational Department.*—Mrs. A. J. Heald is appointed temporarily as Music Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls from April 14.

### Public Band.

The Sunday concerts arranged for May 2 and May 9 next, will take place instead in the Town Hall at 9-o'clock p.m. on Friday, April 30, and Friday, May 7.

On Friday, April 30, the programme will be as follows:—

TWENTY-SECOND CONCERT.

1.—Symphony B minor No. 6 (Pathetic) Tschaikowsky
- *(a)* Adagio—Allegro ma non troppo Andante—Moderato mosso—Andante Allegro Vivo
- *(b)* Allegro con grazia
- *(c)* Allegro molto vivace
- *(d)* Finale: Adagio lamentoso

2.—Concerto D Major for Violin with Orchestra
Soloist: Mr. V. Siroido
- *(a)* Allegro ma non troppo
- *(b)* Larghetto
- *(c)* Finale: Rondo

3.—Capriccio espagnol Rimsky-Korsakow
- *(a)* Alborada
- *(b)* Variations
- *(c)* Alborada
- *(d)* Scene and Gitano Song
- *(e)* Asturias Fandango

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 56 | Bund and Canton | Palmer & Turner | | | altns. |
| 29c | Nanking | C. Luthy | | | temporary store shed |
| 571 | Soochow | Brandt & Rodgers | | | 3 godowns |
| N of 1031 | Boone | Chun Wei Ping | | | altns. |
| 3841 | Ward | Lin Tai & Co. | | | factory |
| E of 3851 | " | Tsao Foong | | | garage & bridge |
| 2755 | Off B'bling Well | H. M. Cumine | 1 | | |
| 6306 | Connaught and Ferry | LienShunChee | 6 | | |
| 3082 | Medhurst | ChenChinChee | | | addns. |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 221 | KienKeeLee | Cheng Ching Chee | | | addns. |
| S of 474 | Urga | Zah Sue Kee | 3 | | wall |
| E of 1970 | Off Great Western | Sing Yung Kee | 4 | | |
| S of 5779 | Off Penang | Yao An Kee | 54 | | |
| S of 945 | " Tatung | TaChengYung | 3 | | |

### Public School for Boys.

PHYSICAL REPORT TO END OF SPRING TERM, 1920

By the Physical Diagnosis of the boys in the Public School for Boys which has just been completed, one hundred and four of the two hundred and sixty-two boys of the school were found to be suffering from bad teeth, defective vision or other ailment. These one hundred and four together have one hundred and forty-seven physical defects.

The figures are as follows:

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number enrolled: | 262 boys |
| Number examined: | 247 — |
| Number having defects: | 104 — |
| Number of cases: | 147 — |

| Ailment | Number of cases | Left School | Attended to | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Teeth | 50 | 4 | 14 | |
| Eyes | 34 | 1 | 13 | Only those needing glasses were included in the 34. 13 have already procured glasses. |
| Adenoids | 13 | | 4 | |
| Tonsils | 10 | | 2 | Only those who have enlarged tonsils with habitual sore throat, colds, etc., are included. |
| Scoliosis (Lateral Curvature of the Spine) | 2 | | | These are taking exercise daily under the supervision of the Physical Director. |
| Other Postural Defects (such as round shoulders, etc.) | 18 | | | Individual exercises have been prescribed. |
| Waistcoat too high in back | 4 | | 4 | In these four cases the waistcoat was found to be too high in the back causing the head to be thrown forward with a consequent poor posture. |
| Deafness (slightly or totally, in one or both ears) | 16 | | | Boys suffering from deafness have been seated near the front of the class room. (Some of these cases may be cleared up with the removal of adenoids). |

It will be seen that many have taken measures to correct their defects. Some others are waiting for the Easter or Summer holidays to have their adenoids or tonsils removed, etc.

Many of those who have had defects remedied have reported marked physical improvement. There is no doubt that more serious difficulties have been avoided in some cases by prompt action. The doctor who examined one boy's eyes for glasses, told him that he would have been blind in a short time if he had continued without them.

The testing of sight and hearing and of the general physical condition of the scholars is now done under the direction of the School Director of Physical Training Beyond the necessary allowance made in the school work of a child who shows abnormality or physical defect, no remedial or corrective treatment is attempted by those responsible for the examination of the children. Where it is considered desirable, however, the Headmaster communicates privately to parents the result of the examination.

### Sanitary Station.

Shanghai, April 19, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to hand you, enclosed, a statement of Receipts and Payments in connexion with the Sanitary Station at Woosung for the March Quarter 1920.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

The CHAIRMAN, Municipal Council.

| RECEIPTS. | *Haikwan Taels* | |
|---|---|---|
| Balance from December Quarter 1919 | — | |
| *Foreign Municipal Council's Contribution | 1,346.50 | |
| French Municipal Council's Contribution | 471.27 | |
| Superintendent's Contribution | 2,693.00 | |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 166.07 | |
| Gain by Exchange | 15.26 | |
| *Interest on Mortgage A/c | 448.83 | |
| | | 5,140.93 |
| Total Receipts | | 5,140.93 |

| EXPENDITURE. | *Haikwan Taels* | |
|---|---|---|
| Salaries, Foreign Staff | 1,975.79 | |
| " Chinese " | 1,275.66 | |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 201.97 | |
| Maintenance Account | 1,361.50 | |
| Advertisements, Telegrams, etc. | — | |
| Coal and Stores for Tender | 749.12 | |
| Loss by Exchange | — | |
| | 5,564.04 | |
| Balance due on December 31, 1919 | 12,569.02 | |
| | | 18,133.06 |
| Debit Balance on March 31, 1920 | | 12,992.13 |

*Total interest received to date Hk. Tls. 2,244.15
*Received April 16 and accounted for March Quarter 1920

Prepared by
J. STEINBERG,
*District Accountant.*

L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

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**Fire Brigade Report for March.**

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 17, as against 16 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 8,500 (Foreign, Tls. 450; Chinese, Tls. 8,050), as against Tls. 1,075 (Foreign, Tls. Nil; Chinese, Tls. 1,075) during March 1919. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 97,000 (Foreign, Tls. 42,000; Chinese, Tls. 55,000), as against Tls. 83,000 (Foreign, Tls. 7,000; Chinese, Tls. 76,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 10, Watch Towers 4, Police 1, and Street Alarm 1. The district call was given on 4 occasions, the remaining 13 being station calls. These calls proved to be 12 small fires, 4 false alarms (one of which was malicious) and 1 fire outside the Settlement.

The main supposed causes of fires within the Settlement are as follows:—Sparks, ashes or embers from stoves 2, dropped match or cigarette end 2, defective flue 2, paper rubbish on fire 1, back fire 1, joss paper 1, negligence 1, smoking in bed 1, and unknown 1, The premises affected were:—Foreign building 1 and Chinese buildings 10. Of these, 11 buildings were more or less damaged by fire, smoke and water.

The Brigade was ocupied 58 hours and 47 minutes at fires or supposed fires.

There were no fires of note during the month.

From March 10 to 27, the writer was absent from Shanghai on a professional visit to Manila, Hongkong and Canton, etc., to inspect the various methods of fire protection, etc., particularly in relation to street alarm service, hydrants, water supply as appertaining to fire extinction, fire equipment, building construction and other important details.

The visit was extremely interesting, and allowed me to compare the fire protection of these cities with that here, also useful information was gathered. Several fires were seen, one actually taking place just as I was arriving in Manila Harbour, when an explosion occurred on the schooner Alfonso which had on board a large quantity of gasolene, and shipping at the mouth of the Harbour was endangered. This fire was attended with serious loss of life.

There was a marked comparison between cities under Western rule and that of Canton, under Chinese rule. In the former there are Fire Departments, whereas in the latter, there is not the semblance of one, devoid of fire appliances, with the exception of obsolete hand-pumps. In this respect it is, however, satisfactory to state that the Chinese City here is far more progressive, and has recently received a 300 gallon motor fire engine, which is one of six to be delivered in the near future. These machines are the same types as used by this Department.

M. W. Pett,
*Chief Officer.*

**RECORD OF CALLS.**

| Date | Call | | Alarm given | Locality | District | | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Time of | How received | | | Municipal | Fire | | | Hours | Minutes | |
| March 1 | 3.58 p.m. | Sinza Tower | Station | Chapei | Outside | | | | | 15 | |
| 2 | 11.08 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | L208 off Kuling Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 20 | |
| 6 | 6.10 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Peking/ Museum Rds. | Central | 3 | | | | 10 | Open space |
| 8 | 5.53 a.m. | ,, | ,, | Lc79 Se Zang Ling | ,, | 4 | Lodging House | | | 15 | |
| 8 | 12.11 p.m. | ,, | ,, | U1008 Peking Road | ,, | 6 | Chinese Shop | | | 70 | |
| 9 | 11.28 a.m. | Street Alarm | ,, | Nanking/Shanse Roads | ,, | 4 | | | | 15 | False alarm |
| 13 | 5.07 a.m. | Central Tower | District | L161/3 Canton Road | ,, | 4 | Chinese Shop | 1 damaged | 13 | 15 | Two persons injured |
| 13 | 10.10 a.m. | Telephone | Station | 24 Kiangse Road | ,, | 4 | Foreign Offices | | 2½ | | |
| 13 | 9.44 p.m. | Central Police | ,, | Nanking/Shanse Roads | ,, | 4 | | | | 15 | Malicious false alarm |
| 16 | 12.01 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | Pp1207 off Tatung Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | 1 damaged | 3 | | |
| 18 | 9.06 p.m. | ,, | District | L1337 off Y'poo Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | 5 ,, | 16 | 50 | |
| 19 | 10.07 p.m. | ,, | Station | W52 Kweichow Road | Central | 6 | ,, | | 1 | 15 | |
| 20 | 3.18 p.m. | Central Police | ,, | Ichang Road | Western | 7 | Foreign Cotton Mill | | | 30 | False alarm |
| 21 | 1.32 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | 12 Robison Road | ,, | 7 | Foreign Residence | 1 damaged | 3 | 50 | |
| 21 | 4.40 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | Chapoo/Woochang Road | Northern | 2 | | | | 12 | False alarm |
| 27 | 9.40 p.m. | Telephone | District | Q105 Tientsin Road | Central | 3 | Chinese Shop | 3 damaged | 14 | 30 | 1 life lost |
| 28 | 1.34 a.m. | Central Tower | ,, | Ningpo/Szechuen Roads | ,, | 3 | | | | 15 | Motor car |

M. W. Pett, *Chief Officer.*

**Parks Report for March.**

*Road side trees:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total No. of trees planted | 753 |
| ,, ,, ,, staked | 281 |
| ,, ,, ,, fastened | 689 |
| ,, ,, ,, transplanted | 44 |
| ,, ,, ,, pruned | 1,888 |
| ,, ,, ,, topdressed | 607 |
| ,, ,, tree-borers destroyed | 64 |
| Total No. of bird-nests removed | 191 |

*Road Widenings:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total No. of trees transplanted | 93 |

*Nurseries:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total No. of trees transplanted | 6,108 |
| ,, ,, shrubs transplanted | 2,082 |
| Various cuttings inserted | 13,140 |

**Sports.**

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players |
|---|---|
| Golf | 938 |
| Football | 88 |
| Total number of players | 1,026 |
| ,, ,, non-players | 6,000 |
| ,, ,, Visitors | 7,026 |

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*Trees planted, staked and fastened at:—*

| | Trees | Shrubs | Hedge plants |
|---|---|---|---|
| Quinsan Square | 1 | | |
| Victoria Nursing Home | 8 | | |
| | | | |

*Trees & Shrubs planted at:—*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Public Garden | | 120 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 494 | 20 |
| | 494 | 140 |

*Trees, shrubs & hedge plants transplanted at:*

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 260 | 32 | 98 |
| Isolation Hospital | 56 | | |
| | 316 | 32 | 98 |

*Plants bedded out at:*

| | |
|---|---|
| Public Gardens | 250 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 2,800 |
| Jessfield Park | 4,194 |
| | 7,244 |

*Turf laid at:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Public Garden | 59 fong |
| Municipal Reformatory | 47 ,, |
| Public School (Kungping Road) | 20 ,, |
| Public School for Girls in Western District | 6 ,, |
| Bubbling Well Police Station | 6 ,, |
| 76 Yangtszepoo Road Police Quarters | 10 ,, |
| | 148 fong |

D. MacGregor,
*Superintendent.*

Countersigned:
C. Harpur,
Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

## Summary of Revenue for March

| Description | Estimate for 1920 | 1920 Number | 1920 Amount | 1920 Total from January 1 | 1919 Number | 1919 Amount | 1919 Total from January 1 | 1918 Number | 1918 Amount | 1918 Total from January 1 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,055,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 861,000 | — | 53,672.66 | 199,561.56 | — | 30,139.44 | 161,655.77 | — | 32,226.28 | 152,196.03 |
| Chinese | 1,285,000 | — | 100,911.82 | 341,181.02 | — | 50,435.75 | 219,790.01 | — | 29,057.95 | 241,649.16 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | — | — | — | 29.40 | 34.40 | — | — | 40.00 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 350,000 | — | 85,245.86 | 85,245.86 | — | 49,711.07 | 49,711.07 | — | 42,913.61 | 42,913.61 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | — | — | 3,815.00 | 1 | 60.00 | 3,885.00 | 1 | 30.00 | 4,345.00 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 25,000 | 2 | 50.00 | 6,462.50 | 3 | 75.00 | 6,075.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 5,775.00 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 600 | 1 | 4.50 | 138.00 | — | — | 139.00 | — | — | 102.00 |
| Eating House | 10,000 | 324 | 556.69 | 2,368.25 | 122 | 213.19 | 2,109.20 | 49 | 127.93 | 2,175.77 |
| Chinese Club | 5,100 | — | — | 1,266.70 | — | — | 1,141.70 | 1 | 8.35 | 1,008.35 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13,000 | — | — | 2,869.00 | — | — | 3,061.00 | — | — | 3,214.00 |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36,000 | 504 | 2,571.40 | 8,905.40 | 143 | 723.05 | 8,915.55 | 98 | 392.75 | 8,948.75 |
| Tea-shop | 17,000 | 627 | 1,399.00 | 4,029.50 | 649 | 1,404.00 | 4,192.50 | 666 | 1,347.50 | 4,003.00 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 7,000 | 68 | 453.85 | 1,744.68 | 8 | 17.31 | 1,695.27 | 1 | 7.16 | 1,501.99 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,500 | 13 | 498.00 | 1,432.50 | 14 | 510.00 | 1,426.00 | 10 | 337.00 | 1,012.00 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 22 | 829.00 | 2,137.00 | 18 | 709.00 | 2,087.00 | 15 | 735.00 | 2,065.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 3,200 | 13 | 207.00 | 542.00 | 15 | 252.00 | 637.00 | 10 | 168.00 | 499.00 |
| Pawn-shop | 33,000 | 309 | 7,703.07 | 7,712.89 | 305 | 8,090.17 | 8,090.17 | 302 | 7,775.92 | 7,775.92 |
| Exchange Shop | 9,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tobacco Shop | 15,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,700 | 1 078 | 523.20 | 1,508.93 | 1,032 | 576.30 | 1,517.32 | 927 | 518.61 | 1,586.67 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,200 | 63 | 92.11 | 272.40 | 66 | 94.78 | 283.80 | 65 | 93.73 | 282 36 |
| Launch | 3,500 | 29 | 58.00 | 987.00 | 27 | 54.00 | 875.00 | 27 | 54.00 | 781.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 2,036 | 491.13 | 1,160.28 | 1,722 | 404.25 | 1,007.04 | 1,678 | 397.63 | 1,015.78 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 158 | 115.28 | 290.28 | 171 | 122.88 | 259.09 | 160 | 115.09 | 263.84 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 10,000 | P. 13 / C. 13 | 45.12 | 2,519.28 | P. 11 / C. 11 | 44.63 | 2,619.35 | P. 14 / C. 12 | 45.42 | 2,890.25 |
| Livery Stable | 11,000 | P. 273 / C. 251 | 929.91 | 2,732.01 | P. 411 / C. 262 | 1,047.62 | 3,106.65 | P. 396 / C. 243 | 982.27 | 2,921.11 |
| Motor Vehicles | 70,000 | 83 | 388.68 | 15 692.47 | 115 | 142.69 | 10,675.45 | 58 | 307.55 | 8,569.39 |
| Cart | 37,000 | 2,395 | 3,276.50 | 10 263.00 | 1,986 | 2,831.50 | 8,960.00 | 1,743 | 2,478.00 | 7,901.50 |
| Private Ricsha | 74,000 | 115 | 133.92 | 14,906.42 | 134 | 145.86 | 13,153.00 | 82 | 82.32 | 12,367.00 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,630.35 | 34,928 60 | 8,000 | 11,487.65 | 34,416.50 | 8,000 | 11,454.35 | 34,349.35 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 6 | 8.77 | 24.11 | 5 | 6.48 | 32.29 | 6 | 8.65 | 37.61 |
| Wheel-barrow | 53 000 | 9,873 | 4,939.39 | 13,602.39 | 9,272 | 4,641 83 | 12,262.70 | 9,079 | 4,546.82 | 11,784.51 |
| Firearms | 500 | 1 | 75.00 | 150.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 75.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 75.00 |
| Dog | 8,000 | 227 | 827.79 | 2,851.00 | 279 | 401 33 | 1,495.20 | 338 | 486,16 | 1,673.78 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 118,840 | 5,742 | 9.187.53 | 27,749.66 | 5,580 | 8,752.11 | 25,772 00 | 5,513 | 8,652.30 | 26,012.38 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | 130.00 | 570.00 | — | 10.00 | 140.00 | — | — | — |
| Firemen's Quarters | — | — | — | — | — | 260.00 | 372.50 | — | 232.00 | 375.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 6,000 | — | 375.81 | 1,075.81 | — | 465.00 | 1,430.48 | — | 485.00 | 1,380.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 1.73 | 680 37 | — | 1.72 | 389.25 | — | .72 | 72.21 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 26 300 | — | 17,642.86 | 17,642.86 | — | 16,741.10 | 16,741.10 | — | 21,870.30 | 21,870.30 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | 250.00 | 250.00 | — | 250.00 | 250.00 | — | 250.00 | 250.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co. Ld. | 7,330 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 62,000 | — | 15,221.91 | 15,221.91 | — | 12,739.30 | 12,739.30 | — | 11,365.00 | 11,365.00 |
| Electricity Department | 309,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Convict Labour | 7,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concrete ware Manufactory | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 8,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,742,870 | | 320,447.84 | 834,490.55 | | 203,665.41 | 653,218.66 | | 179,703.37 | 627,048.62 |

E. L. Allen, *Commissioner of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局有權承攬或全份或幾份係本局自有權承攬或一項或數項

二 所有承攬價目雖是極低本局亦有權不承認之准攬價必承認之用辦如局認定本辦法自行估價之後該人遵照合同辦理付人亦有權不承認之

三 擇定之後人遵承攬人須覓保人辦理之保證

四 所有承攬各人之信及承攬人之信件公司及承攬人知悉

五 所有目以後登入本局公報若須付錢則登報

本局必取閱說明書若此單內登載

六 後所明所收之款錢一律退還

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

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部工局

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 198 | 112 Induction Motors (Copies of the Specification may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road, on or after Tuesday, March 9)<br>Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 1, Noon |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT

House Refuse removal from all the shoots for the twelve months ending April 30, 1921

| | |
|---|---|
| *Van San Too | $14,400 |
| Chow Tai Sing | 13,800 |

*Accepted

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# The Municipal Gazette

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2710.**

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

DEPOSITS will be accepted by the Bank during the first five days of each month and will be converted twice yearly into Municipal Debentures. Pending their conversion interest will be allowed at the rate from time to time advertised.

The rules governing deposits are as follows:—

1.—Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2.—Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, 24B Kiangse Road, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3.—Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4.—Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5.—On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balance remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6.—The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention, a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made, and the balance remaining at his credit will be refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

With effect from March 6, 1920 and until further notice, interest at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum (calculated as provided for under Rule 4) will be allowed on deposits.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 22, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2715.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2708.**
**LICENSING OF FOREIGN LODGING HOUSES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after May 1, 1920 all persons conducting a Foreign Lodging House will be required to take out a licence under Bye-law XXXIV.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

1.—That the licence be not transferable.
2.—That the licensee keep on the premises a permanent accurate and legible register of the name, nationality, occupation, place of employment, last address, destination and date of arrival and departure, of all persons resorting to, or using the premises, which register shall be open to inspection at all times by the Police or other duly authorized officer of the Council.
3.—That free access be afforded to the Police on duty or other duly authorized officer of the Council.
4.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
5.—That on a breach of any of its conditions, the licence be subject to cancellation or suspension by the Council and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

$1.50 per quarter, payable in advance.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 22, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2711.**
**LOSS OF DEBENTURE CERTIFICATE.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the debenture certificate hereunder specified in the name of the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha Ld. has been declared to be lost and the Public is warned against its negotiation.

Application has been made for the issue of a duplicate certificate and should no objection be lodged with the Municipal Treasurer and Comptroller within 30 days from date hereof, the application will be complied with.

| Loan | Distinctive Number | Value of Debenture |
|---|---|---|
| 1919 | 21,832 | Tls. 1,000 |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 22, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2712.**
**FIREARMS.**
**(Carrying or Conveying.)**

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after May 2, all persons desiring to carry firearms are required to take out a licence under Bye-law XXXIV.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

1.—That the licence be not transferable to any other person, and refers only to the particular firearm in respect of which it is issued, which firearm is hereunder described.
2.—That the firearm remain at all times in the possession of the licensee, who shall produce it to the Police if and when called upon to do so.
3.—That the licensee shall, in case of any change of address or other alteration in the information supplied by him in the Application Form for this licence, within seven days thereof give to the Council notice in writing of such change or alteration.
4.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.
5.—That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council

FEE.

Tls. 10 per quarter payable in advance.

Description of Firearm in respect of which this licence is issued:—

Nature and Calibre.
Maker's name.
Maker's number on firearm.

NOTES.

Applications for licences must be made in writing on the prescribed form which can be obtained at the Revenue Office, No. 7a The Bund.

No licence is required for firearms which are solely used for sporting purposes, and members of any recognized revolver or rifle club will not be required to take out a licence, providing the membership of the club is submitted for record with the Police, together with the particulars of the weapon owned by members, and subject to the Council's right to insist upon a licence being taken out in any individual case when exemption is for good reason considered undesirable in the public interest.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 22, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2713.**
**Motor Car or other Motor Vehicle Licence, Condition No. 9, Motor Bicycles, Condition No. 8, and Motor Freight Vehicles, Condition No. 19:—**

WITH respect to the above, the following amended licence condition will be enforced from May 1, 1920:—

"That proper precautions be taken to prevent exhaust pipes discharging in such a manner as to cause annoyance to the public. *The use of a cut-out or other device providing an open exhaust is prohibited.*"

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2714.**
**FOREIGN PRINTER—GAOL.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications from foreigners for appointment as Printer at the Gaol Printing Works. Pay Tls. 200 per mensem.

Appointment will be made on three months probation merging in a three years agreement if services are satisfactory.

Applicant required, preferably a jobbing printer with knowledge of paper.

Applications should state age, qualifications, experience, etc., and should be forwarded together with copies of testimonials to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room.
Shanghai, May 6, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2716.**
**PUBLIC SWIMMING BATH.**

THE Public Swimming Bath in the North Szechuen Road, near the Hongkew Recreation Ground, will be open on and after Saturday, May 15, from 6 o'clock a.m. to 8 o'clock p.m.

The Bath will be reserved for the use of ladies and children from 9 o'clock a.m. to 1.30 p.m., except on Sundays.

Admission 10 cents, payable at the door.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2717.**
*(Translation)*
**LICENSING OF BROTHELS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all keepers of brothels, Foreign or Chinese, are required to take out a brothel licence under Bye-law XXXIV in pursuance of the recommendations contained in the Report of the Special Vice Committee, published in the Municipal Gazette of March 19, 1920, and adopted by Resolution XV passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers held on April 7, 1920.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

CONDITIONS.

1.—That the licence be not transferable and refers only to the particular brothel in respect of which it is issued.
2.—That the licensee be the keeper of the brothel, and responsible for its proper conduct.

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3.—That the licensee shall not sublet nor part with the possession of the brothel without the written permission of the Council.

4.—That the licence number plate be fixed in a conspicuous position at the main outside entrance to the brothel and remain at all times legible and undefaced, and that the licence be kept exhibited in a conspicuous place inside the brothel.

5.—That free access be given to the Police on duty and to Officers of the Health Department and of the Revenue Office charged with the inspection of licensed premises.

6.—That the names, ages and nationality of all female inmates of the brothel be kept properly recorded in the space provided at the foot of the licence, and that any changes be immediately notified in writing to the Commissioner of Police, Central Police Station, Honan Road.

7.—That no intoxicating liquor be sold in or upon any part of the brothel.

8.—That no disorderly conduct or gambling be permitted in or upon any part of the brothel.

9.—That no opium smoking be permitted in or upon any part of the brothel, and that the licensee notify the Police of the presence of any person found to be smoking opium.

10.—That the use of morphia, cocaine or other noxious drugs be not permitted in or upon any part of the brothel.

11.—That no solicitation by any female inmate of the brothel be permitted either on the streets, or in places of public resort, or from the doors or windows of the brothel.

12.—That the notice issued by the Council with this licence stating that no female inmate can be detained in the brothel against her will and giving particulars of the nearest Police Station and of any institution where help or free medical assistance can be obtained and warning against the danger of neglecting such assistance, be kept exhibited in a conspicuous place inside the brothel, and remain at all times legible and undefaced.

13.—That the brothel be maintained in an approved sanitary condition and be conducted in accordance with the requirements of public health and to the satisfaction of the Health Officer or his accredited representative.

14.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.

15.—That on a breach of any of its conditions, the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

REGISTER OF FEMALE INMATES.

| Name | Age | Nationality |
|---|---|---|
| | | |

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

$1 per half-year or any part thereof, payable half-yearly in advance.

NOTES.

1.—Applications for licences must be made in writing on the prescribed form which can be obtained at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund, on and after May 24, 1920.

2.—Licences will only be issued in respect of brothels that were in existence on December 31, 1919.

3.—The maximum number of female inmates permitted in any brothel will be 10, or such less number as were in the brothel on December 31, 1919.

4.—The registered owners of the land on which the brothel is situated will be notified of the use to which their property is being put.

5.—On and after June 1 the register of brothel licences will be open to inspection by any Ratepayer at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund, during the usual office hours.

6.—No licence will be issued in respect of any brothel situated in the vicinity of any school.

7.—Solicitation is an offence punishable by law, and any conviction for this offence renders the licence liable to withdrawal.

8.—Any person conducting a brothel without a licence after June 14, will be liable to prosecution.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2718.**

**LAND COMMISSION.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, under the provisions of Land Regulation VIA, Friday, May 28, has been fixed for the election of a Land Commissioner in the place of Dr. R. S. Ivy, who has resigned owing to his departure from Shanghai.

Nominations by qualified landowners will be received by the undersigned up to and including May 20.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2719.**

**BUND PASSENGER PONTOONS.**

THE northernmost of the Bund Passenger Pontoons will be removed for repairs from May 17 to May 23, and the southernmost pontoon from May 24 to May 30.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 13, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Band Committee held on Friday, April 30, 1920, at 4.30 p.m, there were: —

*Present*:
Messrs. A. Howard *(Chairman)*
C. M. Bain
O. M. Green

The meeting adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, May 7, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Mr. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
Lieut.-Col. Hayley Bell, D.S.O.
Messrs. A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphrys
A. C. Hynes
W. P. Lambe
W. L. Merriman
W. C. Sprague

*Absent*:
Mr. D. McColl

The meeting adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, May 12, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay

*Absent*:
Mr. D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 5.40 p.m.

**Resignation of Member.**

The resignation of Lieut.-Col. P. A. Cox, O.B.E., as a member of the Council has been accepted with regret, upon his transfer to Hongkong.

**Municipal Loans 1920.**

Subscriptions for the Council's 7 per cent. silver and 6 per cent. sterling debenture issues are invited on the terms set forth in Municipal Notifications Nos. 2702 and 2715, published in this issue of the Municipal Gazette and in the public press.

The simultaneous offer for subscription of silver and sterling debentures affords an excellent opportunity to the investing public

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to make their investments half in silver and half in gold, and thus neutralise the exchange factor. To those who desire silver investments only, the silver debenture issue at 92½ per cent. shows the attractive return of slightly over 8 per cent. per annum, whilst to those who desire a gold investment only, the sterling debentures issue at par should appeal strongly, in view of the high rate of exchange now ruling, and having regard to the nature of the security offered.

It is with the greatest confidence that the Council appeals to the community in general and to those industrial and commercial undertakings in particular, whose interests are so inseparably connected with those of the Settlement, to support both debenture issues and thus enable the Council to proceed with, and to carry to a completion, the programme of public development and improvement outlined in the Budget for 1920 which was presented and approved at the recent Annual Meeting of Ratepayers.

**Municipal Salaries Commission.**

The vacancies in the membership of the Municipal Salaries Commission, caused by the resignations of Messrs. L. A. Lyall and S. Trumper, have been filled by Lieut. Col. Hayley Bell, D.S.O., and Mr F. C. Butcher.

**Postal Commissioner.**

A letter from Mr. F. L. Smith, Acting Deputy Postal Commissioner, informs the Council that he has assumed charge of the Postal District of Shanghai from Mr. W. W. Ritchie, with effect from May 7.

**Saltpetre and Sulphur.**

Letter from the Foo Lee Company requesting the Council to enforce a monopoly in the sale of saltpetre and sulphur in the Settlement, with reply pointing out that, as upon numerous occasions in the past, the Council refuses to recognize any form of native official monopoly within the Settlement, in which the sale of all goods is and must remain free:—

*Translation of letter from the Foo Lee Company (monopolists) of the Saltpetre/Sulphur Bureau of the Kiangsu Province, to the Council; dated March 20, 1920.*

The writer states that saltpetre and sulphur are essential materials in the manufacture of gunpowder and concerns the maintenance of peace and good order. A bureau has been established to have sole charge of the sale of these materials and measures have been adopted to provide against smuggling of these materials, in the interests of the general peace and good order. On April 30, 1915, the writer made an application, and obtained, from the Provincial authorities, through the above mentioned bureau, a monopoly for the sale of saltpetre and sulphur. In consideration of the payment of a certain amount, for the sole right of dealing in these materials in the whole of the Kiangsu province, merchants of other provinces being debarred from engaging in the trade (in this Province). Regulations have been promulgated for the apprehension of smugglers, together with the appointment of an examining staff, the various offices concerned having been notified and asked to render assistance and co-operation in this matter. Subsequently as Tsao Ye (曹紀), chief inspector, refused to hand over the remaining quantity of saltpetre and sulphur left by the former contractor, with a view to their illicit sale in the Settlement, the writer asked the late Tuchun Feng, of Nanking, to issue instructions to the Shanghai Taoyin requesting the Mixed Court to communicate with the Commissioner of the S. M. P. to co-operate in the matter of guarding against smuggling. Dealers in such materials must indicate the use and destination of these materials and must furnish *bonâ fide* security before being granted a pass, this is in the interests of public peace. The writer says that the International Settlement of Shanghai is a part of the Kiangsu province. However, illicit sale of saltpetre and sulphur is being extensively carried on within this area and if no action is taken to check it the loss to his interests though small, yet if these materials pass into the hands of desperadoes the menace to the good order and peace of the district will be very serious.

For these reasons the writer proposes to appoint several inspectors of his own to ferret out the smugglers of saltpetre and sulphur in the Settlement. When anyone, not belonging to the Kiangsu province, is found trading in these materials in the Settlement their business is illegal and the writer's inspectors shall be expected to report the smugglers to the Police who shall assist in making arrests, after which they will be handed over to the Police or to the Mixed Court to be dealt with according to law.

The writer will address the Mixed Court, asking the Magistrate to communicate with the Council on the subject, and in the meantime he asks the Council kindly to sanction his request according to precedent (?) with a view to avoid menace to the peace and good order of the Settlement.

At the same time he asks the Council to request the Police Commissioner to give directions to the Police, and to render such assistance and co-operation as may be applied for by him from time to time.

When a smuggler is caught his cargo must be handed over to the Bureau for which $14 per picul will be paid for saltpetre and half this price for sulphur, half of the proceeds to be confiscated and the remaining half to be given as rewards to those who catch the smugglers. There are many detectives and constables of great ability in the S.M.P. They will be entitled to similar rewards for their co-operation and assistance rendered to the (writer's) Company. If the Council will be so good as to comply with the writer's request he will submit a list of his inspectors, their names, number, age, and native places for your information, so that forgeries may be avoided.

Enclosed please find copy of the Mixed Court's letter and proclamation and a Hu-Chiao (licence form) for retailers in connexion with this subject.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, May 11, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 20, on the subject of the sale of saltpetre and sulphur in Kiangsu Province, to which the Council has given its consideration.

The Council has taken due note of your statement that on April 30, 1915, you made application to and duly obtained from the Provincial Authorities a monopoly for the sale of these commodities in consideration of the payment of a certain sum, which entitles you to the sole right of dealing in them in the whole of the Kiangsu Province, merchants of other provinces being debarred from engaging in this trade.

The Council notes that accordingly you propose to appoint several inspectors of your own to apprehend such as may be found in the Settlement engaged in this trade, and that you propose a payment of $14 per picul for saltpetre and half this price for sulphur, a moiety of which to be handed over to the detectives and constables of the Shanghai Municipal Police if they will co-operate and assist.

In this connexion I am directed to inform you of the fact that all trade within the limits of the Settlement is free and unrestricted, and that no form of monopoly, whether granted by the Chinese Government or others, can be permitted to operate in the Settlement. If, as you state, you have been granted such monopoly for the Province of Kiangsu, such must necessarily and in accordance with local custom exclude the limits of the Foreign Settlement, within which trade is free.

So recently as the year 1913, your predecessors in the Saltpetre Bureau represented that as saltpetre is a valuable commodity essential for the making of fireworks, ham and other salt meats, leather, silvermelting and for the purpose of making ammunition, the trade was of considerable value, and therefore it was desirable to take measures for providing means for limiting its circulation. I may observe that saltpetre is used in numerous other trades as well. On that occasion, the applicants were informed that no question could be considered of restricting the sale of saltpetre within the limits of the Settlement, and in this connexion I am directed to allude to the fact that in January 1916, July 1915 and November 1913, similar applications were met with the same reply, i.e., that within the Settlement, no monopoly in the sale of this or other commodities could be tolerated, nor would any suggested interference with the operations of any rival establishment be permitted.

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In conclusion I am directed to remind you that the question of provincial monopolies in this and other trades has been before the Council upon many occasions in the past, and that upon every such occasion, the applicants have been prevented from exercising monopolies in the Foreign Settlement.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

The FOO LEE COMPANY,
Monopolists, Saltpetre & Sulphur Bureau of Kiangsu Province.

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**Case of Illegal Detention.**

Correspondence with Chev. G. D. Musso and letter to the Senior Consul relative to the illegal detention of a resident of the Settlement:—

Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—I have the honour to bring the following facts to your notice requesting you to transmit same to the Senior Consul with the request to take the necessary steps in this matter.

My client Mr. Ning Ang-ngi (任行義) who has been a resident of this International Settlement for the last 25 years and is carrying on his business as a dispensary in No. 89 Hankow Road (三馬路曲江里八十九號), was invited on March 24 of this year by a certain Sung Chien-dan (沈秋濤) who was accompanied by 2 others whose names are unknown to him, to go with them to see one of his friends, Mr. Yang. The said Mr. Yang is living in the native city and he was told by them that he was seriously ill and desired to see him.

Being without any suspicion he went with them to the native city and was taken by them to the Native Police, where he was taken into custody and then transferred to the cells of the Native City Court of Justice near the Kiangnan Arsenal.

He was informed later on that he was wanted by the Shanse Authorities with reference to a certain civil case and that he had to remain in custody pending the arrival of a despatch warrant to be issued by the Shanse Authorities.

My client having been a resident of the International Settlement for a number of years, has been as you can see from the above stated facts, kidnapped on basis of vague allegations made by some Chinese Authorities hundreds of miles away from Shanghai, whereas the proper course to be taken was to make the necessary steps in the International Mixed Court to whose jurisdiction alone my client is amenable.

It seems to me that this is a case which deserves prompt and determined action on the part of our Authorities as the high-handed manner in which my client was enticed away from the Settlement is contrary to the principles of justice and particularly to the protection Chinese residents are entitled to in this Settlement.

Thanking you in advance for your kind assistance in this matter.

I am, Dear Sir,
Your obedient servant,
G. D. MUSSO.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, April 21, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—Referring to my letter dated the 13th instant, with reference to the kidnapping of my client Ning Ang-ngi from the settlement to the Chinese City where he has been kept in unlawful custody since March 24, I shall feel obliged if you would let me know what steps have been taken to obtain his release.

Yours faithfully,
G. D. MUSSO.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, April 27, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 13, on the subject of the detention in the Shun Pan Ting in the Chinese City of your client Ning Ang-ngi (任行義), a resident of this Settlement, and in reply to inform you that the Consular Body has been addressed in terms of the letter of which a copy is enclosed herein, with the request that it may make the necessary representations to the Chinese Authorities for his immediate release and rendition.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

G. D. MUSSO, Esq.

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(*Enclosure*)

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 27, 1920.

SIR,—In August 1919, my predecessor had the honour to address you on the subject of the illegal arrest and detention by the Shanghai Native City Authorities of a resident of this Settlement named Yu Tshung-ling. As a result of his representations and of your kind cooperation and assistance, the unfortunate man concerned was ultimately released from custody in December of that year. It is with extreme regret that I now have the honour to bring to your notice a further instance of the illegal arrest and detention of a resident of this Settlement for the past 30 years, one Ning Ang-ngi, with respect to whom complaint has been made by Chev. G. D. Musso, in terms of the copy letter enclosed herewith.

From Police enquiries into the circumstances of the case it appears that the account given by Chev. G. D. Musso is correct. On March 24, Ning was visited by one Sung Chien-dau, who told him that his friend, one Yang, was very ill and desired to see him. On Sung's invitation Ning visited Yang's house in the Chinese City, where he found Yang perfectly well and at work. An adjournment to a teashop was suggested, but as soon as Ning had set foot on the road, he was arrested by the Police of the Native City, and transferred to the Shun Pan Ting, where he is held pending the receipt of despatches from Shanse.

There is no doubt that Ning is a *bonâ fide* resident of this Settlement. He has been proprietor of the Tai I Dispensary at 89 Hankow Road for the past 4 years, prior to that he was employed for many years by the Anglo-Chinese Great Eastern and International Dispensaries and his son testifies that he has been a resident of this Settlement for 30 years.

I have the honour to protest against this further instance of illegal arrest and detention in breach of the established principle, that no Chinese resident of this Settlement shall be removed without a *primâ facie* hearing in the Mixed Court, and to request that you will be so good as to make the necessary representations to the local Chinese Authorities, with a view to the immediate release and rendition of this resident to the Settlement, whereafter any *bonâ fide* charge against him can be laid in the Mixed Court.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. BROOKE SMITH,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.

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**Public Works Department.**

*Transport.*—The Council has sanctioned the purchase of two Ford motorcars for Tls. 675 each, less 5 per cent. discount.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Peking and Soochow Roads.*—The question of the compensation, if any, payable in respect of the surrender of the scheduled areas of Lots 190 and 211, will be referred for settlement by the Land Commissioners in terms of the following correspondence:—

Shanghai, July 28, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—Now that the remodelling of Cadastral Lots 190 and 211 Central is completed and the land surrendered from them for road widenings and the extension of the Soochow Road has been in public occupation for sime time, we beg to hand you our claim for compensation for said surrenders, viz:

Cadastral Lot No. 190.

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Area surrendered 0m. 3f. 5l. 9h. at Tls. 20,000 | 7,180 |
| Plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender | 718 |
| Total amount of claim | 7,898 |

Cadastral Lot No. 211.

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Area surrendered 0m. 1f. 7l. 5h. at Tls. 24,000 | 4,200 |

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|---|---|
| Plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender | 420 |
| Total amount of claim | 4,620 |

We are, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
E. D. SASSOON & Co.

C. H. GODFREY, Esq.,
Engineer & Surveyor.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, August 12, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of July 28 addressed to the Municipal Engineer, on the subject of the compensation payable for the strips of Cadastral Lot 190 required for the widening of the Soochow and Peking Roads. In reply thereto, I am directed to state that the Council considers that this case is similar to that of Cadastral Lot 194, Peking and Soochow Roads, settled in 1910, in accordance with the correspondence set forth on pages 206-210 of the Annual Report for that year.

On these terms the amount of compensation payable in respect to your claim will be as follows:—

Soochow Road.

| | Tls. | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| The outer 10-ft. strip measuring 0.018 mow to be surrendered free | | |
| The middle 10-ft. strip 0.139 mow at half the assessed value, Tls. 10,000 per mow | 1,390 | |
| The inner 10-ft. strip 0.167 mow at the assessed value, Tls. 20,000 per mow | 3,340 | |
| Plus 10% | 473 | |
| | | 5,203 |

Peking Road.

| | Tls. | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| 0.035 mow at Tls. 20,000 per mow | 700 | |
| *Less* one-third for betterment | 233 | |
| | 467 | |
| Plus 10% | 47 | |
| | | 514 |
| | | 5,717 |

I am directed to express the hope that you will be good enough to signify acceptance of these terms.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Messrs. E. D. SASSOON & Co.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, August 12, 1919.

GENTLEMEN,—In reply to your letter of July 28, on the subject of the compensation payable for the scheduled area of Lot 211, Peking and Honan Roads, I am directed to accept your claim subject to deduction of one-third for betterment.

The amount payable will thus be as follows:—

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Mow 0.175 at Tls. 24,000 per mow | 4,200 |
| *Less* one-third for betterment | 1,400 |
| | 2,800 |
| Plus 10 per cent. | 280 |
| | 3,080 |

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Messrs. E. D. SASSOON & Co.

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Shanghai, October 23, 1919.

DEAR SIR,—We have to acknowledge receipt of your two letters of August 12, re surrenders ex Cadastral Lots 190 and 211 Central.

Cadastral Lot 190.—With regard to the surrenders from this lot we note from your letter in connexion with it that the Council considers these surrenders to be similar to that of Cadastral Lot 194 "set forth on pages 206-210 of the Annual Report for 1910," and so far as the fact that land has been surrendered for the construction of the Soochow Road and the widening of the Peking Road from both Cadastral Lots 190 and 194, we are in accord with the statement of the Council.

In the correspondence on pages 206-210 above alluded to and dealing with the method of payment for the land required for the construction of the Soochow Road, the then Secretary to the Council—Mr. Leveson—writes in his letter of April 12, 1910 as follows:—

"The outer strip of 10 feet is considered to be surrenderable free in accordance with Article VI of the Land Regulations and the decision of the Court of Consuls in the case of Lot 571 wherein it was ruled that 10 feet was sufficient for public requirements vide Annual Municipal Report for 1900, page 345."

We have no objection whatever to Messrs. Scott, Christie & Johnson accepting that statement but with it we cannot agree, for upon turning to page 345 of the Municipal Report for 1900 we find the following:—

"This case arose on the application of the Company to build upon Cadastral Lot 571, a portion of which was held to be foreshore within the meaning of Article VI of the Land Regulations and therefore subject to public use," and further Clause 1 of the Council's petition was:—

"That it may be declared that the site of the buildings proposed to be erected by the defendant Company as shown by the said plan includes beach ground or foreshore now dedicated to public use by virtue of the Land Regulations."

From the fore-going it appears perfectly clear that not only did the defendant Company propose to build on land covered by the title deed, but that it intended to erect a building or buildings upon the foreshore or accretions to the Soochow Creek which under Article VI of the Land Regulations the Company was not entitled to do.

That feature is, however, entirely absent in the case of Lot 190, for whereas the title deed area of the lot is 3 mow 5 fun 4 li 3 haou the Council's Assessment Schedule gives the area of the lot as 2 mow 9 fun 0 li 4 haou thereby plainly showing there are no accretions or foreshore to this lot as defined by Article VI of the Land Regulations.

This we think effectually disposes of the Council's claim to similarity with Cadastral Lot 571, so far as relates to the claim for free surrender of the outer 10 feet strip.

With regard to the central strip of 10 feet, in the Council's letter of April 12, 1910 it says:—

"I am to remind you that the Harbour Authorities will not permit any buildings except outhouses to be erected thereon," and in reply to this we would respectfully ask from whom the Harbour Authorities obtained the right to say what should or should not be erected on land clearly covered by a British Consular deed, and until it can be proved conclusively to us that those Authorities have such a right, we deny their powers to say what shall not be erected on land, the full use of which has been acquired with the issue of the title deed.

With regard to the surrender for the Peking Road widening we deny that a strip 4 ft. 3 in. in width at the Eastern boundary of the lot running to a point at the Western boundary in any way improves the lot, and we cannot therefore agree to the Council's request for a reduction of 1/3rd in our claim for betterment, and that our claim as a whole must stand.

Cadastral Lot 211.—In the case of this lot we also cannot agree to the proposed reduction in our claim. In fact the very large piece taken from the North-East corner of the lot constitutes a worsement, the public only being the ones to benefit from such a surrender, and our claim in respect to this lot must also stand.

We are, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
E. D. SASSOON & Co.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 4, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—With reference to your letter of October 23, 1919, on the subject of the surrender of the land required from Lots 190 and 211 for the Peking, Honan and Soochow Roads, dealing first with the

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question of Cadastral Lot 190, I am directed to inform you that as regards your contention that there is no foreshore land in the deed for this property, the Council is of opinion that due weight should be given to the following circumstances, i.e., that in the case of Lot 571, which you cite, the full width of the road was excised from the lot and it was in respect of the outer 10ft. only that free surrender was claimed, while in the case of the lot under discussion an average width of 20ft. only is required, the remaining 10ft. being beyond the lot boundaries and at present under water. Thus when the road is completed the lot will be fronted with a 30ft. road to which it will have contributed land to a width of 20ft. only. This section of road will prove an exceedingly expensive one to construct and its construction cannot fail materially to benefit your property, and in the circumstances I am directed to inform you that the Council considers that in view of the betterment to be derived by the property by the construction of this road, it is justified in requesting you to make a free surrender of that portion of the lot which lies in the outer 10ft. strip, a comparatively small area measuring Mow 0.018.

As regards those portions of Lots 190 and 211 which are required for widening the Peking Road, I am directed to state that the terms upon which the widening of this road has been carried out are contained in the Municipal Gazette of June 4, 1909, extract from which is enclosed herewith. You will, of course, recognize that while the details of every case vary to a greater or less extent, the practice of a standard deduction for betterment is the only one that can reasonably be applied and is that which the Land Commission itself, having regard to the circumstances, has concurred in as being a reasonable manner of assessing the betterment derived by property in the case of this and other roads similarly situated. It is obvious, of course, that in the case of some lots, from which a large area is required to be surrendered, with consequent heavy payment of compensation, the betterment is obvious; so also however where a very small fraction of a lot is required, though the betterment is not so obvious, as perhaps in your own case, it is none the less reflected in the smaller deduction for betterment.

I am directed, therefore, to reaffirm the terms contained in the Council's letter of August 12, relative to these proposals, and to request that you may be so good as to express your acceptance thereof.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

Messrs. E. D. SASSOON & Co.

(*Enclosure.*)

*Extract from the Municipal Gazette of June 4, 1909.*

"The Engineer reports to the effect "that all the unregistered land required for the widening of this "road is purchased or in a fair way "towards arrangement, and the first "of the claims for registered properties are submitted as follows:—

Hanson, McNeill & Jones, Lot 189.

E. D. Sassoon & Co., Lots 190, 209 and 211.

J. P. Bisset & Co., Lots 301 and 307.

J. Ambrose, Lot 311.

"With regard to these and future "claims, it appears to the Council "necessary to arrive at some definite "understanding as to the policy "which shall be adopted in respect "to the compensation payable. The "Council's proposed treatment of "the Peking Road is unusual, inasmuch as it has been decided that "owners shall be required to set back "to the scheduled line, without waiting for rebuilding under normal "conditions or as the result of a fire. "Thus the project to constitute the "Peking Road a serviceable carriage "traffic outlet westward will be "carried to a conclusion with as "little delay as possible. The road "will be metalled and provided with "cement paved footways.

"It has, speaking generally, been "the practice of the Council wherever possible to compensate owners "in districts, such as the Peking "Road, which are closely built over "with Chinese houses, at the assessed "value of the land, with 10 per cent. "added for compulsory surrender, "and to call for a reduction of the "claim by one-third where the "scheduled roadway is 30 feet in "width. For 40 foot roads it has "been held that no additional "advantage accrues to the owner "from the extra 10 feet, which has "therefore been paid for in full "from the public funds.

"The proposed treatment of the "Peking Road, however, is calculated, in the Council's opinion, to "ensure immediate enhancement of "values, and higher rentals for the "frontage shops, throughout its "whole length, inasmuch as what is "at present a somewhat squalid bye-"street will be converted into a main "thoroughfare of some importance, "wherein a better class of house "may be expected to be built. For "this reason the Council considers "that the principle of betterment "may justly be applied in each case "of expropriation up to the full "width of 40 feet.

Reasonable claims for the reinstatement of premises, and for loss "of rental during such reinstatement, will be paid in each case.

"It is apparent that a public improvement of this magnitude will "involve no little inconvenience to "landowners and agents, and the "Council relies upon the co-operation of those concerned in bringing the work to a satisfactory conclusion."

Shanghai, March 9, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—We are in receipt of your letter of the 4th instant relative to the surrenders required from Cadastral Lots 190 and 211 Central for the construction of the Soochow Road from the former, and the widening of the Peking Road by the excision of strips from both the lots.

Soochow Road.—In reply we are unable to agree with your contention relating to the construction of this road viz: "its construction cannot fail to materially benefit your property."

You are, of course, aware that the surrender from Cadastral Lot 190 was occasioned by the remodelling of the buildings on this lot, that in consequence they will not require rebuilding (except in the event of a fire) for many years, and that the *backs* of those houses are on the Soochow Road, so that for the purpose of access to the rear of those houses a passage not more than 5 feet in width would be ample.

The construction of the road has, therefore, reduced the number of houses which could have been erected on the lot, but apart from that, had no road been scheduled along the Soochow Creek, and had we decided to erect the buildings just as they are at present, the occupants of those houses would have had a strip of land capable of being used in their business free from all Police or Public interference.

The benefits (if any) derived from the construction of this road are therefore purely public ones, and its effect upon the lot, in our opinion, is a "worsement," from both the owners' and occupiers' points of view, there being many who would willingly pay and pay well for the strip of which the Council has dispossessed us and them.

We will, however, admit that in the claim contained in our letter of July 28, 1919 we failed to take note of the fact that the outer strip (averaging 10 feet in width) required for the road was to be taken from the Soochow Creek, and we, therefore, abandon our claim for it.

The amended claim will, therefore, be as follows:—

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Mow 0.306 at Tls. 20,000.00 per mow = | 6,120.00 |
| Plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender | 612.00 |
| or a total of | Tls. 6,732.00 |

Peking Road.—With regard to the widening of this road the Council some years ago placed it on record that in purely Chinese localities betterment should be imposed only on surrenders necessary to make the road 30 feet in width, and beyond that width that no betterment should be imposed, and we think no one will deny that West of the Honan Road the Peking Road is purely Chinese, hence it should be treated as such in paying compensation for surrenders, and also think most persons would admit that the widening of the Peking Road at a very large expense to the

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Ratepayers has not brought about the improvement which the Council anticipated either to the owners or occupiers of the shops fronting it.

In our opinion any benefit by the wider road has been only to the Tramway Company and to the Public using the Trams.

Had the Trams not been running on this road it is more than probable that those using them would have walked over this section of the road and in all probability patronised the shops fronting it, but being carried over it in the Trams they have no opportunity of doing so.

This in our opinion also constitutes a worsement owing to the shop-keepers being unable to do the amount of business they might reasonably have expected though we make no such claim.

Our claim, therefore, for the widening of this road is:—

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Surrender ex Cadastral Lot 190 Mow 0.035 at Tls. 20,000.00 per mow= | 700.00 |
| Surrender ex Cadastral Lot 211 Mow 0.175 at Tls. 24,000.00 per mow= | 4,200.00 |
| | Tls. 4,900.00 |
| Plus 10 per cent. compulsory surrender | 490.00 |
| Total amount of c'aim | Tls. 5,390.00 |

We are, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
E. D. SASSOON & Co.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 25, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—In reply to your letter of March 9 with further reference to the question of compensation payable for the areas required from Lots 190 and 211 for the Peking and Soochow Roads, I am directed to state as follows:—

*Soochow Road.*—Lot 190; The Council notes that you were unaware of the fact that the outer strip (averaging 10-ft. in width) required was to be taken chiefly from the Soochow Creek and that accordingly you abandon your claim to it.

With respect to the amended claim, Tls. 6,732, for the remaining twenty feet, measuring Mow 0.306, I am directed to observe with respect to your contention that the construction of the road has reduced the number of houses which could have been erected on the lot, that, were it possible to construct the same number of houses, each to be the same size as before, there would be no question of compensation at all. You have perhaps overlooked the fact that if indeed you surrender a small strip of your lot, the Council in point of fact is not asking you to do so without monetary compensation. The same argument applies to your further contention that had you erected the houses, set back from the creek bank, as at present, the occupants would have enjoyed a strip of land capable of being utilized in their business free from police or public interference. The Council quite admits this contention, but it follows therefrom that in such case, the Council would not have offered to pay you Tls. 5,203 for sharing the use of this land with the public.

I am directed, therefore, to reiterate the view that for the loss of the privileges which you enumerate and which you value at Tls. 6,732 the Council's offer of Tls. 5,203, as aforesaid, is ample compensation.

*Peking Road.*—Lots 190 and 211:—Dealing now with the question of the areas required for the Peking Road, I have only to express the view that, having regard to the rates of compensation paid to owners for the land required to widen this road throughout its length during the past few years, and which have resulted in a most marked improvement to the whole of the properties abutting thereon, the Council's offer of the assessed value, plus ten per cent. addition, and less one-third for betterment, is only fair.

In the circumstances, I am directed to state that unless you are willing to accept the terms contained in the Council's two letters of August 12 last, i.e., a total amount of compensation of Tls. 8,797 for the land required for road purposes from these lots, the Council will have no option but to have recourse to the Land Commissioners for settlement of this matter.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Messrs. E. D. SASSOON & Co.

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Shanghai, April 28, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—We are in receipt of your letter of March 25 *re* surrenders for Soochow and Peking Roads ex Cadastral Lots 190 and 211 Central.

Soochow Road, Cadastral Lot 190. We note all you say in respect to this road, and though in your letter under reply you have not repeated the statement contained in yours of March 4, viz.:—"Its construction cannot fail materially to benefit your property" it was the chief argument used in that letter why we should accept a reduction in our claim for compensation.

We, however, most emphatically deny that the construction of the road will in any way benefit this lot, as the road, even when completed throughout its entire length, will be of no use for shops, and we assert that the public only will reap any benefit from it as an additional thoroughfare, in which respect it might possibly prove to be a detriment to the lot by diverting from the Peking Road pedestrians who might be customers of the shops fronting it.

We, therefore, cannot see our way to accepting the Council's offer for the surrender of the land required for the construction of this road.

Peking Road, Cadastral Lots 190 and 211. We cannot agree to a reduction in our claim of one-third for betterment for the surrender of the strips required from these lots for the widening of the Peking Road which was 30 feet and more in width prior to those surrenders.

The Council has on numerous occasions stated that in purely Chinese localities a reduction of one-third for betterment should apply only to widening roads to a width of 30 feet, and that for any increase in the width of such beyond 30 feet, compensation would be paid in full.

In support of this we refer you to the following taken from the Municipal Gazette:—

Of August 14, 1913 *re* Cadastral Lot 1019 Northern. "It is true that the Council customarily makes no reference to betterment in the case of purely Chinese streets of 30 feet or more."

Of November 18, 1915 *re* Cadastral Lot 270 Central. "But from properties developed with Chinese houses and shops for widening to a width of 30 feet only."

There are many other instances of a similar nature in the "Gazette," but the above two are sufficient to show that the Council has adopted the practice of deducting one-third for betterment on surrenders required to widen roads in native localities up to a width of 30 feet and beyond that width that compensation has been paid in full, and as we contend that the Peking Road west of the Honan Road must be considered as a purely native locality, we cannot consent to any reduction in our claim for compensation for the surrenders required from these lots.

We are, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
E. D. SASSOON & Co.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 28, with further reference to the question of the compensation payable in respect of the surrender of the scheduled areas of Lots 190 and 211 required for the Peking and Soochow Roads.

In reply I am directed to state, that in view of the fact that settlement by consent does not seem to be feasible, the Council is obliged to refer this question for settlement to the Land Commissioners, in accordance with the terms of my letter of March 25 last. Notice of the sitting of the Commissioners to consider this matter will in due course be conveyed to you.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Messrs. E. D. SASSOON & Co.

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## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. May | 17 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. „ | 18 | 5.30 „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. „ | 19 | 5.30 „ | Public Garden |
| Thurs. „ | 20 | 5.30 „ | „ |
| Sat. „ | 22 | 4.30 „ | Public Recreation Ground |

## Returns of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, May 2, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 11 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 0 | 3 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 5 | 141 |

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, May 9, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 24 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 0 | 8 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 5 | 169 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING SATURDAY, MAY 8.

*Fire Brigade.*—The Council has learnt with deep regret of the death on May 6, of Supervising Fireman A. C. Spong.

*Health Department.*—The temporary service of Nurse Abe Wae terminated on April 30.

Mr. M. F. Hills is appointed Attendant, Mental Ward, under agreement from May 1.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. E. G. Myhre, temporary Junior Clerk, was permitted to terminate his service on April 30.

Mr. R. A. Thomas is appointed temporarily as Assistant Inspector from May 1.

Long leave is granted to Mr. W. E. Sauer, Land Surveyor, from June 23.

*Electricity Department.*—The appointment of Mr. R. de Jonge, Assistant Draughtsman, is confirmed under an agreement terminable at three months' notice from May 1.

The appointment of Mr. M. G. Brawley, Assistant Meter Tester, is confirmed under an agreement terminable at three months' notice from December 1, 1919.

Capt. R. A. Williams, M.C., Testing Engineer, is permitted to terminate his service on April 30.

The appointments of Messrs. J. A. Hay and D. S. Whyte, Charge Engineers, are confirmed under agreements terminable at three months' notice from November 3, 1919 and December 1, 1919, respectively.

The service of Mr. C. Binns, probationary Foreman Mechanic, will terminate on April 30.

Mr. C. A. King is appointed Charge Engineer on probation from April 13.

Mr. C. F. Taylor is appointed Power Department Assistant on three months' probation from March 22.

Messrs. T. R. Anderson and R. Knox are appointed Charge Engineers on probation from April 29 and May 10, respectively.

Long leave is granted to Mr. A. E. Knibb, Show Room Assistant, from May 21.

*Educational Department.* — The appointment of Miss R. Elwin, Supervising Matron in the Public School for Girls, is confirmed under agreement from April 1.

The appointment of Mme. L. Rayot, French Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is confirmed under agreement from March 1.

The temporary service of Mr. W. H. S. Hatten, Assistant Master in the Public School for Chinese, terminated on April 30.

*Finance Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. G. H. Charlton, Assistant, from June 1.

Long leave is granted to Miss D'Arcy Graham, Stenographer and Typist, from May 17.

*Revenue Department.*—The appointment of Mr. D. H. Fulton, Tax Collector, is confirmed under an agreement terminable at three months' notice from January 12.

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 55 | Bund and Canton | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | 2 | blocks lavatories |
| 164 | Kiangse and Kiukiang | Moorhead & Halse | | | altns. |
| 646 | Off Kwangse | Tu Yeh Che | | | altns. & addns. |
| 16 | Yuenmingyuen | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | iron bridge |
| 20 | Off Winchester | „ | | | godown |
| 5519 | Off Baikal | Tsun Lai Wan | | | bungalow |
| 1080 1083 | Broadway East | C. Luthy | | | factory |
| 1093 | Off Chaoufoong | Chen Shing Loong | | | workshed |
| 3725 | Kirin | Moorhead & Halse | | | lodge, boilerhouse, servants quarters, gates & railing |
| 7293 | Off Seoul | H. Y. Chin | | | addns. |
| 1215 | Off Tongshan | Cheng Ching Chee | | | godown |
| N of 379 | Urga | J. F. Takaki | | | foundry |
| 7088 | Off Ward | S. J. Powell | | | addns. |
| 7220 | Ward | C. Luthy | | | bridge & bunding |
| W of 2146 | Wayside | Kung Zun Hsing | | | factory |
| 2470 | Whashing | C. Luthy | | | cotton mill |
| W of 2755 | B'bling Well | H. M. Cumine | 1 | | conservatory |
| S of 791 | Chengtu | Yao An Kee | | | drill shed & way |
| 3546 | Markham | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | covered way & wall |
| 4635 & 4638 4632 4633 | Off Mokanshan | H. M. Cumine | | | mill & 2 godowns |
| E of 2049 | Off Weihaiwei | Dowdall & Read | | | factory |
| 1528 | „ | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | watercloset |
| 4600 | Off W. Soochow | Dong Chi Kee | | | covered way |
| 4843 | W. Soochow | Hing Kee & Co. | | | addns. |
| 3580 | Wuting | K. T. J. Pugh | | | factory, 3 workshops |
| S of 2136 | Off Yates | V. K. Shen | | | work shed |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 496 | Fokien | Ying Van Chee | 1 | | |
| 281 | Shantung | Soong Vong Yuen | | | altns. |
| 94 | Tsepoo | Loh Yoong Foong | | 1 | |
| W of 2706 | Baikal | Yoo Ning Kee | | | 5 bungalows |
| 829 | Off E. Yalu | Brandt & Rodgers | | | altns. |
| 380 | „ | Zah Sue Kee | 21 | | gatehouse |
| 2774 | Off Yangtszepoo | Chang Yue Tai | 5 | | |
| W of 2755 | B'bling Well | H. M. Cumine | | | 4 bungalows & wall |
| E of 3998 | Off Gordon | Yao Dig Chung | | | 3 bungalows |
| 4845 | Off Ichang | Cheng Ching Chee | | | 6 bungalows |
| 3580 | Wuting | K. T. J. Pugh | 12 | | 4 bungalows |

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承攬之份額

二 凡有承攬事件由本局自行定估之價必須用信章密封

三 本局有權將所承攬之事件轉讓他人

四 本局有權將所承攬之事件由其他人承辦及同辦理的人

五 本局有權將所承攬之事件付與公信合人辦理的人

六 本局有權將所承攬之事件付與公信合人辦理的人

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 150 | 16,000 yards Khaki Drill | — | July 31, Noon |
| 151 | 200 ,, ,, Cord | — | do. |
| 152 | 5,000 ,, ,, Blue Camlet | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before December 31, 1920 | | |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 546 | Painting at Public School for Boys | — | May 21, Noon |
| 547 | Supply of Tools, etc. | — | September 18, Noon |
| 548 | Painting at Public School for Girls | — | May 21, Noon |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 198 | 112 Induction Motors (Copies of the Specification may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road, on or after Tuesday, March 9) Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 1, Noon |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2715.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2716.**

**PUBLIC SWIMMING BATH.**

THE Public Swimming Bath in the North Szechuen Road, near the Hongkew Recreation Ground, will be open on and after Saturday, May 15, from 6 o'clock a.m. to 8 o'clock p.m.

The Bath will be reserved for the use of ladies and children from 9 o'clock a.m. to 1.30 p.m., except on Sundays.

Admission 10 cents, payable at the door.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, May 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2717.**

*(Translation)*

**LICENSING OF BROTHELS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all keepers of brothels, Foreign or Chinese, are required to take out a brothel licence under Bye-law XXXIV in pursuance of the recommendations contained in the Report of the Special Vice Committee, published in the Municipal Gazette of March 19, 1920, and adopted by Resolution XV passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers held on April 7, 1920.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

CONDITIONS.

1.—That the licence be not transferable and refers only to the particular brothel in respect of which it is issued.

2.—That the licensee be the keeper of the brothel, and responsible for its proper conduct.

3.—That the licensee shall not sublet nor part with the possession of the brothel without the written permission of the Council.

4.—That the licence number plate be fixed in a conspicuous position at the main outside entrance to the brothel and remain at all times legible and undefaced, and that the licence be kept exhibited in a conspicuous place inside the brothel.

5.—That free access be given to the Police on duty and to Officers of the Health Department and of the Revenue Office charged with the inspection of licensed premises.

6.—That the names, ages and nationality of all female inmates of the brothel be kept properly recorded in the space provided at the foot of the licence, and that any changes be immediately notified in writing to the Commissioner of Police, Central Police Station, Honan Road.

7.—That no intoxicating liquor be sold in or upon any part of the brothel.

8.—That no disorderly conduct or gambling be permitted in or upon any part of the brothel.

9.—That no opium smoking be permitted in or upon any part of the brothel, and that the licensee notify the Police of the presence of any person found to be smoking opium.

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10.—That the use of morphia, cocaine or other noxious drugs be not permitted in or upon any part of the brothel.

11.—That no solicitation by any female inmate of the brothel be permitted either on the streets, or in places of public resort, or from the doors or windows of the brothel.

12.—That the notice issued by the Council with this licence stating that no female inmate can be detained in the brothel against her will and giving particulars of the nearest Police Station and of any institution where help or free medical assistance can be obtained and warning against the danger of neglecting such assistance, be kept exhibited in a conspicuous place inside the brothel, and remain at all times legible and undefaced.

13.—That the brothel be maintained in an approved sanitary condition and be conducted in accordance with the requirements of public health and to the satisfaction of the Health Officer or his accredited representative.

14.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid any employe of the Council.

15.—That on a breach of any of its conditions, the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, and the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

REGISTER OF FEMALE INMATES.

| Name | Age | Nationality |
|---|---|---|
| | | |

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

$1 per half-year or any part thereof, payable half-yearly in advance.

NOTES.

1.—Applications for licences must be made in writing on the prescribed form which can be obtained at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund, on and after May 24, 1920.

2.—Licences will only be issued in respect of brothels that were in existence on December 31, 1919.

3.—The maximum number of female inmates permitted in any brothel will be 10, or such less number as were in the brothel on December 31, 1919.

4.—The registered owners of the land on which the brothel is situated will be notified of the use to which their property is being put.

5.—On and after June 1 the register of brothel licences will be open to inspection by any Ratepayer at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund, during the usual office hours.

6.—No licence will be issued in respect of any brothel situated in the vicinity of any school.

7.—Solicitation is an offence punishable by law, and any conviction for this offence renders the licence liable to withdrawal.

8.—Any person conducting a brothel without a licence after June 14, will be liable to prosecution.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2718.**

**LAND COMMISSION.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, under the provisions of Land Regulation VIA, Friday, May 28, has been fixed for the election of a Land Commissioner in the place of Dr. R. S. Ivy, who has resigned owing to his departure from Shanghai.

Nominations by qualified landowners will be received by the undersigned up to and including May 20.

By order.
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2719.**

**BUND PASSENGER PONTOONS.**

THE northernmost of the Bund Passenger Pontoons will be removed for repairs from May 17 to May 23, and the southernmost pontoon from May 24 to May 30.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2720.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Monday, May 24, 1920.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 20, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Health Committee held on Friday, May 14, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Mr. W. P. Lambe (*Chairman*)
Drs. J. W. Jackson
R. J. Marshall

*Absent:*
Mr. S. J. Halse

The meeting adjourned at 6.15 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, May 17, 1920, at 12 o'clock, noon there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. C. M. Bain (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
E. F. Mackay

The meeting adjourned at 12.45 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Tuesday, May 18, 1920, at 12 o'clock noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
H. A. Macintyre

*Absent:*
Mr. D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 12.45 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, May 19, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay

*Absent:*
Mr. D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.

### Volunteer Corps.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, promotion has been granted to the following:—

*American Co.*—Captain S. A. Ransom to be Major.

*Staff.*—Captain L. E. Canning to be Major.

*Engineer Co.*—Lieut. J. T. W. Brooke to be Captain.

*"B" Co.*—Lieut. F. J. W. Melville to be Captain. 2/Lieut. L. M. ff. Beytagh to be Lieutenant.

### Land Commission.

Owing to his departure from Shanghai, Dr. R. S. Ivy has vacated his seat on the Land Commission.

### Foreign Educational Committee.

The resignation of Dr. R. S. Ivy of his seat on the Committee has been accepted with regret.

### Chinese Cargo Boat Guild.

Letter from the Senior Consul forwarding a communication from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs and Council reply:—

Shanghai, April 26, 1920.

SIR,—I beg to enclose herewith for your consideration and reply a copy of Chinese text and free translation of letter received from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs in Shanghai regarding the Woosung and Shanghai Towing Boats' Guild.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. SIFFERT,
*Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.*

A. BROOKE SMITH, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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*Translation of letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to the Senior Consul dated April 22, 1920.*

The Commissioner has received a letter from Kiang Sung (江 聲) representing the Chinese Cargo Boat Guild stating that trade has flourished greatly in Shanghai while the facilities afforded by the Whangpoo for transport of goods by boats are the most convenient in this country. Cargo and tow boats are used extensively for the conveyance of goods by water but there is yet no guild formed of those engaged in this business. Of late there have been many cases of robbery and the business (of those engaged in the transport of cargo) has suffered greatly. Representatives (of this business) have had interviews and discussions in regard to the matter of organizing a guild of their own so that regulations, may be drawn up for the guidance of those engaged in this business. They have submitted their proposed regulations to the City Magistrate who has approved them and has issued a proclamation for the protection of their interests: this is on record. But their boats not only ply in inland waters, they also have to pass through waterways within Settlement limits; hence trouble from robbers and thieves is unavoidable. According to regulations 5 and 9 of their guild all cargo boats should be registered and numbered, and certificates given. Any boatman meeting with robbers or thieves when passing through the Settlement waterways must report the matter to the River and Municipal Police for the necessary protection. A copy of the guild regulations for the information of the Commissioner is submitted asking him to communicate with the Senior Consul with a view to obtaining such Municipal Police protection, as may be necessary as occasion arises.

YANGTCHENG.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, May 11, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 26 transmitting for the Council's information a copy of a communication from the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, requesting Police protection for a native cargo boat guild.

In reply thereto I have the honour to inform you that the members of this guild will receive the ordinary Police protection to which all residents and persons conducting business in the Settlement are considered to be entitled. At the same time I have the honour to request that you will be so good as to warn the Guild in question that, in accordance with the standing practice, no form of compulsion can be exercised so far as the Settlement is concerned, to compel boatmen to become members of the Guild, nor to arrest alleged members of the guild for infringement of its regulations. The Council considers this warning necessary since a case has already been dealt with in which a so-called agent of the Guild endeavoured to effect an illegal arrest within the Settlement.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. BROOKE SMITH,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

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## Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Bubbling Well Road.*—Arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. Atkinson and Dallas, Ld. for the surrender of Mow 0.662 of land ex J. C. Lot 366, required for widening this road, for Tls. 2,026.

## Easement.

The application of Messrs. Dowdall and Read on behalf of Mr. Chu Chi-woo has been approved, to lay a 6-inch suction pipe and 9-inch drain under Tungchow Road to connect up with the Sawgin-Kiang Creek, subject to the payment by way of an easement fee of the annual sum of Tls. 5.

## Returns of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, May 16, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 32 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 2 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 168 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | May 24 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | „ 25 | 5.30 „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | „ 26 | 5.30 „ | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | „ 27 | 5.30 „ | „ |
| Sat. | „ 29 | 4.30 „ | Public Recreation Ground |

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MAY 15.

*Fire Brigade.* Supervising Fireman W. J. Josephs is dismissed the service from May 10.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Chief Inspector C. Hill from May 12.

*Electricity Department.*—Long leave is granted to Meter Inspector O. Hedin from May 15.

Mr. A. F. St. J. Kinsey is appointed Civil Engineer and Architect under agreement from May 1.

Mr. J. A. McKinney is appointed Charge Engineer under agreement from May 7.

*Public Band.*—Long leave is granted to Musicians P. Fernandez and B. Sado from May 30.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. W. H. Corneck temporary Shorthand Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls is permitted to terminate her service from May 31.

In addition to the performance of her duties as Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls Miss M. C. Cardwell will undertake the duties of Shorthand Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls from June 1.

*Finance Department.*—Miss H. G. Parrott is appointed temporarily as Stenographer and Typist from June 1.

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 36 | Off Bund | Palmer & Turner | | | block latrines |
| 916 | Off Chaou-foong | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | engine, boiler house & water tower |
| 7293 | Off Seoul | Hou Sung Cotton Mill Co. | | | covered way |
| 3860 | Ward | Lin Tai & Co. | | | factory |
| 3860 | „ | „ | | | wall & gates |
| 2337 | Wayside | Wah Sing Co. | | | gates |
| 980 | Off Yochow | K. T. J. Pugh | | | addns. |
| 386 | „ Burkill | Tsao Ting Tai | 1 | | servants quarters |
| W of 4318 | „ Markham | T. S. Wong | | | addns. |
| 3209 | Sinza | J. H. McMichael | | | water-closet |
| 1032 | Off Sinza | Tsong Shing Kee | | | godown |
| 2755 | TempleLane | H. M. Cumine | 1 | | servants quarters, & wall |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 571 | Amoy | Tong Wai Kee | 45 | | 2 gate-houses |
| E of 387 | Off Tong-Dong Ka Loong | S. V. Chen | | | 2 bungalows |
| W of 4318 | Off Markham | T. S. Wong | 3 | | |

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**Report of Acting Commissioner of Police for April.**

**Strength of the Force on April 30.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 212 | |
| Japanese | 26 | |
| Sikhs | 681 | |
| Chinese | 1,439 | |
| | | 2,367 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 94 | |
| Followers | 231 | |
| | | 325 |
| | Total | 2,692 |

*Murder.*—On April 1 a woman was murdered under particularly dastardly circumstances in an empty house at 561 Medhurst Road. The crime came to the notice of the Police on April 4 and on the following day the murderer was arrested in Chinese territory.

*Robbery.*—No armed robberies were reported to the Police during the month. In one case of attempted armed robbery 4 persons were arrested. Three reports of unarmed highway robbery were received. Seven persons charged with armed robbery, who were in custody at the end of March, were handed over to the Chinese authorities to be dealt with and three charged with armed highway robbery were sentenced to 15 years' imprisonment each at the Mixed Court.

*Stolen Property.*—322 reports of stolen property were made to the Police during the month. These included 34 of burglary, 20 of housebreaking, 5 of shop or office breaking and 3 of godown-breaking. In 122 cases enquiries were made with successful results. In this connexion I have to cite the detectives attached to the West Hongkew District as having an exceptionally fine record of work during the past month.

*Bicycle and Ricsha Thefts.*—The theft of bicycles and private ricshas is still a fairly frequent occurrence. Owners are again warned of the risk they run of leaving these vehicles unattended and unsecured in the roadway or in the hallways of office or public buildings.

*Opium.*—The smuggling of opium continues to a considerable extent Numerous raids and seizures are made and convictions are constantly obtained by the Police, but these have but little effect on the illicit importation of the drug.

*Bombs and Threatening Letters.*—It is satisfactory to record that since the arrest by the Police in March and the sentencing on April 22 of one Zang San-leu to 10 years' imprisonment and expulsion, the threatening letter and bomb nuisance has ceased.

*Strikes.*—No strikes of workers occurred in the Settlement during April and endeavours on the part of agitators to bring about a monster demonstration on Labour Day (May 1) ended in complete failure.

*Southern Government.*—Dr. Wu Ting-fang, who had for several years held a ministerial appointment in the Southern Government at Canton, returned to Shanghai on April 16, having with several other members of the Administrative Council apparently broken off relations with his military colleagues. There are about 200 members of the old Parliament from Canton now in Shanghai.

*Soviet Peace Offer.*—Towards the end of March the Soviet Government in Siberia made a bid for Chinese friendship by offering through the press to conclude a peace treaty which would restore to China all concessions, rights and privileges, including extraterritoriality, railway and mining rights, to which past treaties had entitled Russia in this country. Although no official notice was taken by the Chinese Government of this offer a considerable number of Chinese societies replied saying that they considered its terms to be not only acceptable but generous. These replies, which generally contained denunciations of militarism and capitalism, confirm previous reports as to the existence of communist sentiments among societies of recent growth. The best known of the local bodies which replied to the Soviet peace offer are, according to the press, the Amalgamated Association of Street Unions, The Shanghai Students' Union, The National Organizations Union of China and several of the oldest established guilds in Shanghai.

*The Students' Strike.*—On April 11 the National Students' Union of Shanghai transmitted certain demands of a political nature to the Government in Peking. No notice being taken of their communication they declared a so-called strike on April 14. On the afternoon of that day several thousand boys and girls from 53 different schools held a meeting at the Public Recreation Ground outside the West Gate. After the usual speeches had been made the meeting marched in procession through the City and handbills denouncing the Chinese Government were distributed. During the next few days strenuous endeavours were made by the students to induce the merchants and labourers to join their movement by means of street lecture parties and a canvass of shops in Chinese territory. None of the Municipal schools struck work nor was there any attempt by the students to pursue their activities in the Settlement. On April 22 a party of students who were attempting to undermine the loyalty of the workmen at the Arsenal came into collision with the military with the result that a few of them received minor injuries. This was made the excuse for further demonstrations in favour of a general strike. The same evening between 9 p.m. and midnight a procession of some 500 students marched through the City entreating the merchants and labourers to join them. They succeeded in preventing the City trams from running the following day and also induced most of the shopkeepers in the City and Chapei to put up their shutters. Early next morning, April 24, martial law was declared by the Military Governor and all meetings, demonstrations, speeches and other propaganda forbidden. In spite of this the students attempted to proceed with a mass meeting they had decided to hold in the afternoon near the West Gate with the result that a fight occurred with the soldiers and police and a few of the demonstrators were injured. The shops in the City and Chapei remained closed on April 25 and about 500 shops in the Settlement and Frenchtown put up their shutters. Next day, however, most of them reopened and about 1,000 labourers who had been on strike for two days returned to their work. Following the incident of April 24 the students tried to start a campaign of revolutionary propaganda in which the overthrow of all authority was freely advocated. A daily paper published by the Students' Union was specially violent and various organs of the native press contained grossly exaggerated and wholly untruthful accounts of the fracas which were intended to inflame the country at large. But their efforts met with little success. It was clear from the outset that the movement lacked public support. The merchant and labour organizations displayed no active enthusiasm whatever, confining themselves to sympathetic assurances and the dispatch of numerous telegrams to Peking. Yet, so easily are the masses swayed, that the situation might have become serious but for the timely declaration of martial law by the Military Governor as soon as it was seen that the students, having failed to accomplish their aim by other means, intended to incite the populace to open rebellion against constituted authority.

***Identification Office.*—During the month 613 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 168 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 187 records were received from the French Police out of which number 100 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| For Identification | 800 | |
| Identified | 268 | |
| Percentage | 33 | |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | | 2 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | | 50 |
| | | 52 |

**Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 16.**

**The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—**

| | |
|---|---|
| 384 | ***First offenders*** **(minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc.** |
| 61 | ***First offenders*** **(serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc.** |
| 60 | ***Second offenders.*** |
| 21 | ***Third offenders.*** |
| 8 | ***Habitual offenders*** **(minor).** |
| 79 | ***Habitual offenders*** **(serious).** |
| 613 | |

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*Return of Convict Labour for April.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. | Tls. | 3,316.45 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | | 1,366.20 |
| Total | Tls. | 1,950.25 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. | 1,950.25 |

Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licenses suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.

A. HILTON-JOHNSON,
*Acting Commissioner of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

1.—*Offences against the person:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Assault | 3 |
| Causing grevious bodily harm | 3 |
| Murder, attempted | 1 |

2.—*Offences Against Property:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Highway robbery | 3 |
| Larceny | 2 |

3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:—*

*Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Motor Car | 1 |
| Motor Cycle | 1 |

*Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Attempting to escape from custody | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 3 |
| Failing to obey Police signal | 1 |
| Menace to the peace and good order of the Settlement | 1 |
| Undesirable alien | 1 |
| Total | 21 |

| *Not Charged:* | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,496 | 1,496 |
| Others | 63 | 885 | 948 |
| Total | 63 | 2,381 | 2,444 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cautioned | 3 |
| Dismissed | 2 |
| Fined | 4 |
| Imprisonment | 4 |
| Imprisonment and Expulsion | 1 |
| Released on Security | 1 |
| Remanded | 5 |
| Sent to Korea for trial | 1 |
| Total | 21 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY

on April 30.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 3 |
| Louza Station | 3 |
| Hongkew Station | 7 |
| Harbin Road Station | 4 |
| West Hongkew Station | 12 |
| Wayside Station | — |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 3 |
| Sinza Station | 1 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 4 |
| Gordon Road Station | 1 |
| Gaol | 1,521 |
| Reformatory | 68 |
| Total | 1,627 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 1,174 | 461 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 1,174 | 461 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN

March 27 and April 30, 1920.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 52,813.16 |
| Recovered | 17,315.54 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 31/3/20 | 36 | 278 |
| Captured | 242 | |
| Returned | 52 | 278 |
| Killed | 188 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 2 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 36 | |

## Mixed Court Report for April.

The undermentioned foreigners who are not recognized by any Consulate in Shanghai were before the Court on criminal charges:—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| A. Mislea | British | Larceny | To leave Shanghai |
| M. Pakkanen | Finn | Assault | Dismissed |
| K. Cinkeewich | Pole | Drunk and Disorderly | Released |
| B. Biatu | Roumanian | Drunk and Disorderly, Wilful damage and Wounding | 6 months |

Fourteen persons were before the Court for failing to pay the cost of laying new drains on their premises. The case was originally brought as a civil one but the Court held that criminal proceedings should be taken; this was done and the defendants were ordered to pay within 14 days.

During the month the Court tried:—

21 cases of burglary as against 35 in March.

227 cases of larceny as against 215 in March.

12 cases of cruelty to animals as against 4 in March.

65 cases of breach of motor car regulations as against 43 in March.

Eighty Chinese civil cases were concluded during the month while thirty-eight are awaiting a first hearing, being a decrease of 11 as compared with the previous month.

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with; Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

F. L. WAINWRIGHT,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
A. HILTON-JOHNSON,
Acting Commissioner of Police.

OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| 1.—Offences Against the Person:— | |
| Abduction | 6 |
| Assault | 29 |
| Attempted Suicide | 3 |
| Intimidation | 3 |
| Kidnapping | 3 |
| Wounding (Causing grievous bodily harm) | 2 |
| 2.—Offences Against Property:— | |
| Arson (or Criminal Negligence) | 1 |
| Burglary | 21 |
| Cruelty to animals | 12 |
| Embezzlement | 8 |
| Extortion (obtaining money by threats) | 1 |
| Forgery | 1 |
| Fraud | 8 |
| House-breaking | 2 |
| Larceny | 227 |
| Malicious Damage | 2 |
| Receiving stolen property | 9 |
| Robbery | 25 |
| 3.—Offences of a Public Nature:— | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 22 |
| Carts | 48 |
| Club | 1 |
| Dairies | 3 |
| Dogs | 12 |
| Foodshops | 8 |
| Hawkers | 30 |
| Livery Stable | 1 |
| Lodging Houses | 4 |
| Motor cars | 65 |
| Opium | 129 |
| Pawnshops | 4 |
| Ricshas | 1,761 |
| Tea-shop | 6 |
| Wheel-barrows | 67 |
| Wine-shops | 4 |
| Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| Fireworks | 3 |
| House refuse | 15 |
| Kite-flying | 1 |
| Nuisances | 1,021 |
| Prostitutes | 3 |
| Straw | 2 |
| Traffic | 33 |
| Indecent Literature | 2 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 6 |
| Contempt of Court | 2 |
| Disorderly conduct | 76 |
| Functioning as Police | 1 |
| Gambling | 147 |
| Gaol-breaking | 1 |
| Loitering with intent | 15 |
| Obstructing the Police | 8 |
| Returning after expulsion | 3 |
| Vagrancy | 1 |
| 4.—Miscellaneous Cases | 26 |
| TOTAL | 3,894 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2 914 |
| Cases withdrawn | 5 |
| Cautioned | 26 |
| Compensation | 1 |
| Dismissed | 67 |
| Expulsion | 10 |
| Fined | 513 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 3 |
| Imprisonment | 213 |
| " and expulsion | 96 |
| Reformatory | 3 |
| Released on Security | 4 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 15 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 8 |
| Various | 16 |
| TOTAL | 3,894 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On April 1 | 51 |
| Received | 33 |
| Released | 36 |
| On April 30 | 48 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 189 |
| " served | 234 |
| Warrants issued | 42 |
| " executed | 11 |

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FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 1 |
| " executed | 1 |
| Summonses issued | 37 |
| " served | 11 |
| " withdrawn | 1 |
| Persons apprehended on Warrants | 1 |
| " summoned | 15 |
| Sealing orders issued | 73 |
| " " executed | 7 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 59 |
| " " withdrawn | 3 |
| " " pending | 4 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 9 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 90 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 40 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 85 |
| " heard | 96 |
| " in course of hearing | 30 |
| " concluded | 80 |
| " awaiting first hearing on April 30 | 38 |
| Summonses issued | 78 |
| " served | 75 |
| " withdrawn | 8 |
| Warrants issued | 42 |
| " executed | 15 |
| " withdrawn | 11 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 15 |
| " summoned | [illegible] |
| " failed to appear on first summons | [illegible] |
| Sealing orders issued | 20 |
| " " executed | 4 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 16 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 1 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 71 |
| Bonds accepted | 64 |
| " rejected | 15 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On April 1 | 46 |
| Received | 30 |
| Released | 22 |
| On April 30 | 54 |

SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| The Netherlandsche Indische Handels Bank of Hongkong | Dutch | Bank of Territorial Development of China | Tls. 8,498.63 and interest | For plaintiffs with interest as prayed |
| H. Sakamoto | Japanese | Dzung Kyi-meu | Tls. 3,397.61 and interest | Proceeding |
| Y. Yendo | do. | Tsang Yien-ping | Yen 75,472.70 and Tls. 11,705.24 | do. |
| J. J. Moalem | British | Dan Song-dau Daung Lien-sung | $2,758.72 and injunction *re* fang-tans | For plaintiff |
| Olga Koltsoff | Russian | Vera Meyer | Rbls. 3,000 and jewellery value $4,000 | Proceeding |
| Mackenzie & Co., Ld. | British | China Merchants Steam Navigation Company | Application for Injunction | do. |
| W. Ulrich & Co. | Russian | Dzung Tsz-yien | Tls. 15,000 | do. |
| Sergei Baul and Timofei Senatoreff | do. | Henrich Loocher | $170 | For plaintiff |
| Oriental Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co. | British | — | Application for an injunction | Judgment and costs |
| Hummel & Ambrose | do. | Yau Jing-foo Loh Yong-foh | Delivery of fang-tan or $1,000 | Proceeding |

## Health Officer's Report for April.

The condition of the Public Health throughout the month was good. No deaths were recorded from Smallpox and the 3,660 free vaccinations, mostly infants, done during the month at the Branch Health Offices represents a satisfactory insurance against the future.

Cases of cerebrospinal fever continued to occur both among foreigners and Chinese in lesser number, and should soon cease with the onset of warmer weather.

There was an outbreak of Scarlet fever among the boarders of a large school, introduced from outside. It was quickly controlled by the excellent management of the school concerned.

The tentative arrangements for a school for Chinese sanitary employees has so far not met with much success. The object is to attract better educated Chinese capable of grasping the sanitary idea, that is to say, to train the employee to understand the object of what he is doing, as in disinfection, mosquito reduction work, etc. Apart from work requiring a high degree of manual dexterity, the pupils who have at present passed through the school show either insufficient aptitude to benefit by the instruction or, if otherwise qualified, object to the necessary manual or coolie work.

In view of the strawberry season it may be noted that strawberries can be safely eaten fresh if dipped for a few seconds in boiling sugar syrup as recommended in the Public Health Notice obtainable from the Health Officer or District Health Inspectors. This sterilises the fruit sufficiently to make it absolutely safe and in no way spoils the flavour or appearance. Otherwise strawberries are often the cause of dysentery and other serious troubles, watered as strawberries so often are with nightsoil and passing through so many coolies' dirty hands. Washing in water, even if permanganate of iodine is added, is not enough. Although people may eat unsterilised strawberries many times and nothing untoward occur, they inevitably become the prey of serious intestinal trouble, and this can be easily avoided with a little supervision by the lady of the house.

It is well now to direct special attention to the prevention of the summer diseases due to infected food. Choleraic trouble, which made such havoc last year, is to be expected this year when heat and moisture wake up the germs from their winter sleep. Careful and special attention is directed towards the intelligent following out of the few requirements for health given in the Public Health Notice. It is little or no use posting this notice in the kitchen in the pious hope that the cook or boy will follow the Chinese translation. Few cooks and boys can read Chinese. It is up to the lady of the house to impart instruction and to see that the rules are intelligently and constantly observed.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign Resident | Foreign Non-resident | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| Tuberculosis | 4 | 0 | 93 |
| Beri-beri | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 1 | 2 | 18 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Influenza | 0 | 0 | 17 |
| From all causes | 21 | 13 | 693 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Smallpox | 1 |
| Typhoid Fever | 2 |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 |
| Diphtheria | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 12 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 8 |
| Dysentery | 4 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases admitted—Diphtheria | 2 | 4 |
| Scarlet fever | 13 | 0 |
| Cerebrospinal fever | 6 | 21 |
| Measles | 3 | 0 |
| Discharged | 27 | 39 |
| Died | 2 | 8 |
| Remaining last day of month | 22 | 18 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen ..... | 1,752 | 1 | 1,752 | 0 | 0 |
| Sheep ..... | 3,100 | 0 | 3,100 | 0 | 0 |
| Calves ..... | 422 | 0 | 422 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs..... | 344 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 23,195 |
| Bacterial " " | 126 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 2 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 519 |
| Analyses | 52 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 35 | 6 |
| Surgical | 49 | 2 |
| Maternity | 18 | 1 |
| Infectious | 0 | 1 |
| Total | 102 | 10 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK.

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 305 | 610 | 230 | 416 | 1561 |
| Rats plague infected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation | 800 | 1000 | 750 | 400 | 2950 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1091 | 1553 | 731 | 777 | 4152 |
| Poisoned baits laid | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier | 0 | 0 | 206 | 0 | 206 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

LABORATORY REPORT OF WATER.

Sample received May 5, 1920.

Report sent out May 7, 1920.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.

Physical Characters.—Slight opacity. Greyish yellow colour. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 15.8 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight browning | |
| Total Hardness | 9.6 |
| (a) Temporary | 5.6 |
| (b) Permanent | 4.0 |
| Chlorine | 2.4 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.046 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.002 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.007 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° c. | 0.042 |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° and 37° C. showed an average of 25 and 8 microorganisms per c.c. respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in 2 c.c. and upwards of the water tested.

Report on Analysis.—The analytical data obtained show satisfactory purification.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox | 587 | 1,221 | 793 | 1,059 | 3,660 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 0 | 16 | 7 | 8 | 31 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 29 | 94 | 68 | 35 | 226 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 66 | 102 | 453 | 194 | 815 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 595 | 1,122 | 1,114 | 1,739 | 4,570 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 12 | 102 | 507 | 69 | 690 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 2 | 27 | 0 | 29 |
| Defective drainage amended | 22 | 21 | 43 | 25 | 111 |
| Insanitary wells abolished | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 0 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 12 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 2 | 2 | 21 | 2 | 27 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 0 | 107 | 455 | 562 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 12 | 22 | 2 | 36 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 8 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 11 | 8 | 10 | 15 | 44 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 41 | 47 | 64 | 48 | 200 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 1 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 10 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 0 | 12 | 13 | 21 | 46 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 100 | 830 | 705 | 190 | 1,825 |
| Outside hawkers licensed | 590 | 687 | 575 | 432 | 2,284 |
| Food prosecutions | 1 | 21 | 11 | 10 | 43 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 0 | 32 | 15 | 2 | 49 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 0 | 9 | 27 | 14 | 50 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,765 | 4,531 | 3,348 | 3,053 | 14,697 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 6,307 | 3,428 | 2,315 | 2,051 | 14,101 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 2,560 | 585 | 179 | 426 | 3,750 |

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Known as | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Aikosha | Rioji Ishisaki | 33 Avenue Dubail | Abstraction of fat |
| Yuen Sung | Li Yuen-sung | F. 1789 Bubbling Well Road | 5.7% added water |
| Yuen Chong | Yau Z-kya | M. 756 Avenue Road | 6.3% added water |
| Gordon Road | Tsu Oong-kwhe | Z. 1128 Gordon Road | Abstraction of fat |

## Report of the Acting Commissioner of Public Works for April.

Asphaltic road work was commenced early in the month. Asphaltic concrete is being laid in Soochow Road between The Bund and Honan Road and it is intended to continue with the other roads in this section of the Central District.

Although the initial cost is much higher than for waterbound macadam the annual cost and ultimate renewal is no more than the cost of waterbound macadam for those streets where the latter require renewal or patching more than twice a year, as is the case in most of the main roads in the Central and Northern Districts where waterbound macadam still exists.

In the case of the Bund the maintenance cost of the asphaltic concrete laid in 1918 only amounted to Tls. 40 during 1919.

Surface treatment of waterbound macadam roads by asphaltum is being extended, although this is merely a palliative in the case of roads subject to heavy traffic.

Owing to the limited capacity of the plant at Sinza Depôt progress on new work is necessarily slow, and the extension of asphaltic road treatment will entail the erection of further plant in the near future, as the repair work alone will make considerable demands upon the plant.

The tramway track in Bubbling Well Road between Siccawei Road and Hart Road has been relaid along the new centre line of the road and the completion of the road surface is in hand.

Consequent upon the demolition of the wall on the south side of Bubbling Well Road west of Ferry Road, widening operations have been resumed.

A modification of the line of road has been effected along the Country Club frontage but the footpath cannot be constructed in its ultimate position until the tramway track has been relaid, which work cannot be proceeded with until the various widenings further east have been carried out.

Resulting upon the widening of Hungjao Road west of Warren Road a marked improvement in the line and appearance of the road is evident. This work is not yet completed.

A commencement has been made with the widening of the Bund south of Peking Road. The work is being delayed on account of the shortage of road materials, although better progress is anticipated now that a new materials contract has been arranged. The new footpath along the Bund foreshore has been completed between Peking Road and the P. & O. Jetty, and the turfing of this section of the Bund is in hand.

Tanyang Road and Funing Road have been raised and ashed between Chemulpo Road and Lay Road.

Hailar Road has been raised for a distance of 400 feet east of Urga Road.

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*Drainage.*—A commencement has been made with the laying of a 3 feet diameter sewer in Avenue Road west of Gordon Road. This will be continued through to Hart Road.

A detritus chamber has been constructed at the outlet of the Defence Creek culvert, which work completes the culverting of the Defence Creek.

*Bundings and Jetties.*—The stone slope on the Bund Foreshore has been completed from Peking Road to Nanking Road, and between the Custom House and Canton Road.

The Pontoons are being renewed and overhauled in turn and refixed in their new positions.

About 2,000 fong of mud has been dredged from the Wayside Dock giving a depth of 8 feet at low water. There is rapid accretion in the Dock, particularly at the entrance where a bar forms. Constant dredging will be necessary to maintain a sufficient depth of water at low tide.

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

*Administration Building.*—The work generally is proceeding satisfactorily, good progress having been made with the Electrical Work and Heating Installation. At the same time the joinery for internal lights, doors, etc., is well in hand.

FIRE BRIGADE.

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—Good progress is being made with the brickwork of the first floor, which will shortly be ready to receive the falsework for the floor above.

*Hongkew Fire Station Workshops.*—This building is now complete, except for the necessary internal fittings.

ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

*Administration Building Substation.*—Work has been commenced on the staircase, which has been placed on the outside of the building instead of the inside as originally contemplated. This will provide more space for equipment in the building.

*Tonquin Road Substation.*—The expanded metal screen around the first storey is practically completed. On account of the proposed extension, minor changes are being made to the cubicles and staircases in the building.

*Riverside Power Station, Office Building, and Switch House.*—Concrete work of the first floor of the Office Building has been completed.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—1,541 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month. It has been found necessary to suspend the supply of rubble stone to the Whangpoo Conservancy Board, as there is very little of this material available.

Certain inferior metalling stone is being supplied to contractors in Hangchow.

All three crushers are now in full operation.

The average number of labourers employed daily was 165.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected cartloads | 4,472 |
| Used for raising land | 517 |
| Water used for street watering | 4,140,400 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,979 |
| Artisans | 366 |
| Foremen | 234 |
| Mafoos | 155 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 8,287 pieces |
| Machine made | 3,440 ,, |
| Total | 11,727 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 130 admissions during the month and 189 bundles of wood chopped, and 192 cubic feet of stone broken.

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 65 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates issued | 28 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 26 |
| New lots put under taxation | 20 |
| The assessed value of land placed under taxation is | Tls. 36,793 |
| Official plans prepared | 40 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 190 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 90 |
| Surveys made in connexion with road widenings and/or extensions | 65 |
| Lots examined to see whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 65 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Western District | 18 |
| Central ,, | 1 |
| Eastern .. | 21 |

*New Buildings.*

Summary of work done during the month:—

*Description of work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 335 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 93 |
| Plans approved | 67 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,971 |
| Boundary walls erected | 590 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadways | 6 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected over roadways | 1,445 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 1 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 33 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 52 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by P.W.D. | 1 |
| First intimation notices issued | 1 |
| Total | 1 |

C. HARPUR,
*Acting Commissioner of Public Works.*

**Public Health Notice.**

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infections disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.

Aerated water and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

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VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years, in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Summary of Revenue for April**

| Description | Estimate for 1920 | 1920 | | | 1919 | | | 1918 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 |
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,055,000 | — | 214,206.94 | 214,206.94 | — | 109,774.11 | 109,774.11 | — | 144,398.55 | 144,398.55 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 861,000 | — | 84,686.66 | 284,248.22 | — | 55,799.73 | 217,455.50 | — | 77,855.60 | 230,051.63 |
| Chinese | 1,285,000 | — | 180,887.52 | 522,068.54 | — | 138,950.91 | 388,740.92 | — | 132,407.99 | 374,057.15 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | 648.25 | 648.25 | — | 2.50 | 36.90 | — | 296.25 | 336.25 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 350,000 | — | — | 85,245.36 | — | — | 49,711.07 | — | — | 42,913.61 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | 51 | 3,204.00 | 7,019.00 | 49 | 3,001.00 | 6,886.00 | 62 | 3,772.00 | 8,117.00 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 25,000 | 87 | 6,475.00 | 12,937.50 | 77 | 5,725.00 | 11,800.00 | 78 | 5,800.00 | 11,575.00 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 600 | 14 | 138.00 | 276.00 | 13 | 117.00 | 256.00 | 16 | 96.00 | 198.00 |
| Eating House | 10,000 | 155 | 768.99 | 3,137.24 | 110 | 483.16 | 2,592.36 | 212 | 715.79 | 2,891.56 |
| Chinese Club | 5,100 | 47 | 1,175.00 | 2,441.70 | 48 | 1,200.00 | 2,341.70 | 37 | 925.00 | 1,933.35 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13,000 | 292 | 2,823.00 | 5,692.00 | 308 | 3,008.00 | 6,069.00 | 324 | 3,161.00 | 6,375.00 |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36,000 | 140 | 1,303.00 | 10,208.40 | 131 | 1,239.00 | 10,154.55 | 429 | 4,382.00 | 13,330.75 |
| Tea-shop | 17,000 | 625 | 1,394.50 | 5,424.00 | 648 | 1,403.50 | 5,596.00 | 671 | 1,342.00 | 5,345.00 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 7,000 | 186 | 1,362.19 | 3,106.87 | 102 | 737.65 | 2,432.92 | 187 | 675.87 | 2,177.86 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,500 | 13 | 534.00 | 1,966.50 | 13 | 513.00 | 1,939.00 | 13 | 358.00 | 1,370.00 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 22 | 799.00 | 2,936.00 | 18 | 709.00 | 2,796.00 | 14 | 675.00 | 2,740.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 3,200 | 16 | 238.00 | 780.00 | 16 | 275.00 | 912.00 | 14 | 230.00 | 729.00 |
| Pawn-shop | 33,000 | — | — | 7,712.80 | — | — | 8,090.17 | 1 | 69.95 | 7,845.87 |
| Exchange Shop | 9,000 | 390 | 1,005.50 | 1,005.50 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tobacco Shop | 15,000 | 552 | 1,611.00 | 1,611.00 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,700 | 719 | 522.81 | 2,031.74 | 760 | 510.47 | 2,027.79 | 908 | 524.19 | 2,110.86 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,200 | 64 | 94.34 | 366.74 | 66 | 96.10 | 379.90 | 67 | 97.15 | 379 51 |
| Launch | 3,500 | 348 | 894.00 | 1,881.00 | 288 | 798.00 | 1,673.00 | 276 | 669.00 | 1,450.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,556 | 368.06 | 1,528.34 | 1,480 | 349.70 | 1,356.74 | 1,515 | 357.52 | 1,373.30 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 64 | 46.84 | 337.12 | 52 | 37.45 | 296.54 | 60 | 43.33 | 307.17 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 10,000 | P. 705 C. 539 | 2,547.75 | 5,067.03 | P. 697 C. 576 | 2,624.27 | 5,243.62 | P. 779 C. 629 | 2,883.50 | 5,773.75 |
| Livery Stable | 11,000 | P. 268 C. 248 | 914.87 | 3,646.88 | P. 410 C. 261 | 1,048.48 | 4,155.13 | P. 399 C. 246 | 999.01 | 3,920.12 |
| Motor Vehicles | 70,000 | V. 1542 D. 247 | 16,488.23 | 32,180.70 | 1,098 | 10,493.03 | 21,168.48 | 901 | 8,465.35 | 17,034.74 |
| Cart | 37,000 | 2,603 | 3,688.50 | 13,951.50 | 2,204 | 3,191.50 | 12,151.50 | 1,942 | 2,842.00 | 10,743.50 |
| Private Ricsha | 70,000 | 7.013 | 15,379.35 | 30,285.77 | 6,267 | 12,457.38 | 25,610.88 | 5,865 | 12,706.51 | 25,073.51 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,695.35 | 46,623.95 | 8,000 | 11,505.85 | 45,922.35 | 8,000 | 11,537.45 | 45,886.80 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 7 | 15.38 | 39.49 | 10 | 21.70 | 53.99 | 9 | 19.54 | 57.15 |
| Wheel-barrow | 53,000 | 10,251 | 5,128.15 | 18,730.54 | 9,720 | 4,864.06 | 17,126.76 | 9,078 | 4,545.57 | 16,330.08 |
| Firearms | 500 | — | — | 150.00 | — | — | 75.00 | — | — | 75.00 |
| Dog | 8,000 | 167 | 611.54 | 3,462.54 | 338 | 674.77 | 2,169.97 | 214 | 309.39 | 1,983.17 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 118,840 | 6,034 | 9,635.36 | 37,385.02 | 5,777 | 9,079.46 | 34,851 46 | 5,793 | 9,141.77 | 35,154.15 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | 160.00 | 730.00 | — | 130.00 | 270.00 | — | — | — |
| Firemen's Quarters | — | — | — | — | — | 169.00 | 541.50 | — | 232.00 | 607.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 6,000 | — | 400.00 | 1,475.81 | — | 472.00 | 1,902.48 | — | 465.00 | 1,845.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 5.51 | 685.88 | — | 312.51 | 701.76 | — | 266.51 | 338.72 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 26,300 | — | — | 17,642.86 | — | — | 16,741.10 | — | — | 21,870.30 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | — | 250.00 | — | — | 250.00 | — | — | 250.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co., Ld. | 7,330 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 62,000 | — | — | 15,221.91 | — | — | 12,739.30 | — | — | 11,365.00 |
| Electricity Department | 309,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Convict Labour | 7,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concrete ware Manufactory | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 8,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,742,870 | | 571,856.59 | 1,406,347.14 | | 381,774.29 | 1,034,992.95 | | 433,265.79 | 1,060,314.41 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Commissioner of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 未有承攬本局有權將所有各項工程章程本局自行辦理或全份或一部份或數份或全份

三 行定估定價必准攬價認承辦人如有不承認辦人亦自辦

四 所有以後之保證金其該承攬人應照本局公信合同須知之保證金

五 目前本局所擬之各項工程章程本局自行辦理或全份或一部份或數份或全份

六 後來之承攬人應繳納保證金之數目及其承攬人之姓名及其承攬人之姓名

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人選承辦人如有不承認辦人亦自辦

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 150 | 16,000 yards Khaki Drill | — | July 31, Noon |
| 151 | 200 ,, ,, Cord | — | do. |
| 152 | 5,000 ,, ,, Blue Camlet | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before December 31, 1920 | | |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 546 | Painting at Public School for Boys | — | May 21, Noon |
| 547 | Supply of Tools, etc. | — | September 18, Noon |
| 548 | Painting at Public School for Girls | — | May 21, Noon |
| 549 | ,, Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | — | ,, 28, ,, |
| 550 | ,, ,, ,, Girls | — | ,, 28, ,, |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 198 | 112 Induction Motors (Copies of the Specification may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road, on or after Tuesday, March 9) Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | June 1, Noon |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Telephone and Bell Service, Central Offices

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Scott, Harding & Co. | Telephone Service | Tls. 3,475 |
| | Bell ,, | 890 |
| | | Tls. 4,365 |

*Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2721.**

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. P. W. Massey, having been duly nominated by Landowners, is, in accordance with Article VIA of the Land Regulations, considered to be elected as Land Commissioner for the remainder of the current Municipal year.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 21, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2715.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2722.**

**TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL (RANGE ROAD).**

APPLICATIONS for admission should be made to the Matron (Telephone N. 3038).

Cases of Lung Tuberculosis only will be admitted.

Facilities are provided for open-air treatment of early cases.

Patients should be attended by their own doctors; but where this cannot be arranged medical attendance will be provided.

Admission to the Hospital is free, but charges are made for private rooms (Tls. 5 daily), non-pharmacopœial drugs, proprietary medicines and foods, mineral spring waters and alcoholic drinks.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 27, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2723.**

**ISOLATION HOSPITAL (RANGE ROAD).**

APPLICATIONS for admission should be made to the Matron (Telephone N. 3038).

Cases of the following diseases will be admitted, namely: Scarlet fever, Diphtheria, Smallpox, Plague, Cholera, Typhus fever and Cerebrospinal fever.

Cases of Measles and Influenza will not be admitted except from schools, boarding houses and hotels, so far as available accommodation and nursing facilities will permit.

Cases of German measles, Chickenpox, Mumps, Whooping-cough and Erysipelas will not be admitted.

Patients should be attended by their own doctors; but where this cannot be arranged medical attendance will be provided.

Admission to the Hospital is free, but charges are made for private rooms (Tls. 5 daily), non-pharmacopœial drugs, proprietary medicines and foods, mineral spring waters and alcoholic drinks.

Ambulances are provided free of charge for the transport of infectious cases to the Hospital.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 27, 1920.

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**AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, May 26, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—**

***Present*:**

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
C. M. Bain
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay

***Absent*:**

Mr. D. Goh

**The meeting adjourned at 5.15 p.m.**

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**Council for 1920-21.**

Mr. H. H. Girardet has accepted the Council's invitation to fill the vacancy in the membership caused by the resignation of Lieut.-Col. P. A. Cox, O.B.E. He will serve on the Watch and Health Committees.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*Commandant.*—Lieut. Colonel R. Marr Johnson, C.M.G., D.S.O., Royal Field Artillery, who has been appointed by the War Office for service with the Council as Commandant of Volunteers, assumed command of the Corps on May 25.

**Land Assessment.**

With reference to Resolution XII passed at the recent Annual Meeting of Ratepayers, relative to the reassessment of land in the Settlement, invitations extended to Messrs. S. J. Halse and N. L. Sparke to act as Assessors have been accepted by these gentlemen.

**Trade Exhibition.**

Correspondence with H. M. Commercial Counsellor on the subject of a proposed Exhibition of British Manufactures:—

Shanghai, February 10, 1920.

MY DEAR PEARCE,—I have received a telegram from our Foreign Office in London informing me that the British Government propose to send an exhibition of British manufactures on a tour of the world, and that if suitable accommodation can be obtained the exhibition will visit Shanghai and other ports in China in the spring of 1921. It is estimated that the exhibits will weigh 300 tons and that the floor space required will be 30,000 square feet. The exhibition will remain open a fortnight and will take two weeks for setting out and two weeks for packing up —that is, six weeks in all.

I have made inquiries regarding possible accommodation for this exhibition in Shanghai and I find that the only place at all suitable is the new Municipal Drill Hall. The area of this hall is, I am aware, less than 30,000 square feet but I have no doubt that arrangements can be made to reduce the bulk of the exhibits accordingly.

I write to ask if you will be good enough to consult your Colleagues and let me know whether you think the Council would be willing to place the Drill Hall at the disposal of the British Government for this purpose. I am aware that the final decision in this matter must rest with the incoming Council, but as I am directed to reply by telegraph as to the possibility of holding the exhibition in Shanghai, I shall be grateful to you for an expression of opinion as to whether an application of this kind would be favourably considered by the Council when the time comes for a definite request for the use of the Hall to be made. I should mention that the date of the exhibition will be fixed so that it will not interfere with the annual training of the Volunteers, that we shall be prepared to pay for the hire of the hall, and to accept such conditions as regards precautions against fire, etc., as the Council may see fit to lay down.

Yours sincerely,

H. H. FOX,

*Commercial Counsellor of Legation.*

E. C. PEARCE, Esq.,

Chairman, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, February 25, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 10 inquiring whether the Council would place the new Municipal Drill Hall at the disposal of H.M. Government for a trade exhibition to be held in the Spring of 1921, and in reply, and in confirmation of the information already conveyed to you verbally, to state that although the Drill Hall would not as a general rule be available for such purposes as those mentioned, the Council gladly gives provisional sanction to its being let to H.M. Government in view of the very great measure of support that H.M. War Office has accorded the Council in the matter of the supply of armament and ammunition for the use of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps.

The Hall which measures 180 feet by 102 feet would only be available subsequent to April 30 and before the commencement of the Volunteer Corps Autumn training, and the charge for its use would be the more or less nominal one of Tls. 100 per diem for the fortnight during which the proposed exhibition is open. The actual cost of lighting during this period and during the time occupied in the preparation and removal of exhibits would also have to be met by H. M. Government.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

H. H. Fox, Esq., C.M.G.,

H. M. Commercial Counsellor.

Shanghai, February 27, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—I beg to acknowledge, with thanks, receipt of your letter dated 25th instant informing me that the Council have been good enough to give provisional sanction, under certain conditions, to the new Drill Hall being placed at the disposal of H. M. Government for the purpose of holding an Exhibition of British Manufactures in Shanghai in the spring of 1921.

Yours faithfully,

H. H. FOX,

*Commercial Counsellor of Legation.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,

Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, May 18, 1920.

SIR,—With reference to your letter of February 25 last in which you were good enough to inform me that the Council would place the new Municipal Drill Hall at the disposal of His Majesty's Government for an Exhibition of British Manufactures which it was proposed to send to China early in 1921, I beg to inform you that I am now in receipt of a telegram from His Majesty's Secretary of State informing me that the Exhibition has been postponed for the time being owing to the present commitments of British manufacturers, and that further advices will be sent when the organization has been resumed.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

H. P. BRETT,

*Acting Commercial Counsellor of Legation.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, May 22, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 18, wherefrom the Council notes with regret that you have now been advised by His Majesty's Secretary of State that the proposal to hold an exhibition of British Manufactures in Shanghai has been unavoidably postponed.

I am directed to thank you for this communication and to state that the Council notes that further advice will be given if and when it is decided to proceed with this project.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

E. S. B. ROWE,

*Assistant Secretary.*

H. P. BRETT, Esq.,

Acting Commercial Counsellor

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**Municipal Properties.**

*Robison Road Electricity Substation.*—Arrangements have been concluded with the Japan China

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Spinning and Weaving Co., Ld. for the cession without compensation of Mow 0.562 of land ex B.C. Lot 6620 required as a Sub-Station site.

### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Foochow and Shanse Roads.*—Arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. Lester, Johnson and Morriss for the acquisition Mow 0.109 of land, ex Cadastral Lot 271, required for road purposes; as to Mow 0.056 at the assessed value of Tls. 38,000 per mow less one-third for betterment, and as to Mow 0.053 at the assessed value plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, or a total of Tls. 3,776 for the required area.

*Gordon Road.*—The claim of the native owner has been accepted for the acquisition of Mow 0.160 of unregistered land North West of Cadastral Lot 3650, required in connexion with this road widening, at the proclamation rate of Tls. 300 per mow or Tls. 48 for the required area. The owner has carried out 17 fong of mud filling for which he has received additional compensation of Tls. 18.70, the total compensation thus amounting to Tls. 66.70.

*Jessfield Road.*—Mow 0.392 of land at the corner of Jessfield and Connaught Roads, has been surrendered for road purposes, for the sum of Tls. 1,176 together with Tls. 280 cost of reinstatement 14 fong of Chinese houses, or a total of Tls. 1,456.

### Returns of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, May 23, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 | 16 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 2 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 4 | 151 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | May | 24 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | ,, | 25 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | ,, | 26 | 5.30 ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | ,, | 27 | 5.30 ,, | ,, |
| Sat. | ,, | 29 | 4.30 ,, | Public Recreation Ground |

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 34A | Nanking | R. A. Curry | | | altns. & addns. |
| 28 | Nanking & Szechuen | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | altns. |
| 1082 | Yuhang | Municipal Electricity Department | | | garage |
| 6454 | Haichow | Midland Packing Co. | | | ,, |
| 7293 | Off Seoul | Hou Sung Cotton Mill Co. | | | godown |
| 2411 | Seymour | R. H. Elias | | | water-closet |
| 937 | Tungchow | Dowdall & Read | | 1 | godown and boiler house latrines, water tower |
| N of 7082 | Off Ward | Sing Chung Kee | | 2 | |
| 5696 | Ward | Tsao Foong | | | garage and bridge |
| 2435 | Yangtszepoo | Moorhead & Halse | | 2 | |
| 2530 | ,, | E. J. Muller | | 1 | |
| 2446 | Yangtszepoo & Jansen | New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works, Ld. | | | water closet |
| 2755 | Off B'bling Well | Wong Yu Ching | | | ,, |
| 6308 6309 | Off Ferry | Berents & Corrit | | 1 | |
| 4180 | Gordon | Naigai Wata Kaisha | 12 | | |
| S of 781 | Off Sinza | King Hung Sung | | | covered way |
| 4600 | W. Soochow | Dong Chi Kee | | | boiler house |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 5370 | Baikal | Kwang Van Sing | | | 3 bungalows |
| 937 | Tungchow | Dowdall & Read | 5 | | |
| 3860 | Off Ward | Shanghai Industrial Trading Co. | | | altns. |
| N of 7082 | ,, | Sing Chung Kee | | | 5 bungalows |
| E of 1330 | Off E. Yalu | Liu Sung Dao | | | addns. |
| 1344 & E of 1344 | Yochow | Zung Pu Chiao | | | temple |
| W of 2755 | B'bling Well | Chang Fook Kee | 4 | | |
| 6308 6309 | Off Ferry | Berents & Corrit | | | 8 bungalows |
| 1669 | ,, Manila | Zung Yue Kee | | | 3 bungalows & shed |
| W of 3443 | ,, Sinza | Sah Yun Kee | | | 12 bungalows |
| 688 | StoneBridge | Algar & Co., Ld. | 4 | | |
| 4640 | Tonquin | Wong Sung Kee | | | 13 bungalows |

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MAY 22.

*Volunteer Corps.*—Lt.-Col. R. Marr Johnson, C.M.G., D.S.O., will assume command of the Volunteer Corps on May 25.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to the following:—

Sgt. G. Hermitage from May 28.
,, C. H. Lilley ,, ,, 24.
,, H. J. Jefferson ,, ,, 24.

*Health Department.*—Temporary Nurse H. M. Lennox is permitted to terminate her service on May 20.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. C. Aitken is appointed temporarily as Assistant Inspector from June 1.

*Secretariat.*—During the absence of Mr. N. O. Liddell, Secretary, on short leave from May 19, Mr. E. S. Benbow Rowe will act as Secretary of Council.

*Revenue Department.* — During the absence on leave of Mr. E. L. Allen, Commissioner of Revenue, Mr. F. A. Sampson, Assistant Commissioner, will be in charge of the Revenue Department.

### Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infections disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.
Food on which flies have settled.
*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.
*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.
Aerated water and other drinks unless of best quality.
Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.
Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

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Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years, in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Concreteware Manufactory.

The following is the price list of drain pipes and other articles manufactured. The prices quoted are ex Depôt in Fearon Road near Range Road. Applications for delivery orders should be made at the Public Works Office, 7A The Bund.

| Size | Length | Description | Price in Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12" | 2'0" | Pipes (machine made) | 0.80 |
| 9" | 2'0" | " " | 0.60 |
| 6" | 2'0" | " " | 0.40 |
| 4" | 2'0" | " " | 0.28 |
| 12" x 9" | 2'0" | Junctions | 1.60 |
| 12" x 6" | 2'0" | " | 1.45 |
| 12" x 4" | 2'0" | " | 1.35 |
| 9" x 6" | 2'0" | " | 1.15 |
| 9" x 4" | 2'0" | " | 1.05 |
| 6" x 4" | 2'0" | " | 0.80 |
| 6" | | Knuckle Bends 90° | 0.50 |
| 4" | | " " | 0.45 |
| 6" | | Bends (long) 45° | 0.50 |
| 4" | | " " | 0.45 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. A. (without cover) | 0.40 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Yard Gullies Fig. B. (without cover) | 1.25 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.25 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.60 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. C. (without cover) | 0.45 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Revolving Top Gullies incl. C.I. cover | 0.75 |
| 3' 0"x2'0" | 3'0" | Egg-shaped Tubes | 4.50 |
| 2' 3"x1'6" | 3'0" | " " | 3.10 |
| 1' 6"x1'0" | 3'0" | " " | 1.70 |
| 3' 0" | 3'0" | Circular Tubes } Price on application | |
| 4' 6" | 4'0" | " " } Price on application | |
| | 3'0" | Inverts for 12" pipes | 0.80 |
| 3' 0"x2'0" | 3'0" | " Egg-shaped Tubes | 2.20 |
| 2' 3"x1'6" | 3'0" | " Egg-shaped Tubes | 1.75 |
| 1' 6"x1'0" | 3'0" | " Egg-shaped Tubes | 0.85 |
| 3' 0" | 3'0" | " Circular Tubes | 4.10 |
| 2' 0"x2'0" | 1'0" | Manhole shafts (large) | 3.00 |
| 2' 0"x2'0" | 6" | " " (small) | 1.80 |
| 1' 5"x1'5" | 6" | " Top Frames | 2.55 |
| 3'10"x1'4" | 5¾" | " Slabs (large) | 2.90 |
| 3' 0"x1'5" | 2¾" | " " (small) | 1.80 |
| | | " Bricks No. 34a | 0.03½ |
| | | " " 34b | 0.03½ |
| | | Blind manhole cover (large) | 2.50 |
| | | Blind manhole cover (small) | 1.00 |
| 1' 6"x1'4" | 12" | Street Pot Gullies (bottom) } Street Pot Gullies (top) } | 6.50 |
| 5" x 2" | 4'0" | Kerbs | 0·90 |
| 5" x 4" | 4'0" | Channels | 0·90 |
| 4" x 3" | 3'3" | Pavement Tubes | 1.20 |
| 4" x 3" | 2'3" | " " | 0.90 |
| 4" x 3" | 2'0" | " " | 0.90 |
| 4" | 9" | " Sockets | 0.38 |
| 3" | 9" | " " | 0.38 |
| 4'0" x 2'0" | | Kitchen Sinks | 5.50 |
| 2'6" x 2'0" | | " " | 4.00 |
| 12" x 4" | 3'0" | Boundary Stones | 2.65 |
| | 2' | M. C. R. Stones | 0.85 |
| | 4' | " " | 1.00 |
| 4'0" x 1'6" | | Grave Slabs per set of 6 | 9.00 |
| 4'0" x 1'0" | | " " 2 | 2.10 |
| | 18' | Bearing Pile } Prices on application | |
| | 14' | " " } Prices on application | |
| | 10' | Sheet Pile } Prices on application | |
| | 7'6" | " " } Prices on application | |
| | | Fence Post } Prices on application | |
| | | Ridge Tile | 0.27 |
| | | Square Tile | 0.05½ |
| | 2'5¾" | Sidewalk Slab } Prices on application | |
| | 1'11¾" | " " } Prices on application | |
| | 0 11¾" | " " } Prices on application | |

## Fire Brigade Report for April.

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 27, as against 31 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 2,850 (Foreign, Tls. 500: Chinese, Tls. 2,350), as against Tls. 26,675 (Foreign, Tls. 100: Chinese, Tls. 26,575) during April 1919. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 121,000 (Foreign, Tls. 25,000: Chinese, Tls. 96,000), as against Tls. 1,147,200 (Foreign, Tls. 1,000,000: Chinese, Tls. 147,200) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 15, Watch Towers 6, Street Alarms 4, and Police 2. The district call was given on 6 occasions, the remaining 21 being station calls. These calls proved to be 16 small fires, 7 false alarms (1 of which was malicious) and 4 fires outside the Settlement.

The main supposed causes of fires within the Settlement are as follows:—Incendiarism 4, Overheated stove pipe 2, Drug overheated 2, Dropped match or cigarette end 2, Sparks from chimney 2, Timber in Chimney 1, Fusing of electric wires 1, Lamp in contact with curtain 1, and Unknown 1. The premises affected were:—Foreign Buildings 2, and Chinese Buildings 9.

The Brigade was occupied 388 hours and 54 minutes at fires, or supposed fires.

An outbreak which might have had serious results occurred on April 6 at 5.37 p.m. when the temporary carpenter's shop at the east of the Great Northern Telegraph Co.'s new building under construction was found to be well alight, and the fire was spreading rapidly to the scaffolding and bamboo screens around the building and a number of sunblinds on McBain's building were in flames. It was only by exceedingly quick work of the Central Division that the fire was quickly extinguished with only little damage.

The Brigade rendered valuable assistance at a fire at Pootung on April 9, when godowns A, B, C, D at Lee Nee Du Wharf, occupied by Chinese, were found in flames. It was a most difficult fire to tackle owing to the fumes and smoke from a very large quantity of pepper and sugar respectively stored in the buildings involved. Landing parties from warships in the Harbour and the River Police with the Custom's Float and Butterfield & Swire's Fire Float also gave valuable assistance. The fire was confined to the buildings already in flames on arrival of Brigade.

Three calls were received to No. Uu 48 Ching Yuen Lee, a Chinese cotton yarn hong, during the month. Two outbreaks were dealt with by buckets of water, but the last one on April 28 was more serious, the roof of the kitchen was well alight and the fire had obtained a grip on the front building.

The Brigade also dealt with a cotton fire in the Jessfield village. A long line of hose was used, with a pump working from the creek.

M. W. PETT,
*Chief Officer, Shanghai Fire Brigade.*

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RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call | | Alarm given | Locality | District | | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Time of | How received | | | Municipal | Fire | | | Hours | Minutes | |
| April 3 | 8.56 p.m. | Street Alarm | Station | N. Szechuen & Haining Rds. | Northern | 2 | | | | 11 | False alarm |
| 4 | 2.03 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | 26 Chaoufoong Road | Eastern | 1 | Foreign Residence | 1 damaged | 27 | 10 | |
| 6 | 5.37 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Avenue Edward VII | Central | 4 | Foreign Offices | 1 ,, | 18 | 20 | Under construction |
| 6 | 7.38 p.m. | ,, | ,, | 69-70 Nanking Road | ,, | 3 | Chinese Silver Smith | | 1 | 25 | |
| 7 | 5.07 a.m. | ,, | ,, | Uu 48 Ching Yuen Lee | ,, | 3 | Chinese Hong | | | 15 | |
| 8 | 3.07 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | District | Cb 798-799 East Yalu Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Weaving Mill | 1 damaged | 40 | 20 | |
| 9 | 12.50 p.m. | Telephone | Station | Pootung | Outside | | | | 149 | | |
| 10 | 3.33 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | District | Chapei | ,, | | | | 1 | | |
| 10 | 3.52 p.m. | ,, | Station | East Yalu and Wuchow Rds. | Eastern | 1 | | | | 30 | False alarm |
| 10 | 9.37 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | Uu 48 Ching Yuen Lee | Central | 3 | Chinese Hong | | 2 | 12 | |
| 12 | 10.16 p.m. | ,, | ,, | 690a Tientsong Road | Northern | 2 | Foreign Offices | | 2 | | |
| 12 | 10.46 p.m. | Street Alarm | ,, | Broadway and Dent Rds. | Eastern | 1 | | | | 20 | False alarm |
| 13 | 11.39 a.m. | Hongkew & Central Tower | District | Pp 637 Tong Dong Ka Loong | Northern | 8 | Chinese Dwelling | 3 damaged | 6 | | |
| 16 | 8.45 a.m. | Sinza Police | Station | Qa 710-11 Chengtu Rd. | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | | 1 | | |
| 17 | 7 43 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | S 316 Ningpo Road | Central | 6 | | | | 10 | False alarm |
| 19 | 2.20 a.m. | Street Alarm | ,, | E. Seward/Singkeipang Rds. | Eastern | 1 | | | | 20 | ,, ,, |
| 19 | 1.59 p.m. | ,, | ,, | N. Szechuen & Haining Rds. | Northern | 2 | | | | 25 | ,, ,, |
| 21 | 11.37 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | J 470 Avenue Edward VII | Central | 5 | Chinese Shop | | 1 | 15 | |
| 22 | 12.01 a.m. | ,, | ,, | Q 694 N. Chengtu Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | 1 damaged | 1 | 25 | |
| 22 | 3.55 p.m. | Sinza Tower | District | K 658 Park Rd. | ,, | 7 | Chinese Store | 1 ,, | 1 | 20 | |
| 22 | 9.32 p.m. | Telephone | Station | Chekiang and Foochow Rds. | Central | 5 | | | | 26 | Malicious false alarm |
| 23 | 7.18 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Y 15 Lloyd Rd. | ,, | 6 | Chinese Shop | | | 20 | |
| 23 | 10.45 p.m. | Sinza Tower | ,, | Off Gt. Western Road | Outside | | | | 1 | | |
| 25 | 10 56 a.m. | Police Box No. 1 | ,, | P 570 N. Honan Road | Northern | 8 | Chinese Store | 1 damaged | 1 | 15 | |
| 28 | 2.58 p.m. | Telephone | District | Uu 48 Ching Yuen Lee | Central | 3 | Chinese Hong | 2 ,, | 5 | | |
| 29 | 4.36 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Jessfield Road | Outside | | | | 120 | | |
| 30 | 11.43 a.m. | ,, | Station | J 124 E. Seward Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Store | | 6 | 15 | |

M. W. Pett, *Chief Officer.*

## Parks Report for March.

*Road side trees:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total No. of trees planted | 753 |
| ,, ,, staked | 281 |
| ,, ,, fastened | 689 |
| ,, ,, transplanted | 44 |
| ,, ,, pruned | 1,888 |
| ,, ,, topdressed | 607 |
| ,, of tree-borers destroyed | 64 |
| ,, of bird-nests removed | 191 |

*Road Widening:—*

Total No. of trees transplanted 93

*Nurseries:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total No. of trees transplanted | 6,108 |
| Total No. of shrubs transplanted | 2,082 |
| Various cuttings inserted | 13,140 |

Sports.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players. |
|---|---|
| Golf | 938 |
| Football | 88 |
| Total No. of players | 1,026 |
| ,, ,, non-players | 6,000 |
| Total No. of Visitors | 7,026 |

*Trees planted, staked and fastened at:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Quinsan Square | 1 tree. |
| V. Nursing Home | 8 ,, |

*Trees and shrubs planted at:—*

| | Trees. | Shrubs. |
|---|---|---|
| Public Garden | | 120 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 494 | 20 |
| | 494 | 140 |

*Trees, shrubs and hegde plants transplanted at:—*

| | Shrubs | Trees | Hedge Plants |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 32 | 260 | 98 |
| Isolation Hospital | | 56 | |
| | 32 | 316 | 98 |

*Plants bedded out at:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Public Gardens | 250 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 2,800 |
| Jessfield Park | 4,194 |
| | 7,244 |

*Turf laid at:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Public Garden | 59 fong |
| Municipal Reformatory | 47 ,, |
| Public School (Kungping Road) | 20 ,, |
| Public School for Girls in Western District | 6 ,, |
| B. Well Police Station | 6 ,, |
| 76 Yangtszepoo Road Police Quarters | 10 ,, |
| | 148 fong |

D. MacGregor,
*Superintendent.*

Countersigned:
C. Harpur,
Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

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**Summary of General Municipal Rate, March Quarter, 1920.**

**Foreign.**

| | 1920. | | 1919. | | 1918. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. |
| | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | 710 | 2,839,198 | 706 | 2,675,153 | 687 | 2,494,517 |
| Northern do. | 1,021 | 981,720 | 1,019 | 955,522 | 1,019 | 931,479 |
| Eastern do. | 754 | 987,808 | 745 | 928,191 | 724 | 893,059 |
| Western do. | 1,018 | 1,314,132 | 1,001 | 1,275,336 | 1,006 | 1,237,195 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 690 | 443,986 | 631 | 412,540 | 597 | 373,916 |
| Total | 4,193 | 6,566,844 | 4,102 | 6,246,742 | 4,033 | 5,930,166 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 3,195 | 4,929,347 | 3,100 | 4,643,122 | 3,072 | 4,403,314 |
| do. Chinese | 918 | 1,415,656 | 856 | 1,303,935 | 819 | 1,223,209 |
| Unoccupied | 80 | 221,841 | 146 | 299,685 | 142 | 303,643 |
| Total | 4,193 | 6,566,844 | 4,102 | 6,246,742 | 4,033 | 5,930,166 |
| TAX COLLECTED:— | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | | 92,934 | | 73,343 | | 68,454 |
| Northern do. | | 31,196 | | 25,877 | | 25,086 |
| Eastern do. | | 32,833 | | 26,370 | | 25,122 |
| Western do. | | 41,847 | | 34,624 | | 32,884 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 7,160 | | 5,818 | | 5,232 |
| Total | | 205,970 | | 166,032 | | 156,778 |

**Chinese.**

| | 1920. | | 1919. | | 1918. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. |
| | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | 11,619 | 5,942,206 | 11,928 | 5,568,791 | 11,983 | 5,487,942 |
| Northern do. | 16,534 | 3,043,284 | 16,633 | 3,019,211 | 16,632 | 2,987,894 |
| Eastern do. | 17,602 | 1,613,838 | 17,422 | 1,595,647 | 16,935 | 1,518,611 |
| Western do. | 15,385 | 2,204,910 | 14,907 | 2,122,371 | 14,741 | 2,080,552 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 1,236 | 110,222 | 1,225 | 109,994 | 1,223 | 109,714 |
| Total | 62,376 | 12,914,460 | 62,115 | 12,416,014 | 61,514 | 12,184,713 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 2,087 | 524,072 | 1,980 | 491,122 | 1,828 | 444,323 |
| do. Chinese | 58,843 | 11,962,410 | 57,877 | 11,298,044 | 57,395 | 10,960,068 |
| Unoccupied | 1,446 | 427,978 | 2,258 | 626,848 | 2,291 | 780,322 |
| Total | 62,376 | 12,914,460 | 62,115 | 12,416,014 | 61,514 | 12,184,713 |
| TAX COLLECTED:— | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | | 218,065 | | 158,539 | | 153,323 |
| Northern do. | | 112,375 | | 86,926 | | 85,192 |
| Eastern do. | | 60,260 | | 45,521 | | 42,797 |
| Western do. | | 78,697 | | 58,449 | | 56,620 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 2,002 | | 1,561 | | 1,558 |
| Total | | 471,399 | | 350,996 | | 339,490 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Commissioner of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bona fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局認為有利承攬之價目自應有權選擇合人辦理的實付人局份

二 所有承攬本局認為適當之價目應即辦妥本項承攬合同須保證該承攬人之人數及其保證金額

三 擇定後須行知承攬人自行辦理保證金額

四 所有承攬人之姓名及其保證金額目前已經登入各人之信合人同亦有權取消之

五 本局有權取消之並將該保證金額沒收之

六 所有承攬人之姓名及其保證金額目前已經登入各人之信合人同亦有權取消之並將該保證金額沒收之

本局有權取消之並將該保證金額沒收之

後明本局有權取消之並將該保證金額沒收之

所有承攬人之姓名及其保證金額目前已經登入各人之信合人同亦有權取消之並將該保證金額沒收之

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## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 133 | Convicts' Food, in the following quantities monthly, from July 1, 1920 :— Rice (Unpolished) (200-lb. per picul) 300 piculs; Wheat (133 ,, ,, ) 45 ,,; Beans, flat (133 ,, ,, ) 45 ,,; ,, red (133 ,, ,, ) 32 ,,; For 3 or 6 months | — | June 15, Noon. Tenders should be accompanied by samples. |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 549 | Painting at Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | — | May 28, Noon |
| 550 | ,, ,, ,, Girls | — | ,, 28, ,, |
| 551 | ,, Public School for Chinese | — | June 4, ,, |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 546

Painting at Public School for Boys

| | |
|---|---|
| Sing Kee | Tls. 1,725 |
| Wong Chin Kee | 1,612 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 1,495 |
| Lien Yung Kee | 1,480 |
| Woo Lee Kee | 1,145 |
| Ngan Zung Lee | 995 |
| Tuck Foong | 982 |
| *Zung Shing | 956 |

Tender No. 548

Painting at Public School for Girls

| | |
|---|---|
| Joe Ming Kee | Tls. 665 |
| Sing Kee | 646 |
| Lien Yung Kee | 554 |
| Wong Chin Kee | 520 |
| Zung Shing | 506 |
| Ngan Zung Lee | 480 |
| Tuck Foong | 435 |
| *Woo Lee Kee | 432 |

*Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2721.**

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. P. W. Massey, having been duly nominated by Landowners, is, in accordance with Article VIA of the Land Regulations, considered to be elected as Land Commissioner for the remainder of the current Municipal year.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 21, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2715.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2722.**

**TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL (RANGE ROAD).**

APPLICATIONS for admission should be made to the Matron (Telephone N. 3038).

Cases of Lung Tuberculosis only will be admitted.

Facilities are provided for open-air treatment of early cases.

Patients should be attended by their own doctors; but where this cannot be arranged medical attendance will be provided.

Admission to the Hospital is free, but charges are made for private rooms (Tls. 5 daily), non-pharmacopœial drugs, proprietary medicines and foods, mineral spring waters and alcoholic drinks.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 27, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2723.**

**ISOLATION HOSPITAL (RANGE ROAD).**

APPLICATIONS for admission should be made to the Matron (Telephone N. 3038).

Cases of the following diseases will be admitted, namely: Scarlet fever, Diphtheria, Smallpox, Plague, Cholera, Typhus fever and Cerebrospinal fever.

Cases of Measles and Influenza will not be admitted except from schools, boarding houses and hotels, so far as available accommodation and nursing facilities will permit.

Cases of German measles, Chickenpox, Mumps, Whooping-cough and Erysipelas will not be admitted.

Patients should be attended by their own doctors; but where this cannot be arranged medical attendance will be provided.

Admission to the Hospital is free, but charges are made for private rooms (Tls. 5 daily), non-pharmacopœial drugs, proprietary medicines and foods, mineral spring waters and alcoholic drinks.

Ambulances are provided free of charge for the transport of infectious cases to the Hospital.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 27, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2725.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Municipal Loans will be closed from June 16, to June 30, both days inclusive.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 3, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, May 28, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Mr. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
Lieut.-Col. Hayley Bell, D.S.O.
Messrs. A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphrys
A. C. Hynes
W. P. Lambe
W. L. Merriman
W. C. Sprague

*Absent:*

Mr. D. McColl

The meeting adjourned at 6.40 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, May 31, 1920, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. F. Mackay (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin

The meeting adjourned at 5 o'clock, p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Tuesday, June 1, 1920 at 12 o'clock noon, there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. F. Mackay *(Chairman)*
M. Benjamin

The meeting adjourned at 1.10 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Tuesday, June 1, 1920, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
D. Goh
H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 5 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, June 2, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

### Council for 1920-21.

Dr. S. A. Ransom has accepted the Council's invitation to fill the vacancy in the membership caused by the resignation of Mr. C. M. Bain, upon his departure for England. He will serve on the Works, Foreign Educational and Band Committees.

### Chinese Soldiers or Police in the Settlement.

Letter to the Senior Consul:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 25, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to bring to your attention a case of illegal functioning by persons supposed to be native troops or police on the premises of the New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works on the afternoon of May 14. It appears that on that afternoon, an officer and certain soldiers or police proceeded in a launch from the Kiangnan Dock Yard to the New Engineering and Shipbuilding Company's premises in the Settlement in search of an employe alleged to have committed a breach of his contract. The officer and four men landed at the jetty and after making enquiries were accompanied back to the launch, apparently voluntarily, by a man named Loh Sieu-chung, who at the time of this visit was in the employ of the New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works, Ld.

In drawing your attention to this matter, I have the honour to state, for the information of the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, that the Council merely desires to record a formal protest at this disregard of the standing practice respecting entry of Chinese troops or police into the Settlement, since a satisfactory explanation and apology has already been received from the responsible officials concerned, who were unaware of the fact that their subordinates had taken unauthorized action.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. BROOKE SMITH,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

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### Szechuen Road Bridge.

Reports and recommendations by the Commissioner of Public Works have been considered relative to the proposed re-construction of the bridge over the Soochow creek at Szechuen Road, and details of the plans approved are as follows:—

The bridge will be a three span bridge, constructed of reinforced concrete and steel, and will be a deck span of cantilever type, the suspended span being of steel plate girder construction, and the cantilevers of reinforced concrete. The central span will be 120 feet, and the side spans approximately 56 feet each. As the suspended portion of the central span is 52 feet, the cantilever arms will be 34 feet each.

A clearance of 12 feet at tide is provided in the mid the centre span, which is but little reduced for a width of 4 on either side of the centre. obtain this clearance it has necessary to use a grade of 1 for the roadway. The carriag will be 36 feet wide, and the ways 10 feet each, giving a width of 56 feet compared a total width of 30 feet in old bridge. The bridge is desi to carry a 14-ton steam roller gether with street cars an uniform live load of 100 pound square foot. The general ap ance of the bridge will be th three elliptical arch spans.

This type of bridge has adopted for the reason that slightly more economical th wholly steel structure; it will less in maintenance: and is inf ly superior in appearance. work of construction, also, wi more rapid and will involve interference to the waterway, ing construction than other considered.

In order that the centre li piers shall conform with the tion of the current the centre of the bridge has an angle of of 14 degrees.

The total cost of the brid estimated at Tls. 121,980 incl of work required to be don piers, cofferdams, abutments approaches.

### Wharf Thieves.

The following corresponden included herein for purpose record:—

Shanghai, May 10, 19

SIR,—I beg to enclose here for your consideration and a copy of Chinese text and translation of letter received the Commissioner for Fo Affairs in Shanghai regardin 36 parties of vagabonds.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant
D. SIFFE
*Senior Co*

A. BROOKE SMITH, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Counc

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*Translation of letter from the missioner for Foreign Affai the Senior Consul, dated 29, 1920.*

The Commissioner is in re of a note from the Shantung and 18 other unions, complai that the wharves of Tai Koo, Merchants, Hung On, Hwa S Ewo and Shuntai, also the wh and godowns at Pootung, recently been infested by vagab generally known as "The thirt Vagabonds" who have many lowers and who steal and rob from the wharves on land and cargo boats in the water; they even taken away whole packag cargo from merchants in places, and so the merchants suffered very considerably in sequence. This gang of ruffia

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a serious danger to the local community, especially as Shanghai is a principal port of trade where large quantities of cargo are handled on the wharves. The Commissioner is requested to communicate with the military and police authorities asking them to take the necessary steps to investigate and/or arrest and prosecute these bad characters, in the interests of public peace and local trade: he is also asked to address the Consular Body to ask the S.M.P. to take similar action, for the benefit of all concerned.

As these vagabonds steal and rob goods from merchants both on land and water they are really a menace to local merchants and steps should therefore be taken to arrest and severely deal with them from time to time. The Commissioner asks the Senior Consul to take note and to request the S.M.P. to take the necessary steps in this matter.

With compliments of the season.

YANGTCHENG.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, May 28, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 10, on the subject of representations made by various Guilds complaining that certain wharves have recently been infested by dissolute characters known as "The Thirty-six Vagabonds."

In reply thereto I have the honour to inform you that in so far as the wharves within the Settlement are concerned, these have always received and will continue to receive every possible Police protection.

As a result of your despatch, however, enquiries have been made among the compradores of shipping firms and, except for petty larcenies, none of them has been able to cite any instance of cargo having been stolen from places under the jurisdiction of the Council. The records of the Police show that larcenies from wharves are few; Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co.'s compradore states that during the last two years the number of thefts committed on the Hongkew Wharf has decreased considerably; Mr. Chun Bing-him, compradore of Messrs. Burkill & Sons, who wrote the letter to the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, admits that there is not much cargo stolen from the wharves in the Settlement, but that there is an enormous amount stolen from those outside.

As regards Pootung, the Chinese City and elsewhere, the Council must, in accordance with established practice, rely upon the native authorities for the apprehension and suppression of thieves and other evil-disposed persons.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. BROOKE SMITH,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Lungmen Road.*—The following correspondence details the negotiations with Messrs. Brandt & Rodgers leading up to acceptance of the Council's terms of compensation for the area of Lot 1869 required for the construction of this road:—

Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

SIR,—In accordance with your request of the 9th instant, I beg to hand you herewith a plan showing in red the area, required from Cadastral Lot 1869 for road purposes.

Yours faithfully,
C. HARPUR,
*Acting Commissioner of Public Works.*

W. BRANDT, Esq.

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Shanghai, March 19, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—In reply to your letter of the 11th instant I beg to inform you that the area required for the Lungmen Road Extension splits the land into two portions which will be useless for building purposes, I therefore propose that the Council purchases the entire lot together with all the buildings thereon, for the sum of Tls. 3,500.

Yours faithfully,
W. BRANDT.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, March 30, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 19, 1920, relative to Lungmen Road Extension, Cadastral Lot 1869, and in reply thereto to state that the Council is informed that the buildings on this land are bungalows which are at present in an uninhabitable condition, and were in fact about to be pulled down, and that as this factor must have a very material effect on the compensation payable, the Council is unable to agree to the terms proposed by you.

The Council is, however, prepared to purchase this lot, on the following terms:—

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| For area required for road land Mow 0.247 at Tls. 3,500 plus 10 per cent. | 951 |
| Surplus land Mow 0.188 at Tls. 3,500 | 658 |
| Compensation for buildings | 500 |
| A total for land and buildings of | 2,109 |

I shall be glad to hear that this offer is acceptable to you.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

MESSRS. BRANDT & RODGERS.

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Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—In reply to your letter of the 30th ultimo I beg to inform you that the sum of Tls. 2,109 proposed by you for the purchase of Cadastral Lot 1869 is less than the actual amount paid for it sometime ago. In view of this fact your offer is not accepted. The land contiguous to it to wit Cadastral Lot 1870 is assessed at Tls. 5,500 per mow which I take it to be on account of the frontage of it on the Chengtu Road. And as the remaining two portions will have frontages on the Lungmen Road at a short distance from the Chengtu Road I am of opinion that it is quite reasonable to price them at Tls. 5,500 per mow. I therefore suggest the following:—

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| For area required for road land Mow 0.2.4.7 at Tls. 3,500, plus 10 per cent. | 951 |
| Surplus land Mow 0.1.8.8 at Tls. 5,500 | 1,034 |
| Compensation for buildings and loss of rental | 750 |
| Tls. | 2,735 |

Yours faithfully,
W. BRANDT.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,

Shanghai, April 28, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 13, with further reference to the surrender of land ex Lot 1869 for the Lungmen Road.

In reply thereto, I am directed to observe, with respect to your statement that the sum offered for the lot is less than the actual amount paid for it, that it is not at all unusual, especially in the case of Chinese, uninstructed in the value of land or desiring special lots for special purposes, or aware of the fact that a road is scheduled, but ignorant of the Council's powers in connexion with its acquisition, to purchase land situated upon the line of public roads at prices far in excess of their value. The amount paid for the land therefore, has not always a direct connexion with its actual value, while the sum that the Council can pay therefor, having regard to the fact that it is the Trustee of the public funds, is necessarily based upon its value.

I am directed further to refer to your statement that the Lot 1870 adjoining is assessed at Tls. 5,500 per mow, which you attribute to its frontage on the Chengtu Road. This is a fact, but you have overlooked the correlative fact that the enhanced value of the lot is directly due to the circumstance that Mow 0.535 of it has already been surrendered without compensation to provide the road in question. You then contend that the remaining two portions of your lot, by having similar frontage on a public road, will become enhanced in value, from which of course it follows, if your contention is correct, that in this case, the Council in accordance with the usual practice, should deduct from the compensation due for the roadland such sum as represents the betterment accruing to the remainder. I may state, however, that the Council has not claimed from you any betterment in regard to this transaction, because it considers that the view put forward in your

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letter of March 19 was correct, that the road, while constituting an undoubted benefit to other properties, would affect this small property in such manner as to render the remaining portions useless for development.

In the circumstances, therefore, the Council has offered to pay you for the whole of the property at the rate of Tls. 3,500 per mow, or in the alternative, should you desire to retain the surplus land, the Council will require a deduction from the sum payable, of the equivalent to the betterment which you admit will be conferred upon the remainder of the lot by the said road.

With respect to the item of compensation for buildings and loss of rentals, I am to state that in view of the fact that you had already applied for a permit to rebuild this property, there can be no claim for loss of rental whatever, and I may add that the sum of Tls. 500 offered you as the value of the buildings, was specially made upon a very liberal basis.

I am directed, therefore, to inform you that the Council is unable to pay for this property more than the sum set forth in my letter of March 30, i.e., Tls. 2,109 for Mow 0.435.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. Rowe,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Messrs. Brandt & Rodgers.

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Shanghai, May 25, 1920.

Dear Sir,—With reference to your letter of the 25th ultimo we beg to inform you that the majority of Chinese purchasing land in the settlements are fully aware of the Council's power in connexion with acquisition of land for public roads but the facilities and the publicity given by the Council are, in our opinion, not sufficient to acquaint the Chinese public of scheduled roads. We agree that the proposed road represents a betterment to the remaining portions but at the same time this advantage is nullified as the remaining lots will be useless for development. The mere fact that application for a permit has been made to rebuild this property only proves that the owner did not know of the proposed road and will not be equitable as a basis to refuse compensation for buildings and loss of rentals. If the Council is willing to waive its claim of betterment we will do likewise as regards loss of rentals. Our amended claim, therefore, is as follows:—

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| For area required for road land Mow 0.2.4.7 at Tls. 3,500 per mow plus 10 per cent. | 951 |
| Compensation for buildings | 500 |
| Tls. | 1,451 |

You will note that these figures are the same as quoted by you in your letter of March 30 last—which we hope will be acceptable to you.

Yours faithfully,
Brandt & Rodgers.

N. O. Liddell, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, June 1, 1920.

Gentlemen,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 25, wherefrom the Council notes that you now accept the terms of compensation contained in my letter of March 30, in so far as they relate to the scheduled area of Lot 1869, required for the Lungmen Road. The amount payable is thus Tls. 1,451 in respect of Mow 0.247.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. Rowe,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Messrs. Brandt & Rodgers.

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**Drainage.**

Letter from various residents, with reply on the subject of the culverting of the Creek in Darroch Road off North Szechuen Road at a cost of Tls. 400.

Shanghai, May 13, 1920.

Dear Sir,—We, the residents of Darroch Road, off North Szechuen Road Extension, beg leave to report to you the fact that the small creek at the end of this road, which runs between our houses, is always filled with dirty water and refuse. That being the case, we are in constant danger of contracting serious diseases, besides, the stench is most annoying.

Now that a portion of this useless creek has been culverted, we understand, by the Chinese Authority, we shall appreciate if you will kindly bring this matter to the notice of the Council with a view to their doing the same with the other portion inside the Foreign Settlement.

Trusting our request will meet with your kind consideration and thanking you in anticipation.

Yours faithfully,
R. Allemao.
Jno. C. d'Aquino,
A. J. Roza,
C. M. Sequeira,
C. J. Watson,
F. J. England,
J. M. de Sousa,
V. O. Remedios,
W. C. Divers,
A. S. Thacher,
Mrs. Spottiswoode,
Mrs. Farquharson,

A. Stanley, Esq., M.D.,
Health Officer, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, May 28, 1920.

Gentlemen,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 13, addressed to the Health Officer, on the subject of an insanitary creek off Darroch Road, which you desire to be culverted, and to inform you that the Council accedes to your request.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. Rowe,
*Assistant Secretary.*

R. Allemao, Esq. and others.

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**Saltpetre and Sulphur**

Further correspondence r[illegible]in to an officially protected mo[illegible]pol of the sale of saltpetre and sul[illegible]u to which reference was made in t[illegible] issue of the Gazette of May 13, 192[illegible]

Shanghai, May 10, 1920.

Sir,—I beg to enclose herewit[illegible] for your consideration and reply copy of Chinese text and free tran[illegible]lation of letter received from th[illegible] Commissioner for Foreign Affai[illegible] in Shanghai concerning the sol[illegible] sale of sulphur and saltpetre i[illegible] Kiangsu.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. Siffert,
*Senior Consu[illegible]*

A. Brooke Smith, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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*Translation of a letter from th[illegible] Commissioner for Foreign Affai[illegible] to the Senior Consul, dated Ma[illegible] 1, 1920.*

The Commissioner for Foreig[illegible] Affairs is in receipt of a letter fro[illegible] the Shanghai Taoyin who has r[illegible]ceived a note from the Bureau [illegible] Saltpetre and Sulphur of th[illegible] Kiangsu province stating that th[illegible] Tuchun has approved grantin[illegible] the right for the sole sale o[illegible] saltpetre and sulphur in thi[illegible] province to the Foo Lee Co[illegible] in consideration of its payments fo[illegible]rationing the army, and that th[illegible] sale of such commodities belongin[illegible] to other provinces or by other per[illegible]sons in this province is illegitimat[illegible] and must be prohibited. As salt[illegible]petre and sulphur are necessary i[illegible] the manufacture of ammunition fo[illegible] army use, care should be exercise[illegible] to prevent same entering into th[illegible] hands of desperadoes or the peac[illegible] and good order of the district woul[illegible] be disturbed. The said Compan[illegible] has reported that smuggling or il[illegible]licit sale of these goods is still goin[illegible] on in certain districts, adding tha[illegible] if steps were not taken to chec[illegible] same, not only its interests woul[illegible] suffer but public peace would als[illegible] be disturbed. It, therefore, asks hin[illegible] (Taoyin) to report and request th[illegible] Tuchun to take steps to prohibi[illegible] smuggling operations. In this con[illegible]nexion it may be noted that whe[illegible] the Company took over the busines[illegible] at first the former monopolist[illegible] Tang Chin-kee, had some saltpetr[illegible] and sulphur left in hand, which wa[illegible] offered for illicit sale in the Settle[illegible]ment, then the Bureau made repre[illegible]sentations to the Taoyin who i[illegible] turn wrote to the Mixed Court fo[illegible] the issue of a prohibitory proclama[illegible]tion on the subject; the Court subse[illegible]quently replying and notifying th[illegible] Foo Lee of the issue of the procla[illegible]mation as requested. The Compan[illegible] now makes application for simila[illegible] action according to precedent, ask[illegible]ing the Taoyin to communicate wit[illegible] the Mixed Court, at the same tim[illegible] requesting the Court to consult th[illegible] Municipal Council to bring th[illegible] question of the prohibition of smug[illegible]gling and/or illicit sale of thes[illegible] commodities for approval at the an[illegible]nual meeting (of Ratepayers) o[illegible]

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April 7. Enquiry was also made whether it was possible to ask the Commissioner of Police to instruct his detectives, Foreign and Chinese, to investigate and search smuggled goods, handing over any quantity of saltpetre and sulphur seized without bearing a sealed permit of the Tuchun, to the Bureau for appraisement of its value, half of which will be forfeited and the remaining half issued as a reward to those who caught the smugglers; this is of benefit to the Company's interests as well as the peace of the place. The Taoyin has accordingly addressed the Mixed Court on the subject. The Senior Magistrate of the Court has, however, replied to the effect that when the Foo Lee Co. first took over the business he received notes from the Taoyin and Commissioner for Foreign Affairs whereafter he consulted the Senior Consul and the Commissioner of Police as to action against smuggling in these commodities but the Senior Consul subsequently replied expressing disapproval while the Secretary to the Municipal Council and the Commissioner of Police have also replied to the effect that the sale of saltpetre and sulphur is a free trade in the Settlement and that if one company or one man were allowed the right for the sole sale of these goods a monopoly would thereby be created and this could not be entertained. The Magistrate has duly reported these circumstances for the information of the Taoyin and the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, as also the Bureau of Saltpetre and Sulphur of the Kiangsu Province, with the suggestion submitted that the matter be negotiated (by them or Commissioner for Foreign Affairs) with the Consular Body direct. Having received further directions on the same subject the Magistrate has pointed out in reply that as the point concerns local administration it had better be discussed by the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs with the Consular Body direct. The Taoyin, therefore, asks the Commissioner to take note and act accordingly.

The Commissioner finds that saltpetre and sulphur are materials essential in the manufacture of ammunition and that if their free sale is allowed they will very likely pass into the hands of bad characters thereby seriously affecting the public peace. He adds that the business of the said Company is of quite a different character from that of any other trade monopolies and under the circumstances he asks the Senior Consul to take note and to request the S.M.P. to cooperate accordingly.

Awaiting the favour of a reply.

YANGTCHENG.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, May 23, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 10 enclosing a copy and free translation of a communication from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs on the subject of the Sulphur and Saltpetre Monopoly of Kiangsu.

In reply, I have the honour to enclose a copy of the correspondence with the Foo Lee Company on this subject, which was published in the Municipal Gazette of May 13 last. From this you will note that the provincial monopolists have also approached the Council direct with regard to this matter and that in reply the Council reaffirmed its previous decision that no form of monopoly in the sale of these or any other commodities can be countenanced in the Settlement.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. BROOKE SMITH,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

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**Returns of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, May 30, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 18 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 2 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 1 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 5 | 151 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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**Public Band.**

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. June | 7 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. „ | 8 | 5.30 „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. „ | 9 | 5.30 „ | Public Garden |
| Thurs. „ | 10 | 5.30 „ | „ |
| Sat. „ | 12 | 4.30 „ | Public Recreation Ground |

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MAY 29.

*Police Force.*—The Council has learnt with deep regret of the death on May 30, of Inspector T. H. Steele.

Mr. K. J. McEuen, Commissioner of Police, resumes charge of the Police Force from May 25.

Mr. G. Honniball is appointed Printer in the Gaol Printing Department on probation from June 21.

Long leave is granted to Chief Detective Officer W. Armstrong from June 7.

Sergeant E. F. Walker, returned from War Service, resumed duty on May 20.

*Public Works Department.*—Assistant Inspector G. S. Brian is promoted to be Inspector from June 1.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. A. A. Stone and C. E. Maguire are appointed Assistant Mains Engineers under agreements from May 20 and May 17 respectively.

Mr. A. Lingard is appointed Charge Engineer under agreement from May 21.

Mr. W. C. Muchamore is appointed Boiler House Assistant on probation from May 11.

Mr. C. Underwood is appointed Assistant Foreman Mechanic on probation from May 25.

*Public Band.*—Musician T. Cruz is permitted to terminate his service on May 31.

**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 55 | Canton and Bund | Nisshin Kisen Kaisha | | | water closet |
| 84 | Off Kiangse | Ah Hing | | 1 | |
| 77D | Peking and Szechuen | S. S. Somekh | | | water closet |
| 315 | Off Dixwell | Brandt & Rodgers | 1 | | |
| 3725 | Kirin | The New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works, Ld. | | | water closet |
| 2300 | Macgregor | China Realty Co. | | | shed |
| 662 | Tongshan | Van Wah Silk Manufacturing Co. | | | filature |
| 3860 | Off Ward | Davies & Brooke | | | factory, chimney & furnace room |
| 6044 | Off Yangtszepoo | China Import and Export Lumber Co. | | | garage |
| 1300 | B'bling Well and Thibet | O. H. Charkley | | | water closet |
| 4602 | Off Mokanshan | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | bridge & altns. |
| 4631 | Mokanshan | C. Luthy | | | transformer house |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 638 | E. Seward | The Szu Teh Kung Sze | 37 | | gate house |
| 3860 | Ward | Lin Tai & Co. | | | addns. |

**Public Health Notice.**

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever,

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Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.

Aerated water and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years, in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

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**Municipal Publications.**

The undermentioned publications may be obtained upon application at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund:—

Land Regulations and Bye-laws for the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, North of the Yangkingpang... 1907 $1.00

Handbook of Local Regulations. Containing Land Regulations and Bye-laws, conditions, security and fees attached to the issue of licences; Municipal Regulations and other information ... ... 1918 $2.50

Annual Reports and Financial Statements for the following years, with the Budget for the year ensuing ... 1907-1918 each 4.00

Reports of Ratepayers' Meetings ... 1878-1909 each 0.10

Land Assessment Schedules. Containing the consular and cadastral numbers of lots, registered owners, areas and values, with plans in four parts, one to each district... 1916 each $1.50

Rules with respect to New Foreign and Chinese Buildings ... ... 1918 1.00

Plans accompanying Land Assessment Schedules 1916 each 1.00

Plan of Shanghai. Shewing Foreign and French Settlements, and surrounding districts. Size 4′ 4″ × 2′ 3″. Scale 1,000 feet 1913.
Unmounted ... ... Tls. 5.00
Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... 7.00

Plan of the Country North of Foreign Settlement of Shanghai. Shewing existing roads and consular lots. Size 9′ 0″ × 4′ 10″. Scale 200 feet ... 1907.
Unmounted ... ... Tls. 20.00
Mounted on linen... 27.00
Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... 35.50

**Decorations.**

The Council's stock of flags may be hired for decorative purposes; the scale of charges as below is in force, with a minimum charge of $5. Applications should be made and delivery taken at the Public Works Department, 7A The Bund; two days' notice of requirements should be given. Any flags lost or damaged will be charged for.

*4 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*

Union Jack, Australia, Canada, India, United States of America, Belgium, France, Italy, Russia, Portugal, Japan, China, Servia, Roumania, Montenegro $0.40 each

*3 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*

Union Jack, Red, White and Blue Ensigns, Australia, Canada, Ceylon, Hongkong, India, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, New Zealand, Queensland, Straits Settlements, South Australia, New South Wales and Western Australia. United States of America, Belgium, Denmark, France, Holland, Italy, Japan, China, Mexico, Montenegro, Norway, Portugal, Russia, Servia, Spain, and Sweden $0.25 each

*2 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*

Union Jack, Red, White and Blue Ensigns, St. George's, St. Andrew's and St. Patrick's Crosses, Australia, Canada, India, Ireland, New South Wales, New Zealand, Queensland, Scotland, Victoria and Wales. United States of America, France, Belgium, Italy, Portugal, Russia, Japan, China, Servia, Montenegro $0.10 each

*Banners*, 9-ft. by 3-ft., fitted with pole, ornament and cord $0.15 each

*Banners*, 5-ft. by 3-ft., fitted with stick $0.10 each

*5-ft. Pennants* on lines $0.05 for ten

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 來有承攬各項工程之價目有本局認定之准攬是極低者本局有權不承辦人自奪

三 人選定後必須保證合同辦理之保證金

四 所有承攬人之資格及公司人員須知悉承攬之價目

五 本局所有以後登載之條件本局有權取消之

六 明清單所有仍將該款一律退還承攬信內之信封固加蓋火漆信內所載之錢數在此單付錢登記之數目清單須與實驗承辦人之照覽本局公信及辦法之實驗內容相符者方為有效

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

信送來最善以後信內之概要免或遺漏或錯誤明

二時前辦妥之用送信次日午十時

部局總盧須在定期上工

面寫明送至西路二號

漆其承攬項目料等物必於信內

所有承攬信內應有實封固加蓋火漆

後仍將該款一律得退還

明所取錢錢數在此單付錢登記

本局必須明清單付錢內容相符

所有以後承攬人各項條件本局有權取消之

目前承攬人各項條件本局有權取消之

挪定後保證人須知悉承攬之價目

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## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 150 | 16,000 yards Khaki Drill | — | July 31, Noon |
| 151 | 200 ,, ,, Cord | — | do. |
| 152 | 5,000 ,, ,, Blue Camlet | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before December 31, 1920 | | |
| 153 | Convicts' Food, in the following quantities monthly, from July 1, 1920 :— Rice (Unpolished) (200-lb. per picul) 300 piculs; Wheat (133 ,, ,, ) 45 ,,; Beans, flat (133 ,, ,, ) 45 ,,; ,, red (133 ,, ,, ) 32 ,, — For 3 or 6 months | — | June 15, Noon. Tenders should be accompanied by samples. |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 547 | Supply of Tools, etc. | — | September 18, Noon |
| 551 | Painting at Public School for Chinese | — | June 4, Noon |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 549

Painting at Thomas Hanbury School for Boys

| | |
|---|---|
| Sung Kee | Tls. 850 |
| Ah Sing | 745 |
| Lien Yung Kee | 655 |
| Tuck Foong | 630 |
| Ngan Zung Lee | 620 |
| Woo Lee Kee | 490 |
| Sing Kee | 486 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 425 |
| Wong Chin Kee | 420 |
| *Zung Shing | 326 |

Tender No. 550

Painting at Thomas Hanbury School for Girls

| | |
|---|---|
| Sung Kee | Tls. 800 |
| Ah Sing | 774 |
| Woo Lee Kee | 680 |
| Tuck Foong | 652 |
| Zung Shing | 532 |
| Sing Kee | 528 |
| Lien Yung Kee | 520 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 465 |
| Wong Chin Kee | 460 |
| *Ngan Zung Lee | 450 |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2715.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2722.**

**TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL (RANGE ROAD).**

APPLICATIONS for admission should be made to the Matron (Telephone N. 3038).

Cases of Lung Tuberculosis only will be admitted.

Facilities are provided for open-air treatment of early cases.

Patients should be attended by their own doctors; but where this cannot be arranged medical attendance will be provided.

Admission to the Hospital is free, but charges are made for private rooms (Tls. 5 daily), non-pharmacopœial drugs, proprietary medicines and foods, mineral spring waters and alcoholic drinks.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 27, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2723.**

**ISOLATION HOSPITAL (RANGE ROAD).**

APPLICATIONS for admission should be made to the Matron (Telephone N. 3038).

Cases of the following diseases will be admitted, namely: Scarlet fever, Diphtheria, Smallpox, Plague, Cholera, Typhus fever and Cerebrospinal fever.

Cases of Measles and Influenza will not be admitted except from schools, boarding houses and hotels, so far as available accommodation and nursing facilities will permit.

Cases of German measles, Chickenpox, Mumps, Whooping-cough and Erysipelas will not be admitted.

Patients should be attended by their own doctors; but where this cannot be arranged medical attendance will be provided.

Admission to the Hospital is free, but charges are made for private rooms (Tls. 5 daily), non-pharmacopœial drugs, proprietary medicines and foods, mineral spring waters and alcoholic drinks.

Ambulances are provided free of charge for the transport of infectious cases to the Hospital.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 27, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2724.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Monday, June 21, 1920.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 10, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2725.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Municipal Loans will be closed from June 16, to June 30, both days inclusive.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 3, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2726.**

**PRIVATE CARRIAGE LICENCES.**

THE following additional licence condition will be enforced from July 1, 1920 :—

PRIVATE CARRIAGE.

(5A) That an approved number and a licence number plate be affixed to every vehicle in the presence of the Police, that such numbers be not transferable and that they remain at all times legible and undefaced.

For the purpose of affixing the number plate, all private carriages are required to be sent to the Vehicle Inspection Office at Gordon Road Police Station on any week day in June between the hours of 8 a.m. and noon and 2 p.m. and 5 p.m.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 10, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2727**

(*Translation*)

**LICENSING OF BROTHELS.**

THE date mentioned in Notification No. 2717 as that after which persons conducting a brothel without a licence will be liable to prosecution, is extended to Wednesday, June 30.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 9, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Monday, May 31, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were :—

***Present:***

Messrs. A. W. Burkill (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
H. A. Macintyre
C. G. S. Mackie
S. B. Neill

The meeting adjourned at 7.15 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, June 4, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were :—

***Present:***

Mr. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
Lieut.-Col. Hayley Bell. D.S.O.
Messrs. A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphrys
A. C. Hynes
W. P. Lambe
W. L. Merriman

***Absent:***

Messrs. D. McColl
W. C. Sprague

The meeting adjourned at 7 o'clock p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, June 9, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

***Present:***

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 5.55 p.m.

**Foreign Educational Committee.**

The Rev. C. J. F. Symons, M.A., has accepted the Council's invitation to fill the vacancy in the membership of the Committee caused by the resignation of Dr. R. S. Ivy.

**Library Committee.**

The resignation of Mr. F. C. Kendall of his seat on the Committee has been accepted with regret.

**Rabies or Hydrophobia.**

Owing to the prevalence in the Settlement of this form of disease, the special attention of the public is drawn to the Health Notice on this subject, set forth elsewhere in this issue.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Honan Road.*—Arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. E. D. Sassoon and Company for the surrender of Mow 0.315 of land ex Cadastral Lot 128 required in connexion with this road. Compensation has been arranged on the following terms:—Mow 0.087, at the assessed value of Tls. 24,000 per mow plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, or Tls. 2,296.80 for the required area. Mow 0.228, let on building lease prior to being scheduled for road widening, at the assessed value, Tls. 24,000 per mow plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, deferred 20 years at 8 per cent., or a sum of Tls. 1,291.42.

The lessee's claim for compensation has been approved on the basis of a gross loss of rental of Tls. 9,366.51, less Tls. 2,400 saving on building contract, or a net sum of Tls. 6,966.51.

**Szechuen Road Bridge.**

Arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ld., for the supply of 125 tons of Reinforcing Steel Bars at a total cost of G.$17,720.

**Wharfage Dues.**

Correspondence with the French Municipal Council and the Commissioner of Customs on the subject of the levy of wharfage dues on transhipment cargo.

Shanghai, April 27, 1920.

SIR,—As you know, wharfage dues are paid on all goods imported into Shanghai, but not on goods transhipped at Shanghai. Cargo which is landed into bond and sent as bonded cargo to a second port is treated as transhipment cargo. Under ordinary Customs rules only foreign cargo can be bonded.

The ordinary Customs rule is that when a steamer arrives at Shanghai all her import cargo must be applied for within 15 days of the date of the vessel's clearance. During these 15 days the cargo can be either imported or transhipped. This period of 15 days may be extended for periods of 5 days on payment of Tls. 20 for each extension.

During the late war, in order to meet the difficulties arising in connexion with the shortage of shipping, the Customs in Shanghai allowed native cargo arriving from an outport intended for a foreign country to be placed in special bond and transhipped without any time limit or payment of extension fees. By granting this privilege the Customs did, in effect, remit the wharfage dues due on all cargo arriving from outports en route to a foreign country.

On October 9 I issued a notification withdrawing this special bond privilege, and substituting, up to March 31, 1920, the following procedure :—

*Customs Notification No. 928.*

"*Bonâ fide* traushipment cargo from outports destined for Europe or America may remain at the importing vessel's wharf without having to be passed through the Customs, for a period of 30 days over and above the already prescribed 15 days. A further extension up to another 30 days may be granted on payment of an extension fee of Hk. Tls. 20 for every five days over and above the 45 days now granted free of charge. After this last period the cargo, if not transhipped, must be imported.

This privilege is granted only to cargo which has been declared to be "For transhipment abroad" at the original port of shipment.

On expiry of the six months period above mentioned, i.e., on April 1, 1920, transhipment cargo will be treated in accordance with normal regulations: if not transhipped within 15 days, it must be imported."

The British Chamber of Commerce has now written to me asking that these privileges should be extended for another period. As far as the Customs is concerned, I have no objection to this being done, but, as you see, if these privileges are extended the wharfage dues will suffer since a large amount of cargo that ought, under ordinary Customs rules, to be imported and pay wharfage dues, will be transhipped without payment of such dues.

It is the duty of the Customs to collect wharfage dues on your behalf, but I have no authority to remit these dues. Therefore, before replying to the letter of the Chamber of Commerce, I wish to be informed whether you have any objection to my acceding to the request of the Chamber. For were I to do so without your consent I should in effect be remitting wharfage dues on my own authority.

It is doubtful, whether the long standing practice of remitting wharfage and conservancy dues

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on transhipment cargo should not be changed. I do not think that cargo is ever transhipped direct from one ship to another. If it is ever done, the quantity thus transhipped is negligible. Practically all transhipment cargo is landed at a wharf and then reshipped from it. There seems no reason therefore why it should not pay wharfage dues and since all transhipment has the benefit of the harbour improvements carried out by the Conservancy Board there is certainly no reason why it should not pay conservancy dues.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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*Translation of letter from the French Municipal Council dated May 17, 1920.*

SIR,—I have the honour to enclose herewith copy of a letter addressed to us from the Chinese Customs Administration on the subject of Wharfage Dues.

The Council, having considered this communication at its meeting of May 10, 1920, has directed me to inform you that it agrees in advance to the proposals which the Municipal Council desires to make in reply to this letter.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
P. LEGENDRE,
*Secretary.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, May 25, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 17, on the subject of a communication made by the Customs Authorities relative to wharfage dues on transhipment cargo.

In reply thereto, I am directed to inform you that the Council, having regard to the fact that cargo transhipped is not destined for Shanghai, and to the fact that it is considered undesirable in the best interests of the Port, that Shanghai should be made an expensive place for transhipment, with the consequent tendency, were such to occur, for shippers to eliminate Shanghai from ports of call, considers it desirable to continue the practice whereunder wharfage dues are not levied on transhipment cargo, provided that on its part, the Customs will discontinue the levy of fees for extension permits on such cargo.

The Council is pleased to learn that the French Council will support the Municipal Council in its attitude with regard to this question.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

P. LEGENDRE, Esq.,
Secretary, French Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, May 29, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 27, on the subject of the levy of wharfage dues on cargo in course of transhipment at Shanghai.

In reply thereto, I am directed to inform you that the Council notes that the ordinary period within which import cargo must be applied for is fifteen days; that in former times transhipment cargo was required to be transhipped within that time, with extensions for periods of five days on payment of certain fees; that during the late war, the time limit was abolished; that between October 9, 1919 and March 31, 1920, the time limit was considered to be forty-five days with extensions up to thirty days additional, the fee being reimposed; and that it was proposed to revert to the fifteen days period.

The Council learns with interest that the British Chamber of Commerce has made application to you for an extension of these privileges; it is not, however, clear to the Council whether this application is for reversion to the arrangements obtaining during the late war, or for continuance of those put in force during the past half year.

The Council further notes that this proposal involves the question of collection of its wharfage dues, since cargo that under ordinary Customs rules would be considered to be imported, if privileged in the manner suggested, would remain classified as transhipment cargo, without liability to payment of dues.

I am directed to inform you that the Council has given careful consideration to this matter, and to the correlative question as to whether the existing practice should be continued under which wharfage dues are remitted on transhipment cargo.

In the first place, I may observe that under Land Regulation IX, authority is given for the collection of wharfage dues on all goods passed through the Chinese Customs house or landed, shipped or transhipped at any place within the limits of the Settlement. The agreement between the Council, the French Council, and the Customs of 1899 relative to this matter stipulates that such dues shall be levied on all goods as aforesaid, but in practice the Council, recognizing the importance of shipping in the economic development of Shanghai, does not require collection of wharfage dues on transhipment cargo.

This question having now been further considered, with special regard to changes which have taken place in the conditions heretofore obtaining, I am directed to state that the Council reaffirms its attitude with regard thereto, since in its opinion, in the best interests of Shanghai, it is in the highest degree undesirable that measures should be adopted, having a tendency to render the port expensive for the handling of cargo. To that end, and wishing to continue in a broad view of the subject, the Council has decided that in the future, as in the past, it will refrain from exercising its right to the collection of wharfage dues on transhipment cargo, if on your part, the Customs will co-operate, in the end sought, to the extent of waiving the fee for extension permits.

I may add that the French Council have addressed the Council on this subject and that it concurs in the views herein expressed.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

L. A. LYALL, Esq.,
Commissioner of Customs.

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Shanghai, June 1, 1920.

SIR,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 29, concerning the levy of wharfage dues on transhipment cargo. I am glad to learn that the Council is willing to refrain from collecting wharfage dues on transhipment cargo if the Customs will co-operate to the extent of waiving the fee for extension permits.

I am informing the British Chamber of Commerce that from June 1 till the end of August 45 days will be allowed by this office, free of charge, for the transhipment of Chinese cargo, which has been declared "for transhipment abroad" at the original port of shipment, subject to the approval of the Inspector General.

This will meet the difficulty for the time being, and before the end of August, I shall consider whether I can recommend to the Inspector General that the 15 days limit ordinarily allowed the agents of a vessel, after she has left the port, to apply for all her inward cargo, be permanently extended in the case of transhipment cargo.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

E. S. B. ROWE, Esq.,
Assistant Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, June 5, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of June 1, on the subject of wharfage dues on transhipment cargo, and in reply thereto to inform you that the Council notes with satisfaction your views on this subject.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

L. A. LYALL, Esq.,
Commissioner of Customs.

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**Educational Department.**

The various schools administered by the Council, will close for the summer vacation on June 30, and will reopen for the Autumn term on September 8.

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## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JUNE 5.

*Fire Brigade.*—Mr. J. Gilhooly is appointed Supervising Fireman under agreement from May 21.

*Police Force.*—Constable W. J. Russell is transferred to the Detective Branch on probation from May 6.

Sergeant W. Spark is permitted to terminate his service on June 16.

Long leave is granted to Sergeant J. A. Nield from June 20.

*Health Department.*—The Council has learnt with deep regret of the death on June 3, of Miss J. F. Black, Sister-in-Charge, Police Hospitals.

Chief Inspector C. Hill is permitted to retire from the Service on December 11, the date of expiry of his long leave.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. P. B. Bull is appointed temporarily as Assistant Inspector from June 1.

*Electricity Department.*—Miss D M. Dixon, Stenographer and Typist, is permitted to terminate her service on October 4.

*Revenue Department.* — Probationary Tax Collector T. Aiers is transferred to be Collector on probation in the Electricity Department from June 1.

## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | June 14 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | ,, 15 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | ,, 16 | 5.30 ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | ,, 17 | 5.30 ,, | ,, |
| Sat. | ,, 19 | 4.30 ,, | Public Recreation Ground |

## Returns of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, June 6, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 2 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 | 18 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 0 | 3 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 142 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 160 | Honan | S. A. Hardoon | | | altns. & addns. |
| 124 | Kiangse | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| 38 | Kiukiang | Moorhead & Halse | | | altns. |
| 766 | Range and Haskell | E. M. Rivers | | | garage |
| 2300 | Baikal and Macgregor | China Realty Co. | | | factory |
| 7293 | Hochien | Nan Yang Construction Co. | | | godown |
| 2082 | Off Paoting | S. J. Powell | | | addns. |
| 662 | Tongshan | Ven Wah Silk Manufacturing Co. | | | factory |
| 7088 | Off Ward | T. Harada | | | godown |
| 7220 | ,, | C. Luthy | | | chimney |
| 6001 | Yangtszepoo | China Import and Export Lumber Co. | | | water closet |
| 6054 | Yangtszepoo and Tong Ting | Municipal Electricity Department | | | workshop |
| 2619 | Yangtszepoo | Shun Tai Lumber Co. | | | shed |
| S of 3028 | Avenue | Van Ching Kee | | | 2 work sheds |
| S of 1499 | Mandalay | King Hung Sung | | | stable |
| W of 4318 | Markham | T. G. Wong | | | store shed |
| 4390 | Moji Road Ext. | Naigai Wata Kaisha | | | mill |
| W of 4422 | Off Penang | ,, | | | latrine |
| S of 5818 | ,, Robison | ,, | | | 2 latrines |
| 4897 | W. Soochow and Ichang | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | 2 godowns |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| E of 1926 | Off Paoting | Eastern Construction Co. | | | addns. |
| E of 7500 | ,, Seoul | King Kee | | | 3 bungalows |
| 7088 | ,, Ward | T. Harada | | | dining room |
| W of 570 | Chengtu | Ying Chien | 13 | | |
| W of 4635/8/40 & 4635/8/40 | Mokanshan & Tonquin | Eastern Construction Co. | 88 | | |

## Rabies or Hydrophobia.

THE DISEASE.—Rabies or hydrophobia is an acute fatal disease, generally communicated to man through a wound made by the teeth of some infected animal, the saliva being the infective medium. Dogs, cats, goats, cows, horses, and other animals are susceptible to the disease and their bites are very dangerous. Hydrophobia may also be contracted by allowing the saliva (froth) of an infected animal to come in contact with a cut or scratch. This sometimes happens in adjusting muzzles, in trying to remove what seems to be a bone in the throat, or in giving medicines. The saliva may be virulent (poisonous) for one or two days before a dog shows any signs of being sick.

SYMPTOMS.—The disease in the dog appears in two forms. In the furious type, he may suddenly leave home, wandering off for many miles, perhaps, to return in a day or two emaciated, wounded, and utterly changed. During the time of "running mad" he may have bitten many persons and other animals. He seems impelled to bite anything that comes in his way. He cannot be said, as a rule, to fight with other dogs. He bites them and passes on, but does not go out of his way very much to attack them. His main object seems to be to keep moving, as if to escape something. The dumb variety is characterized by progressive paralysis of the lower jaw, change in character of bark, and marked nervousness. The animal may appear very affectionate, but may bite without warning. Death usually results in from three to six days from the onset of sickness.

WHAT TO DO WITH A SUSPECTED ANIMAL.—When an animal is suspected of having this disease it should be captured at once, if possible, and securely confined. A veterinary surgeon should be called to see the dog, or the circumstance should be reported to the nearest Police Station where they will arrange without payment for the transfer of the dog to the Observation Kennel under the care of the Health Officer.

Dogs, suspected of rabies, should, if possible, be captured alive; but they may be killed, if danger of any person being bitten can thereby be avoided. The reason being that if preserved alive it can be ascertained in a day or two whether the animal has rabies, while if killed it usually takes fourteen days to find out.

When other dogs have been bitten by a rabid dog they should either be killed immediately or handed over to the charge of a veterinary surgeon.

WHAT TO DO WHEN BITTEN.—The bite of any animal should be cleaned throughout its depth and cauterized as soon as possible by a doctor.

The person bitten should come to the Health Officer to see if Pasteur Treatment is necessary.

It is absolutely necessary for persons bitten by rabid animals or animals suspected of rabies to have the Pasteur Treatment. This is given at the Municipal Health Office and takes about three weeks. The fee for Pasteur Treatment is Tls. 50 reducible in cases of necessity.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Health Officer's Report for May.

The month of May showed the low death rate which is characteristic of this month. May usually comes as a period of rest when the dangers of the winter from Smallpox and respiratory diseases are over and when the special dangers of the summer from infected food are not yet begun.

Cases of Cerebrospinal fever, however, continued to occur, especially among the Chinese community.

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Over 2,500 free vaccinations were done at the Branch Health Offices during the month. Considerable assistance was given by some of the boys of the Chinese Y.M.C.A. who organized a Health Champaign, including the whipping in of the unvaccinated.

There was a small outbreak of Typhus fever among Municipal prisoners which was nipped in the bud by delousing operations.

There has been an exceptional incidence of Rabies among dogs in Shanghai, as has previously been recorded in May and June. Twenty persons had to undergo the Pasteur treatment during the month as a preventive. Those who have not seen the notice giving information regarding Rabies and telling people what to do may obtain a copy on application to the Health Officer or from their District Health Inspectors. Persons keeping dogs should recognize the special danger in Shanghai where the Settlement is surrounded by a perennial source of Rabies infection. Further steps may become necessary to very considerably reduce the number of dogs as a measure for the protection of the public. That there is a marked indifference to the Muzzling Order must be apparent to anyone who is on the lookout for unmuzzled dogs. Like so many other Public Health measures the remedy lies with the public themselves, under expert direction. Shanghai is no proper place for keeping pet dogs.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a Special Summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign Resident | Foreign Non-resident | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 3 | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 2 | 94 |
| Beri-beri | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 1 | 0 | 15 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| Influenza | 0 | 0 | — |
| From all causes | 27 | 12 | 690 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 1 |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 |
| Beri-beri | — |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 1 |
| Dysentery | 1 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases admitted – Small pox | 0 | 1 |
| Diphtheria | 3 | 3 |
| Scarlet fever | 0 | 3 |
| Cerebrospinal fever | 1 | 14 |
| Measles | 1 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 | 0 |
| Discharged | 17 | 20 |
| Died | 2 | 9 |
| Remaining last day of month | 12 | 30 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 15,985 |
| Bacterial " " | 262 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 20 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 424 |
| Analyses | 77 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 30 | 10 |
| Surgical | 39 | 2 |
| Maternity | 12 | 0 |
| Mental | 5 | 0 |
| Total | 86 | 12 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen ..... | 1,783 | 1 | 1,783 | 0 | 0 |
| Sheep ..... | 3,116 | 0 | 3,116 | 36 | 1 |
| Calves ..... | 395 | 0 | 395 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs..... | 816 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Vaccination against small-pox ... ... ... ... ... | 415 | 659 | 763 | 728 | 2,565 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 8 | 3 | 2 | 13 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease ... ... ... ... | 21 | 97 | 72 | 31 | 221 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease ... ... | 94 | 100 | 685 | 319 | 1,198 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 958 | 806 | 3,038 | 1,985 | 6,787 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed ... ... ... ... | 19 | 85 | 609 | 67 | 780 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended ... ... ... ... | 0 | 1 | 50 | 1 | 52 |
| Defective drainage amended ... ... ... ... ... | 22 | 24 | 48 | 27 | 121 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected ... ... ... ... | 2 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 13 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy ... | 3 | 2 | 15 | 3 | 23 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 231 | 416 | 647 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried ... ... | 0 | 10 | 22 | 1 | 33 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Offensive trade processes amended ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Beggar-boats removed ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 12 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 25 | 9 | 8 | 12 | 54 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 49 | 53 | 73 | 59 | 234 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 1 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 13 |
| Notices of intention to proceed served ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Samples taken for analysis ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 12 | 21 | 23 | 56 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed ... ... ... ... | 100 | 695 | 1,325 | 150 | 2,270 |
| Outside hawkers licensed ... ... ... ... ... ... | 650 | 714 | 619 | 450 | 2,433 |
| Food prosecutions ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 15 | 28 | 9 | 7 | 59 |
| House refuse prosecutions ... ... ... ... ... ... | 16 | 49 | 8 | 2 | 75 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions ... ... ... ... | 0 | 13 | 10 | 0 | 23 |
| Tons of ordure removed ... ... ... ... ... ... | 3,890 | 4,578 | 3,500 | 3,059 | 15,027 |
| Tons of house refuse removed ... ... ... ... ... | 6,540 | 3,879 | 2,504 | 1,981 | 14,904 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed ... ... ... | 2,350 | 745 | 191 | 377 | 3,663 |

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE MUNICIPAL LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Known as | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pooa Leao | Adelaida Rangel | N. Szechuen Road Extension | 3.5% added water |
| Yuen Chong | Yau Z Kya | M. 756 Avenue Road | 4.6% added water |
| Gordon Road | Tsu Oong Kwhe | Z. 1123 Gordon Road | Abstraction of fat |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK.

| | District Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 354 | 635 | 231 | 400 | 1620 |
| Rats plague infected ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation .... | 800 | 1000 | 750 | 400 | 2950 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1078 | 1513 | 855 | 727 | 4173 |
| Poisoned baits laid ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier ..... | 0 | 0 | 186 | 0 | 186 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

LABORATORY REPORT ON WATER.

Sample received June 2, 1920.

Report sent out June 4, 1920.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks water.

Physical Characters.—Slight opacity. Faintly bluish green colour. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 14.1 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 9.0 |
| (a) Temporary | 5.2 |
| (b) Permanent | 3.8 |
| Chlorine | 3.2 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.042 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.002 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.006 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° c. | 0.040 |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° and 37° C. showed an average of 26 and 8 microorganisms per c.c. respectively.

Organisms of the coli group were present in 5 c.c. and of the water upwards.

Report on Analysis.—The analytical data obtained show satisfactory purification.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.

Aerated water and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years, in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Electricity Department.

COMPARATIVE TABLE FOR QUARTERS ENDING MARCH, 1920.

| | 1919. | 1920. |
|---|---|---|
| Total lamps connected (equiv. 30 watts) | 770,894 | 868,240 |
| Lamps connected during quarter (Lighting) | 28,892 | 23,849 |
| Lamps connected during quarter (Heating) | 1,392 | 6,211 |
| House service connexions during quarter | 619 | 647 |
| Motors — horse power to date | 28.788 | 36.261 |
| Units generated | 29,881,973 | 38,990,973 |
| Units sold | 25,906,871 | 33,495,766 |
| Ratio between units generated and sold % | 86.70 | 85.91 |
| Private Lighting | 4,097,445 | 5,202,633 |
| Public Lighting | 309,419 | 322,265 |
| Heating | 505,929 | 783,0[illegible]7 |
| Power | 17,713,673 | 23,288,705 |
| Traction | 1,000,306 | 1,218,181 |
| Units accounted for | 2,280,099 | 2,680,975 |
| Coal tons | 35,258 | 61,507 |
| Coal per unit generated lbs. | 2.64 | 3.53 |
| Coal per unit sold lbs. | 3.05 | 4.11 |
| Oil gallons | 909 | 1,832 |
| Water " | 5,339,000 | 7,797,000 |

## Parks Report for April.

*Jessfield Park:—*

Despite the dilatoriness of the contractors in delivering materials, good progress in laying out was effected. Planting of trees and shrubs is completed for this season.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground:—*

To facilitate the development of the section on the Western side, when it becomes available, various groups of trees and shrubs were planted, together with a hedge along the future Boundary Road and a drive way connecting the present Kiangwan Road with the future Boundary Road, was marked out.

The planting of the children's playground is completed. To ensure shade, as rapidly as possible, trees and shrubs of a fair size and such as grow rapidly were employed. This section is ample, and there is now no reason for children of tender years entering the main section of the ground, where they are in danger, especially as their amahs neglect them and allow them to cross playing areas.

Parents, who do not accompany their children, are strongly advised to instruct their amahs to keep the children in their own section. The Avenue leading to the main entrance, which was increased in width, and suitably laid out last year, is much admired. This avenue demonstrates to what an extent the beauty and health of the Settlement would appreciate were it found possible to prolong it, so that it would link up the main parks. The idea of a Park Way merits consideration, for within the last decade, roads which by reason of the private gardens abutting thereon were pleasant to traverse are now devoid of gardens. Given continued progress, it is safe to prophecy that another decade will see the extinction of the gardens with their health-giving vegetation and attractive appearance in the main parts of the Settlement.

*General:—*

Band stands, chairs and seats were painted and repaired, and Summer houses were re-thatched.

*Sports:—*

The playing spaces in Hongkew Recreation Ground and Wayside Park were ready for use on May 1.

*Roadside trees:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total No. of trees planted | 37 |
| " " fastened | 2,322 |
| " " staked | 417 |
| " " pruned | 183 |
| " " topdressed | 1,668 |
| Bird-nests removed | 497 |

*Road Widening:—*

Total No. of trees transplated 250

*Trees, Shrubs, and Hedge-plants planted at:—*

| | Trees. | Shrubs. | Hedge plants. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Public Gardens | 61 | 307 | 120 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 1,383 | 415 | — |
| Public Recreation Ground | — | — | 250 |
| Jessfield Park | 783 | 1,019 | 503 |
| | 2,227 | 1,741 | 873 |

*Shrubs transplanted at Hongkew Recreation Ground* 94

*Plants bedded out at Public Garden* 600

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SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players. |
|---|---|
| Golf | 783 |
| Total of players | 783 |
| ,, non-players | 5,698 |
| ,, visitors | 6,481 |

*Turf laid at:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Public Gardens | 100 fong |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 320 ,, |
| Public Recreation Ground | 11 ,, |
| Bubbling Well Road | 105 ,, |
| Isolation Hospital | 40 ,, |
| Municipal Goal | 6 ,, |
| V. Nursing Home | 15 ,, |
| Public School for Girls in Western District | 14 ,, |
| Public School for Chinese | 8 fong |
| Sinza Police Station | 7 ,, |
| Louza Police Station | 4 ,, |
| | 630 fong |

D. MACGREGOR,
*Superintendent.*

Countersigned:
C. HARPUR,
Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項工程自應是本局承攬之條件由英文開列於下

二 本局有權將所有承攬之工程全份或一部分轉讓他人

三 所有承攬之工程必須由本局指定之人員到場檢驗合格後方准交付

四 所有承攬人各人之公司及代理人之姓名須明白寫在信內

五 本局有權取消所有承攬人之資格

六 所有承攬人之信內須附有公信一張或現金一張

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2715.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2725.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Municipal Loans will be closed from June 16, to June 30, both days inclusive.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 3, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2724.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Monday, June 21, 1920.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 10, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2726.**

**PRIVATE CARRIAGE LICENCES.**

THE following additional licence condition will be enforced from July 1, 1920:—

PRIVATE CARRIAGE.

(5A) That an approved number and a licence number plate be affixed to every vehicle in the presence of the Police, that such numbers be not transferable and that they remain at all times legible and undefaced.

For the purpose of affixing the number plate, all private carriages are required to be sent to the Vehicle Inspection Office at Gordon Road Police Station on any week day in June between the hours of 8 a.m. and noon and 2 p.m. and 5 p.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 10, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2727**

*(Translation)*

**LICENSING OF BROTHELS.**

THE date mentioned in Notification No. 2717 as that after which persons conducting a brothel without a licence will be liable to prosecution, is extended to Wednesday, June 30.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2728.**

*(Translation.)*

**PRIVATE RICSHA LICENCES.**

OWNERS of private ricshas are reminded that, in accordance with Resolution No. VII, passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers, held on April 7, the quarterly licence fee for private ricshas will be increased as from July 1, next, from $3 to $4 per quarter, payable quarterly in advance.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 12, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Parks Committee held on Friday, June 11, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present*:

Rev. Br. Faust (*Chairman*)
Mr. F. Ayscough

The meeting adjourned at 5 o'clock, p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, June 11, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were :—

*Present:*

Mr. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
Lieut.-Col. Hayley Bell, D.S.O.
Messrs. A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphrys
A. C. Hynes
W. P. Lambe
W. L. Merriman
W. C. Sprague

*Absent*:

Mr. D. McColl

The meeting adjourned at 6.45 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Monday, June 14, 1920, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were :—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith(*Chairman*)
D. Goh
H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 1.25 p m.

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AT the meeting of the Health Committee held on Monday, June 14, 1920, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were :—

*Present*:

Messrs. W. P. Lambe (*Chairman*)
H. H. Girardet
S. J. Halse
Drs. J. W. Jackson
R. J. Marshall

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, June 16, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith(*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 5.55 p.m.

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### Volunteer Corps.

*Staff.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, the commission of Major T. E. Trueman, which was renewed for a period of three years, in accordance with the minute published in the Municipal Gazette of November 21, 1912, and which lapsed on March 22, 1915, from which date Major Trueman was gazetted to be temporary Major in the British Army whilst commanding the Volunteer Corps, has been re-issued with effect from May 28, 1920 to January 13, 1921.

### Municipal Properties.

*Electricity Department, Depôt, Haiphong Road.*—Acquisition has been effected of Mow 5.044 of land required as a Depôt site, at the rate of Tls. 2,500 per mow, or a total of Tls. 12,610.

*Surplus Land, Avenue Edward VII.*—Negotiations have been concluded with Messrs. Moorhead and Halse for the sale to them of a piece of surplus land adjacent to Cadastral Lot 121, no longer required on the improved road line, at the assessed value of this lot, Tls. 40,000 per mow, or Tls. 10,600 for Mow 0.265.

### Easement.

The application of Messrs. H. S. Honigsberg & Co., Inc. has been approved, to install a 350 Gallon Gasolene Tank outside their premises, No. 40 Bubbling Well Road, on the following conditions :—

1. That the position of the tank be approved by the Commissioner of Public Works.
2. That the tank be removed, or its position changed at the expense of the owners whenever the Council may direct.
3. That the tank, and the connexions between it and the pump, be approved by the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade.
4. That an annual fee of Tls. 5 be paid for the privilege.

### Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | June 21 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | ,, 22 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | ,, 23 | 5.30 ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | ,, 24 | 5.30 ,, | ,, |
| Sat. | ,, 26 | 4.30 ,, | Public Recreation Ground |

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, June 13, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 2 | 5 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 22 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 5 | 146 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JUNE 12.

*Police Force.*—Henceforward the official designation of Mr. W. Armstrong, Chief Detective Officer, will be Director of Criminal Intelligence.

J. Watson is re-engaged as Sergeant from June 7, with seniority from January 16.

The following, having served the probationary period, are confirmed in the rank of Assistant Warder from the dates specified :—

W. R. Chisholm from June 1.
H. T. Hulbert from June 1.
H. C. Jackson from June 1.
W. Hall from June 1.
G. H. Craik from June 1.
A. B. Hogg from June 13.

*Electricity Department.* — The appointment of Miss O. Grant, Stenographer and Typist, is confirmed under agreement from May 16.

Charge Engineer D. S. Whyte is permitted to terminate his service on June 13.

Mr. L. G. Day is appointed Clerical Assistant on probation from June 16.

*Educational Department.* — The temporary service of Mrs. W. D. Anderson, Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, terminated on May 31.

The appointment of Miss M. V. Radcliffe, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is confirmed under an agreement from May 1, terminable at three months' notice.

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 353 | Fokien | Seng Yung Tai | | | dyers drying stage |
| 31 | Jinkee | E. D. Sassoon | | | water closet |
| 77D | Peking and Szechuen | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | office & flats |
| 14 | Yuen-ming-yuen | W. R. Loxley | | | water closet |
| 682 | Boone | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | bake-house & oven |
| 1855 | Kinchow | Zei Seng Kee | | | conservatory |
| 2555 | Yangtszepoo | Trollope & Colls | | | temporary workshops |
| W of 2755 | B'bling Well | H. M. Cumine | 1 | | conservatory |
| 6308 6309 | Off Ferry | Lien Shen Chee | | | factory |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 666 | Off Canton | Chon Shen Sing | | | addns. |
| 353 353A | Fokien, Chihli and Bun Tong Loong | S. V. Chen | 39 | | 2 gaio-houses |
| 650 | Hankow & Kwangse | S. A. Hardoon | 5 | | |
| W of 2755 | B'bling Well | H. M. Cumine | | | 4 bun-galows |
| 6308 6309 | Off Ferry | Lien Shen Chee | | | 3 bun-galows |
| W of 4303 | Tonquin | King Kee | | | 9 bun-galows |

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**Report of Commissioner of Police for May.**

**Strength of the Force on May 31.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 215 | |
| Japanese | 27 | |
| Sikhs | 685 | |
| Chinese | 1,462 | |
| | | 2,398 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 94 | |
| Followers | 231 | |
| | | 325 |
| | Total | 2,723 |

*Murder.*—On the night of May 21 a Chinese hawker was stabbed and killed by a companion on Sing Kee Pang Road. The murderer turned the knife on himself inflicting a serious wound which necessitated his removal to hospital where he is detained.

*Armed Robberies.*—Two reports of armed robberies from dwelling houses were received during the month, one in Hongkew and the other in Sinza District, and a highway robbery, in which no arms were used, took place in Hongkew District.

One person was arrested on a charge of attempted murder and armed robbery committed prior to May 1 and sentenced to imprisonment in the Municipal Gaol.

The two persons referred to in my report for April as being under remand on charges of robbery have been dealt with, one receiving a sentence of imprisonment and the charge against the other being dismissed.

*Execution for Offences committed in the Settlement.* — During the month three persons, who were tried and found guilty of being concerned in an attempted murder and robbery in the Settlement, were executed at Lunghua in the presence of a representative of the Municipal Police.

*Stolen Property.*—324 reports of property stolen were made during the month to the Police. In 128 cases investigations were made with successful results. The return shows an increase of 2 on the previous month and an increase of 42 on the corresponding month of last year.

*Bicycle and Ricsha Thefts.*—The theft of bicycles and private ricshas continues to be a frequent occurrence, the Police warnings in previous months having apparently failed to attract the necessary attention. Owners are warned not to leave these vehicles unattended and unsecured in the roadway or in the hallways of offices or public buildings.

The time may soon arrive when the Police will have to be empowered to bring to the Station any vehicles seen on the streets unprotected and in view of the number of bicycles now being used in the Settlement, it may be necessary, in the interests of the owners and the public, to license them and compel the fixing of an identification number plate.

*Strikes.*—Contrary to expectations, the month of May was remarkable for an absence of political agitation. Attempts to hold a monster demonstration on Labour Day (May 1) were unsuccessful as a result of precautionary measures taken by the Chinese and Settlement Authorities. The anniversary, May 4, of the attack on the house of the alleged pro-Japanese Official Tsao Jui-ling, as well as "National Disgrace Day" (May 9) passed off quietly, except that on the latter day shops dealing in school requisites were closed and several Chinese residents flew the national flag at half mast. The quietness experienced during May was doubtless due to the existence of Martial Law proclaimed on April 24 and still continued in a modified form. The closing on May 6 of the National Organizations' Union of China, No. 15/16 Yong Loh Lee, Rue Amiral Bayle, which deprived the agitators of their meeting places, also contributed to the general tranquillity.

Considerable discontent arose among the industrial classes during the month as a result of a 20 per cent. increase in the price of rice. No less than three strikes occurred. 200 tailors ceased work on May 16 but resumed on May 20 after being granted a 20 per cent. advance in wages. 200 girls employed in the knitting trade struck work on May 23 as a protest against a retention of a portion of their wages as "Guarantee Money" but the majority have since resumed. 80 Japanese shoemakers struck work for an increase of 30 per cent. on May 14, but the strikers, with a few exceptions, resumed unconditionally on May 22. Demands made by pigskin box makers, makers of soles for Chinese shoes, masons and carpenters for increase in wages were partially acceded to and strikes were thus avoided.

*Bolshevik Propaganda.*—There is no longer any room for doubt that General Chen Chin-ming of Changchowfu, Fokien, has openly declared his adherence to Bolshevism, and thereby given an unexpected fillip to communist propaganda in this country. Leaflets prepared for distribution in Shanghai on May Day and sentiments expressed at various gatherings during the month indicate the activity of local Bolshevik agitators. The collapse of the May Day celebration was without doubt a serious set back to their plans.

*Anti - Japanese Boycott.* — The "Boycott Bad Goods" Society, which remained quiet for a time, probably in consequence of the proclamation of Martial Law, has again become active. At meetings held in the Society's headquarters, No. 15 Sah Ts Loong, inside the new North Gate, on May 23 and 30, it was decided to canvass the Street Unions and certain shopkeepers with a view to the continuation of the boycott.

*Price of Rice.*—The present price of rice is complicating the local situation and gives cause for anxiety. The highest price reached was $10.20 and the lowest $9 per picul, that is to say $3 per picul over the normal price, and as long as the high price of rice continues, further strikes among artisans and labourers and robbery amongst the rougher classes may be expected. It is to be hoped that every effort will be made to relieve the present somewhat critical situation and that any profiteering that may be discovered will be punished with a heavy hand.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 541 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 178 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 126 records were received from the French Police out of which number 68 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For Identification | 667 |
| Identified | 246 |
| Percentage | 38 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 3 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 45 |
| Total deportees | 48 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 18.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 290 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 73 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 61 | *Second offenders.* |
| 36 | *Third offenders.* |
| 7 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 74 | *Habitual offenders* (serious). |
| 541 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for May*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. | Tls. 4,580.54 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 2,605.01 |
| Total | Tls. 1,975.53 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. 1,975.53 |

Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licenses suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.

K. J. McEuen,
*Commissioner of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:—* | |
| Assault | 7 |
| 2.—*Offences Against Property:—* | |
| Forgery | 1 |
| Larceny | 5 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:—* | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:—* | |
| Billiard Saloon | 1 |
| Dogs | 3 |
| Motor Car | 1 |
| Restaurants | 2 |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:* | |
| Arms, in possession of | 5 |
| Fire-arms, in possession of | 1 |
| Nuisance | 1 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Being of unsound mind and wandering | 1 |
| Disorderly conduct | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 7 |
| Failing to obey Police signal | 1 |
| In possession of Pistol ammunition | 2 |
| Misappropriation | 1 |
| Obstruction | 2 |
| Vagrancy | 2 |
| Riding a bicycle after sunset without a light | 1 |
| Unlawfully discharging fire-arms | 1 |
| Total | 46 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,740 | 1,740 |
| Others | 42 | 1,048 | 1,090 |
| Total | 42 | 2,788 | 2,830 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cases Withdrawn | 2 |
| Cautioned | 5 |
| Cautioned and fire-arms confiscated | 1 |
| Dismissed | 3 |
| Fined | 13 |
| Imprisonment | 12 |
| Imprisonment and Expulsion | 3 |
| Imprisonment and Fined | 1 |
| Remanded | 6 |
| Total | 46 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on May 31.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 6 |
| Louza Station | 11 |
| Hongkew Station | 13 |
| Harbin Road Station | — |
| West Hongkew Station | 7 |
| Wayside Station | 3 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | — |
| Sinza Station | 6 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 2 |
| Gordon Road Station | — |
| Gaol | 1,579 |
| Reformatory | 67 |
| Total | 1,694 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 1,037 | 312 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 1,037 | 312 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN May 1 and May 28, 1920.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 34,808.26 |
| Recovered | 11,225.71 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 30/4/20 | 36 | 281 |
| Captured | 245 | |
| Returned | 60 | 281 |
| Killed | 179 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 4 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 38 | |

## Report of the Acting Commissioner of Public Works for May.

The labour situation became acute during the month, and it was found necessary to suspend several public works. The nature of the work upon which the majority of the men are employed does not attract a very high type of labourer, and with the increased demand for all classes of labour in Shanghai, it is extremely difficult to obtain sufficient unskilled men physically able to do 9 hours work a day, when the work is of a particularly arduous nature, such, for example, as sewer trench work. These remarks apply particularly to the Central District, where work is for various reasons, extremely unpopular.

All daily rates of pay are on a copper coinage basis. The debasement and depreciation of copper 10-cash pieces has doubtless inflicted some hardship on the men, nevertheless a comparison of the silver value of wages drawn in 1906 and 1918 (when increased rates of pay were issued) with the value to-day, rather points to the fact that for a poor class of labourer living a hand-to-mouth existence, payment in copper has its advantages; he has for one thing, no exchange losses to suffer.

The lowest daily rate is that paid to street sweepers, who in 1906 received 25 ten-cash pieces per day, then equal to about $7.83 per month. In 1918 the rate was increased to 28 ten-cash pieces per day, then equal to $6.74 per month. Under the increased rates authorised for June, he will receive 32 ten-cash pieces per day, which upon May 31, was equivalent to about $6.92 per month.

There is invariably a shortage of available labour during the summer months, owing to an exodus to agricultural districts for better pay and more congenial work, and this exodus occurs when the demand for public works labour reaches a maximum. The high demand at this period is due to the commencement of works authorized by the passing of the Municipal Budget in April, and to various forms of asphalt work which cannot be carried out in cold weather.

It is confidently hoped that the revised rates of pay will bring about a material improvement, but whether the rates are sufficient to attract labour from distant centres is a point which will take some months to decide.

*Roads.*—Asphaltic concrete has been laid in Soochow Road between the Bund and Honan Road, with the exception of a section of the road adjoining Szechuen Road Bridge, which will need raising when the bridge is reconstructed.

Yuen-Ming-Yuen Road has been similarly treated, and work is now in progress in Kiangse Road, North of Nanking Road.

The widening of the Bund is in hand between Peking Road and Nanking Road, where a new surface drain is being laid, and the ground excavated for the purpose of laying spall foundations.

The stone pitching has been completed from Peking Road to Hankow Road and South of the Custom House so far as Canton Road. The rate of progress on this work is limited by the output of stone pitching at the Quarry. The statue of Sir Harry Parkes is being moved nearer the river front and the statute of Sir Robert Hart will be moved East. These two statues have to be moved as they come within the line of the proposed carriageway on the East side of the Bund.

An important widening is being effected in Bubbling Well Road, West of Myburgh Road.

A commencement has been made with the making up of Thibet Road between Peking Road and Soochow Road over the old Defence Creek.

Gordon Road is being ballasted and metalled for the full width of the carriageway between Ichang Road and Haiphong Road.

Penang Road is being raised and culverted between Kiaochow Road and Robison Road.

The following roads are being raised and formed:—

Linching Road between Pingliang Road and Yangtszepoo Road, Holung Road East of Yangtszepoo Road, Kueiyang Road between Pingliang Road and Yangtszepoo Road.

*Drainage.*—The creek in Yu Yuen Road is being culverted between Kiaochow Road and Hart Road.

The side ditch on Avenue Road has been culverted, between Gordon Road and Hardoon Road.

The sewer in Kwanghsin Road has been extended to the new Bund line.

A 12-in. drain sewer is being laid in Hailar Road, East of Urga Road.

*Creeks and Rivers.*—The passenger pontoons have been repaired and painted.

A concrete bunding is being constructed in West Soochow Road, East of Tatung Road, with the co-operation of the frontager concerned.

Extensive dredging is being done at the mouth of the Soochow Creek, and the channel is being partially diverted to the Northern side. So far, 2,000 fong of mud has been excavated, and is being largely used for raising roads in the Eastern District.

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

*Administration Buildings.*—Very satisfactory progress is being made with the work generally, and no effort is being spared to complete a part of the building so that the Finance Department can take possession of their rooms in September. A large part of the mosaic paving has been laid.

FIRE BRIGADE.

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—The laying of the concrete to the second floor has been completed, and progress made with the brick and stonework of the top storey and of the tower.

ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

*Administration Building Substation.*—Concretework for the second storey has been completed, and a portion of the centering for the top storey has been put in place.

*Tonquin Road Substation.*—The expanded metal screen round the first storey has been completed. The minor changes necessitated by the proposed extension, including the external staircase on the East side of the building, have also been completed.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—1,490 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month. Efforts are being concentrated upon the production of stone pitching for the Bund reclamation.

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*Cleansing and Watering.* *Total*

Road sweepings collected cartloads 4,530
Used for raising land 515
Water used for street watering 6,866,400 gallons.

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 3,261 |
| Artisans | 413 |
| Foremen | 242 |
| Mafoos | 155 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 8,570 pieces |
| Machine made | 3,690 ,, |
| Total | 12,287 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 127 admissions during the month and 231 bundles of wood chopped and 56 cubic feet of stone broken.

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 72 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates issued | 41 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 36 |
| New lots put under taxation | 19 |
| The assessed value of land placed under taxation is | Tls. 89,805 |
| Official plans prepared | 35 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 200 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 100 |
| Surveys made in connexion with road widenings and/or extensions | 60 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 72 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Central District | 7 |
| Eastern ,, | 16 |
| Western ,, | 1 |
| Outside Limits | 3 |

*New Buildings.*

| | |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 372 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 90 |
| Plans approved | 65 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 3,005 |
| Boundary walls erected | 704 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadways | 29 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 1,307 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 5 |
| Encroachments reported and rectified | 1 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 40 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 73 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by P.W.D. | 5 |
| First intimation notices issued | 5 |
| Total | 5 |

C. HARPUR,
*Acting Commissioner of Public Works.*

**Public Health Notice.**

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.
Food on which flies have settled.
*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.
*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.
Aerated water and other drinks unless of best quality.
Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.
Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.
Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.
Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years, in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Rabies or Hydrophobia.**

THE DISEASE.—Rabies or hydrophobia is an acute fatal disease, generally communicated to man through a wound made by the teeth of some infected animal, the saliva being the infective medium. Dogs, cats, goats, cows, horses, and other animals are susceptible to the disease and their bites are very dangerous. Hydrophobia may also be contracted by allowing the saliva (froth) of an infected animal to come in contact with a cut or scratch. This sometimes happens in adjusting muzzles, in trying to remove what seems to be a bone in the throat, or in giving medicines. The saliva may be virulent (poisonous) for one or two days before a dog shows any signs of being sick.

SYMPTOMS.—The disease in the dog appears in two forms. In the furious type, he may suddenly leave home, wandering off for many miles, perhaps, to return in a day or two emaciated, wounded, and

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utterly changed. During the time of "running mad" he may have bitten many persons and other animals. He seems impelled to bite anything that comes in his way. He cannot be said, as a rule, to fight with other dogs. He bites them and passes on, but does not go out of his way very much to attack them. His main object seems to be to keep moving, as if to escape something. The dumb variety is characterized by progressive paralysis of the lower jaw, change in character of bark, and marked nervousness. The animal may appear very affectionate, but may bite without warning. Death usually results in from three to six days from the onset of sickness.

WHAT TO DO WITH A SUSPECTED ANIMAL.—When an animal is suspected of having this disease it should be captured at once, if possible, and securely confined. A veterinary surgeon should be called to see the dog, or the circumstance should be reported to the nearest Police Station where they will arrange without payment for the transfer of the dog to the Observation Kennel under the care of the Health Officer.

Dogs, suspected of rabies, should, if possible, be captured alive; but they may be killed, if danger of any person being bitten can thereby be avoided. The reason being that if preserved alive it can be ascertained in a day or two whether the animal has rabies, while if killed it usually takes fourteen days to find out.

When other dogs have been bitten by a rabid dog they should either be killed immediately or [illegible] over to the charge of a ve[illegible] surgeon.

WHAT TO DO WHEN BITTEN. [illegible] bite of any animal should be [illegible] ed throughout its depth and [illegible] terized as soon as possible [illegible] doctor.

The person bitten should co[illegible] the Health Officer to see if Pa[illegible] Treatment is necessary.

It is absolutely necessary [illegible] persons bitten by rabid animal[illegible] animals suspected of rabies to [illegible] the Pasteur Treatment. Thi[illegible] given at the Municipal He[illegible] Office and takes about three we[illegible] The fee for Pasteur Treatment [illegible] Tls. 50 reducible in cases [illegible] necessity.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Summary of Revenue for May.**

| Description | Estimate for 1920 | 1920 | | | 1919 | | | 1918 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 |
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,055,000 | — | 144,918.38 | 359,125.32 | — | 210,545.59 | 320,319.70 | — | 190,623.57 | 335,022.12 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 861,000 | — | 93,087.03 | 377,335.25 | — | 71,853.62 | 289,309.12 | — | 62,587.60 | 292,639.23 |
| Chinese | 1,285,000 | — | 98,813.31 | 620,881.85 | — | 76,762.42 | 465,503.34 | — | 81,529.43 | 455,586.58 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | 470.78 | 1,119.03 | — | 648.60 | 685.50 | — | 557.30 | 893.55 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 350,000 | — | — | 85,245.86 | — | — | 49,711.07 | — | — | 42,913.61 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | 9 | 622.00 | 7,641.00 | 9 | 659.00 | 7,545.00 | 4 | 251.00 | 8,868.00 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 25,000 | 2 | 100.00 | 13,037.50 | 6 | 362.50 | 12,162.50 | 1 | 75.00 | 11,650.00 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 600 | 3 | 15.00 | 291.00 | 5 | 27.00 | 283.00 | 1 | 2.00 | 200.00 |
| Eating House | 10,000 | 422 | 1,284.47 | 4,421.71 | 396 | 1,308.88 | 3,900.69 | 202 | 1,315.69 | 4,207.25 |
| Chinese Club | 5,100 | 1 | 25.00 | 2,466.70 | 4 | 100.00 | 2,441.70 | 1 | 25.00 | 1,958.35 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13,000 | 1 | 40.00 | 5,732.00 | 1 | 2.50 | 6,071.50 | 1 | 15.00 | 6,390.00 |
| Foreign Lodging-house | — | 86 | 62.67 | 62.67 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 86,000 | 541 | 3,399.70 | 13,608.10 | 708 | 5,939.90 | 16,094.45 | 651 | 4,257.50 | 17,588.25 |
| Tea-shop | 17,000 | 627 | 1,357.00 | 6,781.00 | 645 | 1,393.00 | 6,989.00 | 673 | 1,334.50 | 6,679.50 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 7,000 | 38 | 271.63 | 3,378.50 | 119 | 848.99 | 3,281.91 | 184 | 673.65 | 2,851.51 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,500 | 17 | 600.00 | 2,566.50 | 14 | 516.00 | 2,455.00 | 17 | 339.00 | 1,709.00 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 21 | 769.00 | 3,705.00 | 18 | 709.00 | 3,505.00 | 18 | 545.00 | 3,285.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 3,200 | 22 | 287.00 | 1,067.00 | 19 | 323.00 | 1,235.00 | 14 | 245.00 | 974.00 |
| Pawn-shop | 33,000 | — | — | 7,712.80 | 61 | 1,759.49 | 9,849.66 | 1 | 11.12 | 7,856.99 |
| Exchange Shop | 9,000 | 441 | 1,036.00 | 2,041.50 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tobacco Shop | 15,000 | 850 | 1,848.50 | 3,459.50 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,700 | 847 | 520.64 | 2,552.38 | 974 | 579.53 | 2,607.32 | 885 | 547.15 | 2,658.01 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,200 | 65 | 94.38 | 461.12 | 63 | 92.48 | 472.38 | 67 | 97.15 | 476.66 |
| Launch | 3,500 | 26 | 52.00 | 1,933.00 | 25 | 50.00 | 1,723.00 | 30 | 60.00 | 1,510.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,433 | 340.24 | 1,868.58 | 1,406 | 338.16 | 1,694.90 | 1,343 | 316.41 | 1,689.71 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 166 | 120.91 | 458.03 | 190 | 139.59 | 436.13 | 164 | 119.18 | 426.35 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 10,000 | P. 32<br>C. 9 | 60.25 | 5,127.28 | P. 15<br>C. 7 | 38.27 | 5,281.89 | P. 32<br>C. 19 | 95.83 | 5,869.58 |
| Livery Stable | 11,000 | P. 305<br>C. 283 | 1,052.39 | 4,699.27 | P. 408<br>C. 259 | 1,062.82 | 5,217.95 | P. 408<br>C. 248 | 1,014.61 | 4,934.73 |
| Motor Vehicles | 70,000 | V. 173<br>D. 448 | 1,769.25 | 33,949.95 | 137 | 1,024.67 | 22,193.15 | 96 | 701.97 | 17,736.71 |
| Cart | 37,000 | 2,439 | 3,432.00 | 17,383.50 | 2,045 | 2,912.00 | 15,063.50 | 1,712 | 2,462.00 | 13,205.50 |
| Private Ricsha | 70,000 | 226 | 327.01 | 30,612.78 | 160 | 1,321.01 | 26,931.39 | 149 | 234.96 | 25,308.47 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,728.35 | 58,352.30 | 8,000 | 11,708.95 | 57,631.30 | 8,000 | 11,656.35 | 57,543.15 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 3 | 6.52 | 46.01 | 2 | 6.60 | 60.59 | 3 | 8.70 | 65.85 |
| Wheel-barrow | 53,000 | 9,750 | 4,877.16 | 23,607.70 | 8,704 | 4,354.64 | 21,481.40 | 8,471 | 4,241.84 | 20,571.72 |
| Firearms | 500 | — | — | 150.00 | — | — | 75.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 150.00 |
| Dog | 8,000 | 98 | 356.85 | 3,819.39 | 170 | 624.36 | 2,794.33 | 239 | 347.55 | 2,330.72 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 118,840 | 6,246 | 9,913.18 | 47,298.20 | 6,071 | 9,617.33 | 44,468.79 | 5,220 | 8,383.38 | 43,537.58 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | 270.00 | 1,000.00 | — | 140.00 | 410.00 | — | 130.00 | 130.00 |
| Firemen's Quarters | — | — | — | — | — | 224.00 | 765.50 | — | 214.00 | 821.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 6,000 | — | 451.06 | 1,926.87 | — | 72.58 | 1,975.08 | — | 480.00 | 2,325.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 331.00 | 1,016.88 | — | 330.16 | 1,031.92 | — | 319.12 | 657.84 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 26,800 | — | — | 17,642.86 | — | — | 16,741.10 | — | — | 21,870.30 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | — | 250.00 | — | — | 250.00 | — | — | 250.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co., Ld. | 7,330 | — | 7,331.50 | 7,331.50 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 62,000 | — | — | 15,221.91 | — | — | 12,739.30 | — | — | 11,365.00 |
| Electricity Department | 309,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Convict Labour | 7,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concreteware Manufactory | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 8,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,742,870 | | 392,042.16 | 1,798,389.30 | | 408,398.09 | 1,443,389.04 | | 375,892.36 | 1,436,226.27 |

F. A. SAMPSON, *Acting Commissioner of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

**CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.**

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

**工部局承攬信章程**

一 所有承攬各項本局各部承攬事件自有本局所有公信合人行未所擬所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 凡有本局所有以有到定估定有份係本局各項本局承攬事件自有本局所有目所承保後該承擬辦理亦有極利益

三 擬承攬者須將本人之信合人局如是權

四 本局所有後人照覽不承低

五 本局所有後人之同辦承低價

六 本局所有後人及辦理認辦本局

本局所有後人之信合人局如是權

本局所有後人照覽不承低

本局所有後人之同辦承低價

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2702.**
**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**
**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2715.**
**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**
**Amount £750,000**
**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2687.**
**LOAN OF 1900.**

THE debentures outstanding under the Municipal Loan of 1900 will be paid on presentation at the Finance Department, if properly endorsed by the registered owner, on and after June 30, 1920, from which date interest will cease.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2726.**
**PRIVATE CARRIAGE LICENCES.**

THE following additional licence condition will be enforced from July 1, 1920:—

PRIVATE CARRIAGE.

(5A) That an approved number and a licence number plate be affixed to every vehicle in the presence of the Police, that such numbers be not transferable and that they remain at all times legible and undefaced.

For the purpose of affixing the number plate, all private carriages are required to be sent to the Vehicle Inspection Office at Gordon Road Police Station on any week day in June between the hours of 8 a.m. and noon and 2 p.m. and 5 p.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 10, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2727**
*(Translation)*
**LICENSING OF BROTHELS.**

THE date mentioned in Notification No. 2717 as that after which persons conducting a brothel without a licence will be liable to prosecution, is extended to Wednesday, June 30.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2728.**
*(Translation.)*
**PRIVATE RICSHA LICENCES.**

OWNERS of private ricshas are reminded that, in accordance with Resolution No. VII, passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers, held on April 7, the quarterly licence fee for private ricshas will be increased as from July 1, next, from $3 to $4 per quarter, payable quarterly in advance.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 12, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2729.**

THE Council requires a furnished or unfurnished house of at least five rooms in the Western District, or Western District Extension, as a residence for the Commandant of the Volunteer

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Corps. Particulars of accommodation, rent, length of lease, etc., should be addressed to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 18, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2730.
### SPECIAL TAX ON PREMISES OUTSIDE SETTLEMENT LIMITS.

OCCUPANTS of premises situate outside Settlement limits but served by Municipal roads and supplied with water by the Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld., or with electricity by the Municipal Electricity Department, or connected with the telephone system of the Shanghai Mutual Telephone Co., Ld., are reminded that, in accordance with Resolution No. VII, passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers, held on April 7, they are required as from July 1, 1920, to pay a special Municipal Tax of 12 instead of 7 per cent. on the assessed rentals of such premises, payable quarterly in advance.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 24, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2731.
### MIDSUMMER HOLIDAYS.

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Thursday and Friday, July 1 and 2, 1920.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 24, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Thursday, June 17, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
D. Goh
H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p m.

AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, June 18, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Mr. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
Lieut.-Col. Hayley Bell, D.S.O.
Messrs. A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphrys
A. C. Hynes
W. P. Lambe
W. L. Merriman

*Absent:*

Messrs. D. McColl
W. C. Sprague

The meeting adjourned at 7.15 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, June 23, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent:*

Messrs. H. H. Girardet
D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 5.55 p.m.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Engineers.*—Eight months' leave is granted to Captain J. T. W. Brooke from June 24.

### Pootung Cemetery.

Request by the Rev. A. Haovisee for permission to use the Pootung Cemetery as a burial ground, with reply:—

Loh Ka-tse, May 29, 1920.

SIR,—The small burial ground of the Loh Ka-tse parish church (Pootung) has become utterly inadequate to answer the wants of the Christian population.

The whole extent is almost filled up, sometimes with four layers of coffins deep. If the death rate is the same as last year, the purchase of a new piece of ground is urgently needed.

Besides the point of view of the respect due to the dead, the public salubrity has its claim here too, as the coffins unavoidably kept in the open air are a constant threat of infection for the whole neighbourhood.

Now the total amount required for the purchase of the necessary ground would be rather high and the pecuniary resources of our people are quite inadequate for the purpose.

But near the Loh Ka-tse parish church is a cemetery (Pootung cemetery) with a good part till now unoccupied. Consequently, would it be permitted to suggest some intention about this part of Pootung cemetery. If you could kindly allow us only this part quite unoccupied for the burial-place of our Christians, we could according to the regulations of the cemetery clean it and keep it in good condition and so it would not be necessary to disaffect it what is, no doubt much more suitable to the respect due to the dead.

Well aware of the kind interest you show to the working classes, I take the liberty to beg you and the Municipal Council kindly to grant the execution of that charitable plan.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. HAOVISEE, S.J.,
*Missionary now in charge Loh Ka-tse parish church, Pootung.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 22, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 29, requesting permission to use the Pootung Cemetery as a burial ground for your parishioners.

In reply thereto, I am directed to inform you that this Cemetery was officially closed in 1904. It contained 1,783 bodies but a few were exhumed and reinterred in the Bubbling Well Cemetery. It may be that you have gained the impression that in some cases absence of head-stones and recession of ground means vacant land, but except for isolated spaces resulting from exhumation, no vacant ground exists.

I am directed therefore to inform you with regret that the Council cannot entertain your request.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Rev. A. HAOVISEE,
Missionary in Charge,
Loh Ka-tse Parish Church,
Pootung.

### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Liaoyang Road.*—Messrs. J. P. Bisset & Company have agreed to surrender without compensation Mow 0.151 of land ex Cadastral Lot 3612, required in connexion with this road widening.

*Siccawei Road, Surplus Land.*—With reference to the note contained in the Gazette of April 17, 1919, on the subject of the purchase of a piece of unregistered land for the Siccawei Road, the owner has now consented to sell the remainder of his small property measuring Mow 0.052, South of Cadastral Lot 2585, for a sum of Tls. 300.

*Siccawei Road.*—Arrangements have been concluded with the native owner concerned for the acquisition of Mow 0.514 of unregistered land required in connexion with this road widening for a lump sum of Tls. 4,009. Of the total area Mow 0.226 is required as road land, the balance of Mow 0.288 remaining as surplus land.

*Yuyuen Road.*—Acquisition has been completed of Mow 0.103 of land ex B.C. Lot 8045, required in connexion with this road, from the owners Messrs. Algar & Co., Ld., for the sum of Tls. 124.

### Public School for Girls.

*National Froebel Union Examination.*—The Council has been notified that the Higher Certificate, Part II of the National Froebel Union has been awarded to Miss F. MacGregor, Assistant Mistress, who gained two first class distinctions and two second.

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## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JUNE 19.

*Health Department.*—Mr. J. G. Gardner is appointed Sanitary Overseer on probation from May 27.

*Public Works Department.*—The appointments of Mr. H. F. Barnes and Mr. C. H. Hopkins, Engineering Assistants, are confirmed under agreements from June 1.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. L. Meyer is appointed Power Department Assistant on probation from June 7.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. E. Drake, temporary Music Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is permitted to terminate her service on June 19.

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 53A | Foochow | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | stable and quarters |
| 274 | Foochow & Shantung | " | | 4 | |
| 71 | Hongkong | Horace Hanbury | | | water closet |
| 71 | " | Percy Tilley | | | garage |
| 41c | Kiukiang & Szechuen | Stewardson & Spence | | | altns. & addns. |
| 384 | Nanking | King Kee | | | " |
| 249 | Nanking & Yu Sing Ka | Percy Tilley | | 1 | |
| 1421 | Kungping | C. Luthy | 1 | | |
| 3612 | Thorburn | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | laundry |
| 7220 | Off Ward | American Drug Co. | | | water closet |
| 2465 | Whashing | The Pacific Trading Co. | | | godown |
| 2755 | B'bling Well | H. M. Cumine | | | garage, quarters & wall |
| 2350 | Off Great Western | D. E. J. Abraham | | | water closet |
| 2350 | " | Moorhead & Halse | | | addns. |
| 6200 | Off Kiaochow | " | | | school |
| E of & S of 1858 | Off Weihaiwei | The Wei Ta Kung Sze | | | factory |
| 4608 | Mokanshan | Lin Yuen Dah | 1 | | servants quarters, latrine & wall |
| 3162 | Off Medhurst | Tsai Sing Tai | | | conservatory |
| S of 5779 | Off Penang | Yao An Kee | | | 2 gatehouses |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 274 | Foochow & Shantung | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | 27 | | |
| 261 | Shantung & Foochow | Tsao Vah Shun | | | altns. |
| 303 & E of 301 | N. Fokien | Brandt & Rodgers | 38 | | |
| E of 7182 | Ward | Wong Yu Keng | 8 | | 4 bungalows |
| 376 | East Yalu | Chin Wing Shan | | | 1 hong |
| S of 5014 | Off Ferry | Naigai Wata Kaisha | | | 9 bungalows and latrine |

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, June 20, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 32 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 1 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 146 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Mixed Court Report for May.

The undermentioned foreigners who are not recognized by any Consulate in Shanghai were before the Court on criminal charges:—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| Edward Wahlstrom | Finn | Drunk and Incapable | 8 month' impt. |
| Adolf Laze alias Victor Zamaraiff | Lett | Misappropriation | Withdrawn |

The outstanding feature in connexion with Criminal Cases was the number of persons sentenced to imprisonment, a total of 235 which is the highest for any one month since July, 1918.

During the month the Court tried:—

232 cases of larceny as against 227 in April.
15 cases of gambling as against 147 in April.

There were only two cases of robbery, which is the lowest on record since August, 1915.

The number of charges against chauffeurs remains up to the general average. Of the 59 cases this month, all the accused were found guilty and punished by the infliction of a fine of $10 or under, except ten persons whose fines ranged from $15 to $50.

Twenty-two foreign civil cases were filed during the month. There are thirty cases on the hearing list of which thirteen are awaiting a first hearing.

Thirty-two Chinese civil cases are awaiting a first hearing as against 38 at the end of April.

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with; Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

F. L. WAINWRIGHT,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
K. J. MCEUEN,
Commissioner of Police.

OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| 1.—Offences Against the Person:— | |
| Abductions | 5 |
| Assaults | 56 |
| Attempted Suicides | 4 |
| Intimidations | 4 |
| Murders | 4 |
| 2.—Offences Against Property:— | |
| Arson (or Criminal Negligence) | 3 |
| Burglaries | 18 |
| Cruelty to animals | 7 |
| Embezzlement | 4 |
| Extortion (obtaining money by threats) | 13 |
| False Pretences | 3 |
| Frauds | 4 |
| Godown-breaking | 6 |
| House-breaking | 2 |
| Larcenies | 232 |
| Malicious Damage | 6 |
| Receiving stolen property | 3 |
| Robberies | 2 |
| 3.—Offences of a Public Nature:— | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 28 |
| Carts | 32 |
| Dairies | 3 |
| Dogs | 11 |
| Foodshops | 2 |
| Hawkers | 67 |
| Lodging Houses | 2 |
| Motor cars | 59 |
| Opium | 57 |
| Ricshas | 1,802 |
| Tea-shops | 4 |
| Wheel-barrows | 73 |
| Wine-shops | 6 |
| Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| Fireworks | 7 |
| House refuse | 57 |
| Indecent Advertisement | 4 |
| Kerosene Oil | 1 |
| Lotteries | 1 |
| Nuisances | 961 |
| Prostitutes | 19 |
| Straw | 1 |
| Traffic | 106 |
| Coining | 5 |
| Coin. Uttering Counterfeit | 5 |
| Disorderly Conduct | 83 |
| Gambling | 15 |
| Loitering with intent | 15 |
| Obstructing the Police | 4 |
| Returning after expulsion | 5 |
| Trafficking in Women or Children | 2 |
| Vagrancy | 2 |
| 4.—Miscellaneous Cases | 24 |
| TOTAL | 3,839 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2943 |
| Cases withdrawn | 7 |
| Cautioned | 17 |
| Dismissed | 78 |
| Expulsion | 7 |
| Fined | 411 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 10 |
| Imprisonment | 235 |
| " and expulsion | 104 |
| Left to Civil Court | 2 |
| Reformatory | 1 |
| Released on Security | 5 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 4 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 14 |
| Sent to French Police | 1 |
| TOTAL | 3,839 |

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WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On May 1 | 49 |
| Received | 28 |
| Released | 25 |
| On May 31 | 52 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 193 |
| " served | 225 |
| Warrants issued | 32 |
| " executed | 12 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 3 |
| " executed | 1 |
| " withdrawn | 1 |
| Summonses issued | 32 |
| " served | 21 |
| " withdrawn | 4 |
| Persons apprehended on Warrants | 1 |
| " summoned | 21 |
| Sealing orders issued | 37 |
| " " executed | 10 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 21 |
| " " withdrawn | 6 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 4 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 93 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 50 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 70 |
| " heard | 93 |
| " in course of hearing | 28 |
| " concluded | 78 |
| " awaiting first hearing on May 31 | 32 |
| Summonses issued | 84 |
| " served | 81 |
| " withdrawn | 9 |
| Warrants issued | 34 |
| " executed | 7 |
| " withdrawn | 6 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | [illegible] |
| " summoned | [illegible] |
| " failed to appear on fix[illegible] | [illegible] |
| Sealing orders issued | [illegible] |
| " " executed | [illegible] |
| " " not executed (o[illegible] | [illegible] |
| " " withdrawn | [illegible] |
| Re-opening orders executed | [illegible] |
| Ejectment " " | [illegible] |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | [illegible] |
| Bonds accepted | [illegible] |
| " rejected | [illegible] |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On May 1 | [illegible] |
| Received | [illegible] |
| Released | [illegible] |
| On May 31 | [illegible] |

SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| K. Sakamoto | Japanese | Dzung Kyi-meu | Tls. 3,397.61 | Proceeding |
| W. Ulrich & Co. | Russian | Dzung Tsz-yien | Tls. 15,000 | do. |
| M. L. Szyryukowski | do. | Jang Kyung-kyi alias Jang Ah-woo | $171 | do. |
| Hummel & Ambrose | British | Yau Jing-foo *et al* | $1,000 | do. |
| William Katz | American | Ka Kyung-sing | Tls. 21,174.48 | do. |
| Zih Tsz-Bae | Portuguese | Zih Tu-sung | Tls. 50,000 | do. |

## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.

Aerated water and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years, in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat- and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Rabies or Hydrophobia.

THE DISEASE.—Rabies or hydrophobia is an acute fatal disease, generally communicated to man through a wound made by the teeth of some infected animal, the saliva being the infective medium. Dogs, cats, goats, cows, horses, and other animals are susceptible to the disease and their bites are very dangerous. Hydrophobia may also be contracted by allowing the saliva (froth) of an infected animal to come in contact with a cut or scratch. This sometimes happens in adjusting muzzles, in trying to remove what seems to be a bone in the throat, or in giving medicines. The saliva may be virulent (poisonous) for one or two days before a dog shows any signs of being sick.

SYMPTOMS.—The disease in the dog appears in two forms. In the furious type, he may suddenly leave home, wandering off for many miles, perhaps, to return in a day or two emaciated, wounded, and utterly changed. During the time of "running mad" he may leave

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bitten many persons and other animals. He seems impelled to bite anything that comes in his way. He cannot be said, as a rule, to fight with other dogs. He bites them and passes on, but does not go out of his way very much to attack them. His main object seems to be to keep moving, as if to escape something. The dumb variety is characterized by progressive paralysis of the lower jaw, change in character of bark, and marked nervousness. The animal may appear very affectionate, but may bite without warning. Death usually results in from three to six days from the onset of sickness.

WHAT TO DO WITH A SUSPECTED ANIMAL.—When an animal is suspected of having this disease it should be captured at once, if possible, and securely confined. A veterinary surgeon should be called to see the dog, or the circumstance should be reported to the nearest Police Station where they will arrange without payment for the transfer of the dog to the Observation Kennel under the care of the Health Officer.

Dogs, suspected of rabies, should, if possible, be captured alive; but they may be killed, if danger of any person being bitten can thereby be avoided. The reason being that if preserved alive it can be ascertained in a day or two whether the animal has rabies, while if killed it usually takes fourteen days to find out.

When other dogs have been bitten by a rabid dog they should either be killed immediately or handed over to the charge of a veterinary surgeon.

WHAT TO DO WHEN BITTEN.—The bite of any animal should be cleaned throughout its depth and cauterized as soon as possible by a doctor.

The person bitten should come to the Health Officer to see if Pasteur Treatment is necessary.

It is absolutely necessary for persons bitten by rabid animals or animals suspected of rabies to have the Pasteur Treatment. This is given at the Municipal Health Office and takes about three weeks. The fee for Pasteur Treatment is Tls. 50 reducible in cases of necessity.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

## Public Band.

TARIFF.

The charge for the services of the Band is Tls. 40, and of a Half-Band, consisting of not less than three European and twelve Manila musicians, Tls. 25 per hour or part of an hour.

The services of a smaller number of musicians may be engaged at the rate per hour or part thereof of Tls. 3 for European, and Tls. 1.50 for Manila musicians. In a group numbering less than a Half-Band, the following charge is made for the services of the piano player:—

| per hour or part thereof | |
|---|---|
| European | Manilaman |
| Tls. 1.50 | Tls. 1.00 |

Where not less than a Half-Band is engaged, one rehearsal is permitted without fee, all other rehearsals are charged for at one-third of the above rates.

For the services of a soloist an additional fee of Tls. 25 is charged, inclusive of such rehearsals as are necessary.

Discounts during a season shall be allowed on Full and Half-Bands as follows:—

after 3 performances 20%
,, 8 ,, 40%

Discounts are not allowed on groups of less than a Half-Band or on rehearsals.

The cost of conveyance of musicians for distances beyond a radius of 1 mile from the Municipal Offices, Kiangse Road, must be defrayed by the persons engaging them.

The European musicians are allowed to give private music lessons, with the Conductor's permission obtained in each case.

Applications for engagements and cancellations should be addressed to the Assistant Secretary of Council, Municipal Offices, not less than 24 hours notice should be given in each case. Inquiries concerning details as to performances, music required, etc., may be made of the Conductor direct (Telephone Central 1191).

## Studley Park.

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.
2.—The Park is opened daily to the Public from daylight to dusk.
3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.
4.—Dogs are not admitted.
5.—The playing of organised games is prohibited; also the use of solid balls in children's games.
6.—Birdnesting, climbing trees, or otherwise damaging the trees, shrubs, or grass is strictly prohibited; visitors and others in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.
7.—The Police have intructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 16, 1917.

## The Point Garden.

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.
2.—The Park is opened daily to the Public from daylight to dusk.
3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.
4.—Horses, ponies, vehicles and bicycles are not admitted.
5.—Dogs are not admitted unless properly muzzled and led on leash.
6.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers or otherwise damaging the shrubs, plants or grass is strictly prohibited; visitors and other persons in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.
7.—Shooting, lighting fires and playing ball games are strictly prohibited.
8.—The Police have instructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 7, 1918.

## Concreteware Manufactory.

The following is the price list of drain pipes and other articles manufactured. The prices quoted are ex Depôt in Fearon Road near Range Road. Applications for delivery orders should be made at the Public Works Office, 7A The Bund.

| Size | Length | Description | Price in Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12″ | 2′0″ | Pipes (machine made) | 0.80 |
| 9″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.60 |
| 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.40 |
| 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.28 |
| 12″ x 9″ | 2′0″ | Junctions | 1.60 |
| 12″ x 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.45 |
| 12″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.35 |
| 9″ x 6″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.15 |
| 9″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 1.05 |
| 6″ x 4″ | 2′0″ | ,, | 0.80 |
| 6″ | | Knuckle Bends 90° | 0.50 |
| 4″ | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| 6″ | | Bends (long) 45° | 0.50 |
| 4″ | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. A. (without cover) | 0.40 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Yard Gullies Fig. B. (without cover) | 1.25 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.25 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.60 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. C. (without cover) | 0.45 |
| | | Concrete covers for same | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers for same | 0.20 |
| | | Revolving Top Gullies incl. C.I. cover | 0.75 |
| 3′ 0″x2′0″ | 3′0″ | Egg-shaped Tubes | 4.50 |
| 2′ 3″x1′6″ | 3′0″ | ,, ,, | 3.10 |
| 1′ 6″x1′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, ,, | 1.70 |
| 3′ 0″ | 3′0″ | Circular Tubes } Price on application | |
| 4′ 6″ | 4′0″ | ,, ,, } Price on application | |
| | 3′0″ | Inverts for 12″ pipes | 0.80 |
| 3′ 0″x2′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 2.20 |
| 2′ 3″x1′6″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 1.75 |
| 1′ 6″x1′0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 0.85 |
| 3′ 0″ | 3′0″ | ,, Circular Tubes | 4.10 |
| 2′ 0″x2′0″ | 1′0″ | Manhole shafts (large) | 3.00 |
| 2′ 0″x2′0″ | 6″ | ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| 1′ 5″x1′5″ | 6″ | ,, Top Frames | 2.55 |
| 3′10″x1′4″ | 5¾″ | ,, Slabs (large) | 2.90 |
| 3′ 0″x1′5″ | 2¾″ | ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| | | ,, Bricks No. 34a | 0.03½ |
| | | ,, ,, 34b | 0.03½ |
| | | Blind manhole cover (large) | 2.50 |
| | | Blind manhole cover (small) | 1.00 |
| 1′ 6″x1′4″ | 12″ | Street Pot Gullies (bottom) } Street Pot Gullies (top) } | 6.50 |
| 5″ x 2″ | 4′0″ | Kerbs | 0·90 |
| 5″ x 4″ | 4′0″ | Channels | 0·90 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 3′3″ | Pavement Tubes | 1.20 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 2′3″ | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4″ x 3″ | 2′0″ | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4″ | 9″ | ,, Sockets | 0.38 |
| 3″ | 9″ | ,, ,, | 0.38 |
| 4′0″ x 2′0″ | | Kitchen Sinks | 5.50 |
| 2′6″ x 2′0″ | | ,, ,, | 4.00 |
| 12″ x 4″ | 3′0″ | Boundary Stones | 2.65 |
| | 2′ | M. C. R. Stones | 0.85 |
| | 4′ | ,, ,, | 1.00 |
| 4′0″ x 1′6″ | | Grave Slabs per set of 6 | 9.00 |
| 4′0″ x 1′0″ | | ,, ,, 2 | 2.10 |
| | 18′ | Bearing Pile } Prices on application | |
| | 14′ | ,, ,, } Prices on application | |
| | 10′ | Sheet Pile } Prices on application | |
| | 7′6″ | ,, ,, } Prices on application | |
| | | Fence Post } Prices on application | |
| | | Ridge Tile | 0.27 |
| | | Square Tile | 0.05½ |
| | 2′5¾″ | Sidewalk Slab } Prices on application | |
| | 1′11¾″ | ,, ,, } Prices on application | |
| | 0 11¾″ | ,, ,, } Prices on application | |

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 應有承攬者自備本局自有標準之價目表及本局認定之低價目表如有不准用之估價表亦不承辦者本局自有權不承認付款之人亦有權退還一切投標人之保證金

二 所有承攬者必須自己辦理本局之信函及公告之人之名單若須付郵費則登入本局之公告牌以後本局所有之承攬人之名單及公告牌以後本局所有之承攬人之名單及公告牌以後本局所有之承攬人之名單及

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2715.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2733.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6% STERLING LOAN 1920.**

**Amount £750,000.**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan, particulars of which are contained in Municipal Notification No. 2715, will remain open until July 31. The total of applications received will be published weekly in the Municipal Gazette.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2687.**

**LOAN OF 1900.**

THE debentures outstanding under the Municipal Loan of 1900 will be paid on presentation at the Finance Department, if properly endorsed by the registered owner, on and after June 30, 1920, from which date interest will cease.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2727**

*(Translation)*

**LICENSING OF BROTHELS.**

THE date mentioned in Notification No. 2717 as that after which persons conducting a brothel without a licence will be liable to prosecution, is extended to Wednesday, June 30.

By order,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2729.**

THE Council requires a furnished or unfurnished house of at least five rooms in the Western District, or Western District Extension, as a residence for the Commandant of the Volunteer Corps. Particulars of accommodation, rent, length of lease, etc., should be addressed to the undersigned.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 18, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2730.**

**SPECIAL TAX ON PREMISES OUTSIDE SETTLEMENT LIMITS.**

OCCUPANTS of premises situate outside Settlement limits but served by Municipal roads and supplied with water by the Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld., or with electricity by the Municipal Electricity Department, or connected with the telephone system of the Shanghai Mutual Telephone Co., Ld., are reminded that, in accordance with Resolution No. VII, passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers, held on April 7, they are required as from July 1, 1920, to pay a special Municipal Tax of 12 instead of 7 per cent. on the assessed rentals of such premises, payable quarterly in advance.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 24, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2731.**

**MIDSUMMER HOLIDAYS.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Thursday and Friday, July 1 and 2, 1920.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 24, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2732.**

THE public is reminded that licence fees on private vehicles for the September Quarter are now due.

Residents owning Motor Cars, Carriages, Ricshas, Ponies, etc., are therefore requested to take out the necessary licences without delay, for which purpose application must be made at the Revenue Office, accompanied in every instance by the amount of the licence fee. The owners of any vehicles, etc., found to be unlicensed are liable to prosecution under Land Regulations XIII and XIV.

Mafoos or coolies in charge of vehicles, etc., are required to produce the licence card when called upon to do so by the Police.

Dog owners who have not yet taken out licences for the current year are requested to make application for the same at the Revenue Office.

All Dogs must be licensed and muzzled.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2734.**

**ELLIS KADOORIE PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR CHINESE.**

THE Council invites applications for a temporary Assistant Mastership in the Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese. The pay will be according to qualifications and experience. Applications, in the candidates' own handwriting, should state age, qualifications, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials, to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2735.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Clerk-of-Works in the Public Works Department. Pay Tls. 247.25 per mensem. Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications and experience, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials, to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2736.**

*(Translation.)*

**RICE PROFITEERING.**

FROM investigations made by the Council into the causes contributing to the present abnormally high price of rice, it appears that, in their greed for personal gain and unmindful of the hardships and suffering caused to poor people, certain persons have accumulated stocks of rice, which they are withholding from the market, creating a temporary shortage of supplies, and forcing up the price to an unwarranted figure.

Rice is the staple food of the Chinese people, and profiteering or speculating in the food of the people is an offence against the law, and severely punishable.

Notice is accordingly given that any persons profiteering in rice, whether by the withholding of stocks or by any other means, are liable to prosecution with severe penalties on conviction, and with confiscation of their stocks.

The public is earnestly requested to report any cases of rice profiteering that may come to its knowledge. Such reports should be in writing, addressed to the Commissioner of Police, Central Station, Foochow Road, and give as full particulars as possi so as to facilitate prosecu against the concerned.

By order,

N. O. LIDDEL
*Secret*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 30, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Munic Salaries Commission held Friday, June 25, 1920, at 5 o'cl p.m., there were :—

***Present:***

Mr. E. C. Pearce *(Chairma*
Lieut.-Col. Hayley Bell, D.S.O.
Messrs. A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphrys
A. C. Hynes
W. P. Lambe
W. L. Merriman
W. C. Sprague

***Absent:***

Mr. D. McColl

The meeting adjourned at 6.55 p.

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AT the meeting of the Watch Co mittee held on Monday, Ju 28, 1920, at 4 o'clock, p.m., th were :—

***Present:***

Messrs. W. P. Lambe *(Chairman*
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet

The meeting adjourned at 5 o'clock, p.

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AT the meeting of the Munici Salaries Commission held Monday, June 28, 1920, at 5 o'clo p.m., there were :—

***Present:***

Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
A. C. Hynes
W. P. Lambe
W. L. Merriman
W. C. Sprague

***Absent:***

Lieut.-Col. Hayley Bell, D.S.O.
Messrs. C. G. Humphrys
D. McColl

The meeting adjourned at 7.20 p.m

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AT the meeting of the Council h on Wednesday, June 30, 192 at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

***Present:***

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith(*Chairma*
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

***Absent:***

Mr. D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.

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**Volunteer Corps.**

*Annual Inspection.*—Letter from Colonel J. R. Young, Commanding the Forces in China, and Report by Lieut.-Colonel R. Wyndham, 2nd Batn. The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire) Regiment, upon his inspection of the Corps, are appended:—

Hongkong, June 16, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to forward herewith a copy of Lieutenant-Colonel Wyndham's Report on his Inspection of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps on April 22, 1920, and following days, together with extracts from my letter forwarding same to the War Office.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
J. R. YOUNG, *Colonel,*
*Commanding the Forces in China.*

A. BROOKE SMITH, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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(*Enclosure No. 1.*)

Hongkong, June 14, 1920.

SIR,—With reference to War Office letter No. 083/5198 (S.D. 4) dated August 1, 1919, I have the honour to forward for the information of the Army Council the reports of an Inspection of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps made by Lieut.-Colonel J. R. Wyndham, 2nd Bn. The Wiltshire Regiment, who was deputed for that purpose by Major-General F. Ventris, C.B.

2.—The Corps is about 50 stronger than it was a year ago, and this in spite of the fact that a number of men who returned from war service preferred to form themselves into another unit, which is called the "Expeditionary Forces Emergency Unit," and is under the control of the Municipal Police.

3.—I understand unofficially that a beginning has been made to fulfil the promise to supply more modern weapons, contained in the above quoted letter and would urge that the further provision necessary may be expedited.

4.—Finally I beg leave to call your attention to Colonel Wyndham's remarks on the very valuable work done by the Commandant, Major T. E. Trueman, during the past six years. My own knowledge enables me to say that Colonel Wyndham has not at all exaggerated the difficulties of the task undertaken by this officer nor the admirable way in which it has been performed.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
J. R. YOUNG, *Colonel,*
*Commanding the Forces in China.*

*P.S.*—I take this opportunity to recommend for consideration that the names of the British Officers of this Corps should be printed in the Army List, as already approved in the case of the North China British Volunteer Corps (W.O. letter 083/5141 (C. 3. A.L. dated October 25, 1918).

J. R. YOUNG.

The SECRETARY,
War Office, London, S.W. 1.

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(*Enclosure No. 2.*)

Hongkong, May 25, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to forward herewith a report on my inspection of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps last month, together with the following documents enclosed:—

1.—Programme of inspection. (This had to be altered owing to the bad weather, which rendered the inspection Parade on April 24 impossible to hold. It was accordingly held on April 28 following.)

2.—List of Officers of the Corps by units.

3.—Rules for the "Barnes Cup" Competition, which takes place annually.

4.—Inspection Parade State.

5.—Regulations for the Corps.

6.—Mobilization Manual and Map showing Mobilisation Posts of various units, and Scheme of Chinese Company, etc.

7.—Description and Equipment card kept for each member of Corps.

8.—Report on Artillery Target Practice at Woosung on May 2, 1920.

In Major T. E. Trueman, the Corps possesses a very able, energetic and tactful Commandant, to whom has fallen the extremely difficult task of keeping the Corps efficient and up to strength during nearly 5 years of war, during a large portion of which there were Companies belonging to enemy nationalities forming part of the Corps. That he has done so successfully and that the Corps is in its present efficient condition speaks very highly for this Officer's capacity and I should like to draw particular attention to the services he has rendered. He has been most ably seconded by Capt. Canning, the Corps Staff Officer.

The armament and equipment of the Corps is not up to date. I have devoted a special para. to this in the Report.

In other respects, I consider the Corps to be an invaluable and efficient little Force well trained for and admirably adapted to the purpose for which it exists.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
R. WYNDHAM, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
*2nd Bn. The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire) Regiment.*

Headquarters,
China Command, Hongkong.

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REPORT OF INSPECTION 1920.

1.—On the day after my arrival at Shanghai, viz., on April 22, 1920, I saw "A" Company (British) team in the Barnes' Cup Competition. This is an inter-Company marching and firing contest arranged, not only to test the average merit of the Companies in these two points, but also the local knowledge of the settlement by the O. C. Team, the route being kept secret till the day each team competes. "A" Company, which subsequently proved to be the winning team, marched 4¼ miles in 54½ minutes, and the men arrived at the firing point in good condition. The fire control and application was very fair. This team subsequently were found to have scored the biggest percentage of hits to rounds fired. The whole performance was quite satisfactory.

I subsequently inspected the range and the 30 yards range in rear. Both are in excellent condition and well cared for. The landscape targets in the latter are hand painted representing the country round, and are therefore practical.

2.—At 2.30 p.m. I inspected Headquarters which are centrally situated in the Town Hall. A new H.Q. is in process of completion close by, but the building is not quite finished. It possesses a very fine drill hall capable of holding the whole corps on parade if required; the various offices and stores will be in the same building and are very fine ones, as also stables for the Artillery ponies which will then be close to their guns, thereby doing away with the present undesirable system under which the ponies are stabled some distance away, which hinders a quick turn out.

I saw all books, documents, records, spare arms and equipment. The 3 former are well kept and the 2 latter well looked after and in serviceable condition. Both the Corps Sgt.-Major and Qr.-Mr.-Sgt. are Regulars, are efficient and know their work.

I also saw the Mobilisation Scheme, as to which see para 6 below.

3.—At 6 p.m. I saw "A" and "B" Companies (British), the American Company, Shanghai Scottish, Maritime, Machine Gun and Customs Companies at work. They gave me a very favourable impression. The drill was quite good. All ranks appeared very keen. Officers and N.C.O.'s appeared efficient, could detect mistakes and correct them.

4.—At 5.45 p.m. on April 23, I inspected the Shanghai Light Horse, Artillery Company, Italian, Portuguese, Japanese, Chinese and Reserve Companies at work. Some of these were drilling, others skirmishing. The Light Horse and Artillery struck me as particularly good. The mounted work was smart, average horsemanship very fair indeed, ponies in good condition, fit and well cared for. The dismounted work of the

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Light Horse satisfactory. The work of the Infantry Units was up to the standard of those I had seen the previous day, and the extended order work of the Japanese Company was good.

At 6.30 p.m. I saw the Engineer Co. building a bridge. This Company now has the Weldon trestles recommended last year by the Inspecting Officer and were using them. In addition they had constructed a trestle themselves as they had not sufficient for the length of the bridge.

The Bridge was well made and practical for Infantry, but the chesses for the roadway were too thin and weak for either horses or guns. As the country round is full of creeks which would have to be crossed in the event of operations being necessary, I think this defect should be remedied.

5.—On April 24, the Inspection Parade should have taken place. The weather, however, was so bad that the Polo Ground, the only one available, was under water and the Parade had to be postponed.

In spite of this however, the Corps turned out and marched past me in Column of route on the road, the marching was very good and there was an excellent muster, over 800 being on parade.

6.—On April 26, Mobilisation was ordered at 9.15 p.m. by the Commandant at my request on the telephone, and I started to visit the various posts at 9.40 p.m. The Mobilisation was very quickly and accurately carried out. Proper precautions had been taken at once, patrols sent out, and vulnerable points, such as bridges, gas works were at once guarded. The Scheme I had inspected at Headquarters seemed to be well understood and worked well. I found a complete cordon round the Settlement, the various posts were in touch with H.Q. and each other, Commanders of posts knew for what they were responsible, and sentries were generally well acquainted with their orders. There was a tendency to overdo the number of sentries and some other minor points which I pointed out to the Commandant, and which he promised to correct, but I consider the Scheme a sound one and it worked very satisfactorily, and was well carried out. I satisfied myself by various test questions that the Mobilisation that night had come as a surprise and had not been known beforehand and prepared for.

7.—On the 29th, I saw the Japanese Company on the range in the Barnes' Cup Competition. They took slightly longer than "A" Coy. to cover the distance of the march, their Fire Discipline and Application was rather better, but their shooting not so accurate as that of "A".

At 5.30 p.m. the same day, I inspected the whole corps on parade and they marched past.

The parade movements were excellently carried out, the men were steady on parade, the marching and dressing very good. The Light Horse and Artillery then went past at the trot and gallop; both movements were very well executed. The results attained are the more creditable as the Corps does no Battalion drill owing to the difference in language and drill of the various nationalities.

8.—On May 2, I proceeded to Woosung and saw the Artillery at target practice on the new range recently acquired. The results are shown in (8) attached.

The range is situated on the banks of the Yangtze river and firing is across it. As, however, the river is here some 11 miles wide there is ample room. The question of the river traffic is arranged by having a launch out in the stream to the flank of the target from which signals are sent to the Battery showing when the range is clear or otherwise, and on which is an Observation Officer observing the results of the firing. The range, though only a river one, is quite practical and safe for guns of much larger calibre than anything the Corps is likely to require.

9.—The great handicap to its efficiency under which the Corps suffers is the obsolete nature of its arms and equipment. I understand that a report to this effect was submitted by the Inspecting Officer last year and more modern arms have been promised, but so far none have been received.

Thus the Artillery are armed with obsolete 15 pdrs. firing an obsolete form of shell which they informed me is no longer procurable at all, as none are now manufactured. The guns themselves are old and as will be seen on reference to report are liable to get out of order when fired and require constant attention to keep them in any way efficient. Their only range finder is the old mekometer which is very inaccurate.

The Machine Guns are old-fashioned Nordenfeldts and Maxims cumbersome and heavy, worn or rapidly wearing out, and liable to jams, etc. In this regard, I should like to bring to notice that the Italian Government has recently sent out to their Company 2 Fiat Guns of the latest pattern, admirable little weapons in every way, and very light and handy, and mounted on light carriages adapted for man haulage, and which present a marked contrast to the old-fashioned weapons with which the Machine Gun Co., which is British, is armed.

The rifles which are all British are of various marks of Lee Enfield both long and short, and the same remarks refer to the bayonets, the old short bayonet predominating.

Finally the equipment is the old brown leather for the British Companies, the Americans being provided with webbing somewhat after our own Army pattern.

I strongly recommend that both armament and equipment be brought up to date, and that a proportion of Lewis Guns, say 2 per Company, be issued to each Infantry Company.

The Corps possesses two Ford motor wagons on which a machine gun is mounted. There is, however, no protection for the crew and they are merely makeshifts for an armoured car which would be of very great use for the sort of work which the Corps is likely to be called on to carry out.

I add under confidential cover some further recommendations as to armament which would, I consider, be of great assistance in adding to the efficiency of the Corps.

As the greater majority of the Corps is British, and British interests are largely predominant in Shanghai, I consider it advisable that the armament and equipment of the Corps should also be British.

R. WYNDHAM, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
*2nd Bn. The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire) Regiment.*
*Inspecting Officer.*

Hongkong, May 25, 1920.

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**Survey of Soochow Creek.**

Letter to the Senior Consul enclosing translation of letter received from the Public Works Department of the Chapei Municipality:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 22, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that a request, copy of which is attached, has been received from certain residents in Chapei requesting permission to survey land in the Settlement.

I have the honour to request that you will be so good as to inform the applicants that there is no objection on the part of the Council to their surveying when and where they will, provided they cause no interference with traffic.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. BROOKE SMITH,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.

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(*Translation.*)

Shanghai, June 5, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—As we are about to survey the Soochow Creek from Markham Road Bridge to Ferry Road for the purpose of establishing a bund line for the Chapei side it will be necessary to obtain the particulars of the Shanghai side as well. The survey will proceed about July 1 and your permission

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to obtain such particulars on the ground will be much appreciated.

Yours, etc.,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPT. OF THE CHAPEI MUNICIPALITY.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS,
Shanghai Municipal Council.

### Public Lighting.

*Pingliang and Pingyang Roads.*—Owing to the increased use of these roads by vehicular traffic, the Council has decided, on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works, to erect twenty-one 60 c.p. metallic filament lamps, at an annual cost of Tls. 602.50.

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JUNE 26.

*Police Force.*—Sub-Inspector H. E. Peck is promoted to be Inspector from July 1.

The following Sergeants are promoted to be Sub-Inspectors:—
G. Gilbert from July 1.
W. W. Kay „ „ 1.

The following are discharged, invalided, from June 22:—
Sikh Warder No. 15, Banta Singh
„ „ „ 96, Issher Singh
„ „ „ 117, Ganga Singh
Sikh Constable No. 78, Kartar Singh, is discharged, invalided from June 25.

Constables A. E. Balchin and F. W. Perkins were transferred for temporary duty at the Mixed Court from January 26 and February 28, respectively.

*Health Department.*—Miss A. M. Lachlan is re-engaged as Nurse under agreement from June 20, terminable at three months' notice.

Miss K. Twigg is engaged as a candidate for an appointment as Probationer Nurse, on six months' trial from October 1.

*Public Works Department.*—The appointment of Mr. A. A. G. Toone, Assistant Building Surveyor, is confirmed under agreement from May 9.

*Electricity Department.*—Messrs. L. G. Bidmead and H. F. Marshall are appointed Installation Inspectors under agreement from June 7.

*Educational Department.*—Mr. R. Kay is appointed Assistant Master in the Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, under agreement from June 25.

*Finance Department.*—Mr. E. F. Goodale, Treasurer and Comptroller, returned from special leave and resumed charge of the Finance Department on June 22.

### Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. July | 5 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. „ | 6 | 5.30 „ | Hongkew Park |
| Wed. „ | 7 | 9.00 „ | Public Garden |
| Thurs. „ | 8 | 4.00 „ | Recreation Ground (Race Course) |
| Fri. „ | 9 | 9.00 „ | Hongkew Park |
| Sat. „ | 10 | 4.30 „ | Polo Ground |
| „ „ | 10 | 9.00 „ | Public Garden |

### Municipal Loans.

Subscriptions to date:—
6% Sterling Loan—£435,000.
7% Silver Loan—Tls. 462,700.

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, June 27, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 30 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 2 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 140 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 141 | Kiangse | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | block offices |
| 34A | Nanking | The Commercial & Industrial Bank of China | | | water closet |
| 273 | Shantung & Foochow | H. M. Cumine | | | block offices 2 godowns |
| 682 | Haining | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | addns. |
| 7293 | Hochien | The Nang Yang Construction Co. | | | godown |
| 2065 | Off B'bling Well | Butterfield & Swire | | | water closet |
| 2755 | „ | H. M. Cumine | 2 | | |
| 1241 | Burkill & Tsze Pang | „ | | | bridge, bunding & gatehouse |
| N of 1365 | Cemetery & Taku | S. J. Powell | 1 | | servants quarters |
| 3169 | Off Gordon | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | addns. |
| 2555 | Ichang | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | 2 blocks offices |
| 2411 | Seymour | „ | | | store room, latrine & addns. |
| 3215 | Off Sinza | R. A. Curry | | | altns. |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 273 | Shantung & Foochow | H. M. Cumine | 2 | | |
| 118 | N. Chekiang | Che Dong | 5 | | |
| 609 | N. Szechuen & Tiendong | E. D. Sassoon & Co. | | | altns. & addns. |
| 3188 | Off Yangchow | Chang Yue Tai | | | 13 bungalows |
| 2555 | Ichang | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | 3 | | |
| 655 | Sinza | Kwei Lien Kee | | | addns. |

### Fire Brigade Report for May.

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 21, as against 32 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 11,600 (Foreign Tls. nil: Chinese Tls. 11,600), as against Tls. 71,075 (Foreign Tls. 65,025: Chinese Tls. 6,050) during May 1919. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 213,000 (Foreign Tls. 25,000: Chinese Tls. 188,000), as against Tls. 593,000 (Foreign Tls. 425,000: Chinese Tls. 168,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 10, Watch Towers 6, Police 4, and Staff 1. The district call was given on 6 occasions, the remaining 15 being station calls. These calls proved to be 15 small fires, 2 false alarms and 4 fires outside the Settlement.

The main supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—Dropped match or cigarette end 2, Sparks from chimney 2, Sparks, ashes or embers from stove 2, Fusing of electric wires 2, Child playing with matches 1, Lamp in contact with curtain 1, Arson 1, and Unknown 4. The premises affected were:—Foreign buildings—, and Chinese buildings 14. Of these 4 buildings were destroyed by fire, and 10 others were more or less damaged by fire, smoke and water.

The Brigade was occupied 229 hours and 20 minutes at fires, or supposed fires.

There was a case of arson during the month, action was taken in the Mixed Court, two employes received sentences of 5 years each and another employe one year.

On May 23, there was a nasty outbreak at J668 Avenue Edward VII. One Chinese woman was injured in rescuing two of her children. Discovering smoke she rushed upstairs and brought one child down, and again ascended the staircase, which was by this time on fire, discovered the second child and jumped out of the window. She was burnt about the face and neck and slightly injured. Her action can only be considered as one of great bravery.

In an adjoining house to where the fire started an excessive quantity of oil was discovered, action was taken, and a $50 fine imposed.

On May 29 some stables on Haining Road were discovered to be well alight at the back, there were 11 ponies in the premises and the firemen had a lively time in getting them out. All were removed safely and the damage to the building was slight.

On May 5, a serious outbreak of fire occurred at the New Jewish Club off Great Western Road, the club was practically completed and was to have been opened in a few weeks. The east wing was found in flames and in places the roof was already in. There was a large amount of lath and plaster work in the building, and it was only after an extremely hard battle that the fire was extinguished. The damage was confined to the centre north side and east wing, and mostly on the top floor.

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

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RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call | | Alarm given | Locality | District | | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Time of | How received | | | Municipal | Fire | | | Hours | Minutes | |
| May 1 | 7.51 a.m. | Telephone | Station | B 262 Kiangse Road | Central | 4 | Chinese Bank | | 1 | | |
| 4 | 2.43 a.m. | Central Tower | District | D 48 Shantung Road | ,, | 4 | Chinese Shop | 1 damaged | 16 | | |
| 4 | 4.23 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | G 665 Tien Tsing Road | Northern | 2 | ,, | 1 ,, | 60 | | |
| 5 | 3.48 a.m. | Bubbling Well Police | ,, | Off Gt. Western Road | Outside | | | | 33 | | |
| 9 | 1.31 a.m. | Sinza Tower | Station | Chapei | ,, | | | | 1 | 25 | |
| 9 | 9.00 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | U 166 Peking Road | Central | 3 | Chinese Shop | | | 25 | |
| 12 | 9.24 p.m. | ,, | District | 78 Ward Road | Eastern | 1 | Foreign Cotton Mill | | 5 | | |
| 16 | 4.56 a.m. | ,, | Station | Chapei | Outside | | | | 1 | | |
| 17 | 1.36 a.m. | ,, | District | L 118B Yangtszepoo Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | 3 destroyed 1 damaged | 12 | | 2 persons injured |
| 18 | 10.31 p.m. | Yangtszepoo Police | Station | 140 Yangchow Road | ,, | 1 | Chinese Shop | 1 ,, | 46 | | |
| 19 | 12.55 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | Q 287 Yuenfong Road | ,, | 1 | ,, | | | 15 | |
| 22 | 7.28 p.m. | ,, | ,, | North Kiangse Road | Northern | 2 | | | | 15 | False alarm |
| 23 | 12.06 p.m. | Central Tower | District | J 668 Avenue Edward VII | Central | 5 | Chinese Shop | 1 destroyed 4 damaged | 24 | | 1 woman injured |
| 23 | 9.02 p.m. | Sinza Tower | Station | GG 3 Mandalay Road | Western | 7 | ,, | 1 ,, | 3 | | |
| 25 | 5.24 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | 26 Kiangse Rd. | Central | 4 | Foreign Bank | | 1 | | |
| 26 | 8.10 a.m. | Central Tower | ,, | Foochow and Chekiang Rds. | ,, | 5 | | | | 15 | False alarm |
| 27 | 12.10 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | U 118 Weihaiwei Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 30 | |
| 27 | 2.28 a.m. | Central Police | ,, | Launch in River | Outside | | | | 2 | | |
| 29 | 10.15 p.m. | Staff | ,, | P 33 Haining Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Stables | 1 damaged | 19 | | |
| 31 | 12.14 p.m. | Police | ,, | JQ 627 Singkeipang Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shop | | | 15 | |
| 31 | 3.34 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | PE 175A Off Boundary Rd. | Northern | 8 | Chinese Dwelling | | 3 | | |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

## Parks Report for May.

*Jessfield Park.*—The wisdom of those who counselled the acquisition of this area was amply demonstrated during the month by the numbers who frequented it, especially on Saturdays and Sundays—approximately 1,500 on Saturdays and 2,000 on Sundays.

Though a considerable amount of embellishment has still to be accomplished, the general ground work of the area acquired may be considered as nearly completed. In designing and developing this park, the chief object in view was that people of especially European origin would feel on entering the gates that they were in their home land. Landscape authorities perpetually asseverate "that the greatest art is to create a landscape which will appear as though it came into being by a natural sequence of nature's laws, and not by the deliberate action of the designer, compared with which architectural designs of geometrical patterns, as Italian gardens, terraces, etc., are the embodiment of simplicity." That this object has been accomplished to a considerable extent in this park, is evidenced by the fact that non-resident visitors are said to take it for granted that the contours of the land existed from time immemorial.

Of recent additions, the long border, begun in April, is the most showy feature. This border is designed to eventually be stocked with a collection of herbaceous perennials both of decorative and botanical interest. Such a collection may take some years to acquire: in the meantime it is planted with florists' flowers like Sweet Peas and Dahlias.

*Sport.*—The demand for playing space is abnormal and the indications are it will increase yearly. Every available foot of lawn in Hongkew Recreation Ground and Wayside Park is in use daily. The same may be said of the Public Recreation Ground. As tennis gives the greatest amount of recreation to the greatest number, cricket has been abolished from Hongkew Recreation Ground. This congestion of playing space merits careful consideration as it is generally understood that open air recreation is essential to the health of residents here, especially the young people. The Athletic Track in Hongkew Recreation Ground has been much used for training purposes. Two meets were held. The Japanese Athletic Association held one which attracted fully 4,000 spectators and an Inter School Meet was attended by about 500.

### SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players. |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,274 |
| Lawn Bowls | 228 |
| Baseball | 432 |
| Tennis—66 courts per day | 6,320 |
| Total No. of Players | 8,254 |
| ,, of non-players | 9,871 |
| Total No. of Visitors | 18,125 |

*Roadside Trees:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total No. of trees staked | 305 |
| ,, ,, fastened | 5,188 |
| ,, ,, topdressed | 5,636 |
| ,, of tree-borers destroyed | 1,769 |
| Rooks' nests removed | 244 |

*Road Widenings:—*

Total No. of trees transplanted 41

*Plants bedded out at:—*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Reserve Garden | 380 | |
| Public Gardens | 1,385 | 1,765 |

*Nurseries.—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of young trees transplanted | 4,765 |
| Total number of shrubs transplanted | 940 |
| Total number of seedlings transplanted | 10,409 |
| Cuttings inserted | 23,640 |

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*Shrubs, trees, and hedge plants planted at:—*

| | Shrubs | Trees | Hedge-plants |
|---|---|---|---|
| Public Gardens | 84 | — | — |
| Jessfield Park | 1,078 | 6 | 700 |
| | 1,162 | 6 | 700 |

*84 Shrubs and 1 tree were transplanted* at Jessfield Park.

*Mowed lawns at:—*

Public Gardens.
Hongkew Recreation Ground.
Public Recreation Ground.
Jessfield Park.
Wayside Park.
Studley Park.
Bund Foreshore.
Soochow Road Foreshore.
Quinsan Square.
The Point Garden.
Bubbling Well Carriage Turn.
Wayside Carriage Turn.
Hart Piece.
Yuyuen Road Piece.
Warren Road Piece.
Brenan Road Piece.
Cathedral Compound.
Victoria Nursing Home.
Isolation Hospital.
Municipal Goal and Reformatory.
Public School for Boys.
Public School for Girls.
Public School for Chinese.
Kungping Road Public School.
Ellis Kadoorie School.
Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.
Nieh Chih Kuei Public School.
Public School for Girls in Western District and Playgrounds.
209 Bubbling Well Road.
76 Yangtszepoo Road Police Quarters.
Carter Road Police Quarters.
Sinza Police Station.
Louza Police Station.
Wayside Police Station.
Yangtszepoo Police Station.
Hongkew Police Station.
Bubbling Well Police Station.
Harbin Road Police Station.
Gordon Road Police Station.

D. MacGregor,
*Superintendent*

Countersigned:
Chas. H. Godfrey,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

Sanitary Inspection of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

Conditions dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

Isolation of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

Disinfection of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

Vaccination is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

Eat and Drink nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

Do not Consume:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.

Aerated water and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

Kitchen supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

Vegetables and Fruit grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

Flies Carry Disease so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

Vaccination should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years, in November.

Vaccination against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

Keep Rats Out of Your House. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

Mosquitoes carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

Refuse should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

Arthur Stanley,
*Health Officer.*

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## Rabies or Hydrophobia.

The Disease.—Rabies or hydrophobia is an acute fatal disease, generally communicated to man through a wound made by the teeth of some infected animal, the saliva being the infective medium. Dogs, cats, goats, cows, horses, and other animals are susceptible to the disease and their bites are very dangerous. Hydrophobia may also be contracted by allowing the saliva (froth) of an infected animal to come in contact with a cut or scratch. This sometimes happens in adjusting muzzles, in trying to remove what seems to be a bone in the throat, or in giving medicines. The saliva may be virulent (poisonous) for one or two days before a dog shows any signs of being sick.

Symptoms.—The disease in the dog appears in two forms. In the furious type, he may suddenly leave home, wandering off for many miles, perhaps, to return in a day or two emaciated, wounded, and utterly changed. During the time of "running mad" he may have bitten many persons and other animals. He seems impelled to bite anything that comes in his way. He cannot be said, as a rule, to fight with other dogs. He bites them and passes on, but does not go out of his way very much to attack them. His main object seems to be to keep

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moving, as if to escape something. The dumb variety is characterized by progressive paralysis of the lower jaw, change in character of bark, and marked nervousness. The animal may appear very affectionate, but may bite without warning. Death usually results in from three to six days from the onset of sickness.

WHAT TO DO WITH A SUSPECTED ANIMAL.—When an animal is suspected of having this disease it should be captured at once, if possible, and securely confined. A veterinary surgeon should be called to see the dog, or the circumstance should be reported to the nearest Police Station where they will arrange without payment for the transfer of the dog to the Observation Kennel under the care of the Health Officer.

Dogs, suspected of rabies, should, if possible, be captured alive; but they may be killed, if danger of any person being bitten can thereby be avoided. The reason being that if preserved alive it can be ascertained in a day or two whether the animal has rabies, while if killed it usually takes fourteen days to find out.

When other dogs have been bitten by a rabid dog they should either be killed immediately or handed over to the charge of a veterinary surgeon.

WHAT TO DO WHEN BIT[illegible] bite of any animal should [illegible] ed throughout its depth [illegible] terized as soon as possib[illegible] doctor.

The person bitten should [illegible] the Health Officer to see if [illegible] Treatment is necessary.

It is absolutely necessary [illegible] persons bitten by rabid animals [illegible] animals suspected of rabies to [illegible] the Pasteur Treatment. Th[illegible] given at the Municipal He[illegible] Office and takes about three w[illegible] The fee for Pasteur Treatment [illegible] Tls. 50 reducible in cases [illegible] necessity.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Offic[illegible]*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2715.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2733.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6% STERLING LOAN 1920.**

**Amount £750,000.**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan, particulars of which are contained in Municipal Notification No. 2715, will remain open until July 31. The total of applications received will be published weekly in the Municipal Gazette.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2687.**

**LOAN OF 1900.**

THE debentures outstanding under the Municipal Loan of 1900 will be paid on presentation at the Finance Department, if properly endorsed by the registered owner, on and after June 30, 1920, from which date interest will cease.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 11, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2729.**

THE Council requires a furnished or unfurnished house of at least five rooms in the Western District, or Western District Extension, as a residence for the Commandant of the Volunteer Corps. Particulars of accommodation, rent, length of lease, etc., should be addressed to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 18, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2730.**

**SPECIAL TAX ON PREMISES OUTSIDE SETTLEMENT LIMITS.**

OCCUPANTS of premises situate outside Settlement limits but served by Municipal roads and supplied with water by the Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld., or with electricity by the Municipal Electricity Department, or connected with the telephone system of the Shanghai Mutual Telephone Co., Ld., are reminded that, in accordance with Resolution No. VII, passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers, held on April 7, they are required as from July 1, 1920, to pay a special Municipal Tax of 12 instead of 7 per cent. on the assessed rentals of such premises, payable quarterly in advance.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 24, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2732.

THE public is reminded that licence fees on private vehicles for the September Quarter are now due.

Residents owning Motor Cars, Carriages, Ricshas, Ponies, etc., are therefore requested to take out the necessary licences without delay, for which purpose application must be made at the Revenue Office, accompanied in every instance by the amount of the licence fee. The owners of any vehicles, etc., found to be unlicensed are liable to prosecution under Land Regulations XIII and XIV.

Mafoos or coolies in charge of vehicles, etc., are required to produce the licence card when called upon to do so by the Police.

Dog owners who have not yet taken out licences for the current year are requested to make application for the same at the Revenue Office.

All Dogs must be licensed and muzzled.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2734.
### ELLIS KADOORIE PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR CHINESE.

THE Council invites applications for a temporary Assistant Mastership in the Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese. The pay will be according to qualifications and experience. Applications, in the candidates' own handwriting, should state age, qualifications, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials, to the undersigned, forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2735.

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Clerk-of-Works in the Public Works Department. Pay Tls. 247.25 per mensem. Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications and experience, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials, to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2736.
*(Translation.)*
### RICE PROFITEERING.

FROM investigations made by the Council into the causes contributing to the present abnormally high price of rice, it appears that, in their greed for personal gain and unmindful of the hardships and suffering caused to poor people, certain persons have accumulated stocks of rice, which they are withholding from the market, creating a temporary shortage of supplies, and forcing up the price to an unwarranted figure.

Rice is the staple food of the Chinese people, and profiteering or speculating in the food of the people is an offence against the law, and severely punishable.

Notice is accordingly given that any persons profiteering in rice, whether by the withholding of stocks or by any other means, are liable to prosecution with severe penalties on conviction, and with confiscation of their stocks.

The public is earnestly requested to report any cases of rice profiteering that may come to its knowledge. Such reports should be in writing, addressed to the Commissioner of Police, Central Police Station, Foochow Road, and should give as full particulars as possible, so as to facilitate prosecution against the concerned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2737.
### TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

TO facilitate the control of traffic in the Nanking Road, the following additional regulations will come into force from this date:—

(1) No vehicles will be permitted to rank for extended periods in the section of the Nanking Road between Shantung Road and the Bund.

(2) Temporary standing accommodation will be provided in the above section of the Nanking Road for vehicles of persons visiting business premises.

These temporary standing places will be marked by means of white lines on the kerbstone, and no vehicle will be permitted to stand except where the kerbstone is so marked.

(3) No vehicles will be permitted to stand on the south side of the above section of the Nanking Road between the hours of 11.45 a.m. and 12.30 p.m., except on Sundays.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 6, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, July 7, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent:*

Mr. D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 5.20 p.m.

### Municipal Loans.

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO JUNE 6.

6% Sterling Loan—£440,000
7% Silver Loan—Tls. 522,300

### Volunteer Corps.

*Artillery.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant a commission as 2nd Lieutenant is authorised for issue to Sergeant V. J. Holland.

### Case of Illegal Detention.

Correspondence in continuation of that published in the Gazette of May 13, 1920:—

Shanghai, May 14, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated April 27, 1920 regarding the illegal arrest and detention by the Chinese Authorities of a resident of this Settlement named Ning Ang-ngi.

In reply, I beg to enclose herewith for your consideration and reply a copy of Chinese text and free translation of letter received from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs in Shanghai referring to the same subject.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. SIFFERT,
*Senior Consul.*

A. BROOKE SMITH, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

*Translation of letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to the Senior Consul dated May 10, 1920.*

The Commissioner for Foreign Affairs acknowledges receipt of a note from the Senior Consul, informing him that a Chinese resident of the Settlement named Ning Ah-ngi, has been arrested and detained by the local Sung Pan Ting and requesting that representations be made for his release, etc.

The Commissioner has accordingly communicated with the local Sung Pan Ting on the subject and he has now received a reply to the effect that on March 25 of this year, Liu Hang-chen, Sho Chu-hung and Ning Ah-ngi personally appeared before the Court of Sung Pan Ting. The Court then sat and heard their evidence. Liu Hang-chen stated that the defendant, Ning Ah-ngi, lived in a place known as Lieu Ong Lane in the capital of the Shansi province where he (Ning) kept a dispensary known as "Tai I." As he owed some money to the Hsin Nee native bank, Yang Tai-kia, manager of the bank, instituted civil proceedings against him in the Tai Yuen Sung Pan Ting where he was placed in custody. Subsequently Liu Hang-chen and Sho Sih-chun (Sho Chu-hung's father) went security for him and he was released on bail in order to make arrangements outside to settle his accounts with the bank. However, since his release Ning Ah-ngi escaped therefrom, with the result that Sho Sih-chun (one of his guarantors) was summoned to be detained by the Tai Yuen Sung Pan Ting, being ordered to find a

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produce the defendant. Therefore Liu Hang-chen and Sho Chu-hung went out and made endeavours to find this man. When they got to Shanghai they met him and they went with him together to the local Sung Pan Ting and asked that the local Court (Sung Pan Ting) temporarily detain him so that they might be enabled to go back to Shansi to make a report to the Tai Yuen Sung Pan Ting to send some constables here to take the man .to Shansi from the local Court. They also produced certain original copies of the judgments delivered by the High Court of Sung Pan Ting of Shansi and of the Tai Li Yuen (Supreme Court of Peking). The local Court has examined these documents and found them in order.

On hearing the evidence of Ning Ah-ngi, he admitted that he kept the "Tai I" dispensary and was imprisoned by the Tai Yuen Sung Pan Ting on account of his indebtedness to the Hsin Nee native bank, as also his subsequent release upon Liu Hang-chen and Sho Sih-chun going security for him. He then applied to the local Court for permission to go out to find a cash and/or shop guarantee in order to arrange for a settlement of his accounts.

Since Ning Ah-ngi used to reside at Lieu Ong Lane, Tai Yuen, having been sued by the Hsin Nee bank and detained by the Sung Pan Ting in that city, and having subsequently escaped therefrom after release on bail thereby involving the imprisonment of one of his guarantors, and since he has now been found by one of his guarantors the Court has consented to keep the man in temporary custody, in accordance with the usual custom of providing cooperation and assistance, pending the arrival of the representatives of the Tai Yuen Sung Pan Ting to take him back there. As regards the man's application to this court for bail since the case is not one that is heard by it the application cannot be entertained. The above are the circumstances and facts of the recent appearance of the above three men before, and the detention of Ning Ah-ngi by, the local Court.

It is here pointed out that since he appeared before the local Court Ning Ah-ngi has not stated that he is a resident of the Settlement while he stated that he had himself reported to the High Sung Pan Ting of Shansi and the Supreme Court of Peking that he resided in Tai Yuen, during hearings or when judgements were given in the suit. It is quite evident that he is not a resident of the Settlement and under the circumstances the Court is unable to comply with the request that the man be released. As to the statement that the Municipal Council has reported that Ning Ah-ngi was arrested by the City Constabulary and handed over to the local Court, it is not a real fact.

The local Court has to state that Ning Ah-ngi's residence is really at Lieu Ong Lane, Tai Yuen, Shansi, and that he attended and appeared before the Court in person but that he was not arrested by the City Police or summoned by this Court. Copies of the judgments of the Shansi High Sung Pân Ting and Peking Tai Li Yuen are enclosed for reference or as proof as to his residence in Shansi. The Court asks the Commissioner to communicate with the Consular Body accordingly.

The Commissioner writes the above for the information of the Senior Consul in this matter, etc.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, June 19, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 14, enclosing a copy of a letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, on the subject of the illegal arrest and detention of Ning Ang-nyi, a resident of this Settlement. In reply, I have the honour to inform you that further enquiries made by the Police show that while, he resigned the managership of the Tah I Dispensary about four years ago, and proceeded to Shansi Province between May 1918 and July 1919, he returned to his residence at Nos. 893/4 Chekiang Road in the Settlement from December 1919 to March 24, 1920, the day of his arrest. The Dispensary at 89 Hankow Road was closed on March 12 last. There can therefore be no question but that Ning Ang-nyi was a bona-fide resident of the Settlement on the day of his arrest, and I have the honour to request that you will be so good as to again address the Chinese Authorities and request the immediate release and rendition of this resident to the Settlement, whereafter action if desired can be taken against him in the Mixed Court.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. BROOKE SMITH,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.

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**Chinese Sing Song Houses.**

Letters from the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce and Mr. J. E. Lemiere, with reply.—

*Translation of letter from the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce to the Council dated June 8, 1920.*

The Chamber of Commerce is in receipt of a note from Chinese restaurants, foodshops, Yang Shun-yuen (楊順源) and others, stating that the Municipal licensing of brothels without classification seriously affects local trade, and asking the Chamber to consult the Council as to whether the licence conditions for 1st class brothels and singsong girl houses may not be withdrawn and other measures adopted in conformity with public sentiment. The note is enclosed herewith for the Council's information. The writer observes that though brothels affect public morals, still they aid in the prosperity of the port. The note mentions that if the 1st class brothels are closed the number of secret brothels will be greatly increased, to the detriment of the community. What the shopkeepers have said in their note are facts and the Chamber expresses the view that leniency should be shown to 1st class brothels, but the prohibition of opium-smoking, gambling and disorderly conduct should be taken into consideration in dealing with the question of public morals. As to what other measures should be adopted by the Council in re this matter the Chamber leaves to the consideration of the Council.

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*Translation of letter from the Chinese restaurants, foodshops, etc., to the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce dated June 8, 1920.*

The writers say that the Municipal licence conditions for brothels, as published in the press, are very good. However, they remark that there is no classification of these houses, with the result that managers of 1st class brothels are alarmed. It is pointed out that conditions Nos. 5, 7 and 8 and Clause 5 of the notes will be sufficient to make the brothels close voluntarily before the time for the enforcement of the license conditions. They add that 1st class brothels serve as places of meeting and entertainment of prominent merchants and gentry, these houses are very different from the 2nd and/or low class bawdy houses, and that 1st class brothels have a great deal to do in the matter of promoting the prosperity and development of local commerce. The writers (of the note) being proprietors of restaurants and foodshops are patronised daily by people from these houses. In case they have to close down the writers (of the note) will suffer greatly. Therefore, they ask the Chamber to convene a meeting to discuss this question and to consult with the Municipal Council as to whether the licensing of 1st class brothels may not be cancelled, and some other measures adopted in accordance with public sentiment. The question being an urgent one they venture to request that the Chamber deal wih it promptly, etc.

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Shanghai, June 23, 1920.

SIR,—I have been instructed by some representatives of the "singing girls" of the International Settlement to thank the Municipal Council for granting the postponement till the end of the present month of the new regulations concerning the houses of entertainment.

I have also been instructed by the same representatives to approach the Municipal Council in order to establish their real status.

Lately the houses in which they live and where their customers receive and entertain friends have been commonly and wrongfully termed houses of prostitution. The singing girls are really artists; they earn their living by entertaining guests, receiving a regular fee for each attendance. They may be likened to actresses. Till a few years ago, they used to add to their names or to their sign boards the characters "Su Nu" (書寓). They intend to renovate that old custom

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in order to avoid any misunderstanding about their profession. Therefore they respectfully inform the Municipal Council that they do not consider that the present regulations apply to them.

As, in my previous letter of June 3, I stated that a great number of singing girls were going to abandon their profession and return to their families, it might be inferred from my statement at that time that these girls considered themselves to rank with prostitutes. Such a deduction would be incorrect. The singing girls are divided in two categories. To one, belong the girls absolutely free; to the other, those dependant on persons who, on paying a certain remuneration to parents and providing for the clothing and the professional education of the girls entrusted to their care, are entitled to receive during a certain number of years the fees earned by the girls. It must be admitted that some of this kind of *impresario* tried and very often succeeded in getting from those girls more than that they were entitled to receive, keeping the girls in a kind of bondage. A few girls of this category took the opportunity of the coming into force of the new regulations to obtain their freedom, but they never considered themselves to be prostitutes and as a matter of fact a great number never departed from the path of morality.

As you are well aware, it is customary for the Chinese of the best classes to meet daily in those houses of entertainment, where they receive their friends and discuss business matters. To oblige the singing girls to register as prostitutes, to oblige a house of entertainment to register as a house of prostitution, will compel both of them either to close their houses in this settlement or emigrate somewhere else, a measure which will not only cause strong disaffection amongst the best Chinese classes, but will also cause a lot of shop-keepers, like tailors, shoe-makers, embroiderers, Jewellers, piece goods retailers, musical instrument merchants, restaurant keepers, etc., to follow those girls where they will decide to fix their new abode, thus causing a very serious loss to the Revenue Department and it appears to me that both loss of revenue and the annoyance caused to the Chinese Ratepayers can be and ought to be avoided.

No one denies the utility of the new regulations which were especially drawn up for the benefit of the moral welfare of this community, but their application should be restricted to those who have compelled the Municipal Authorities to adopt strongest measures without causing injury to others who have nothing in common with them.

I will respectfully ask you to submit this request to the members of the Watch Committee at your earliest convenience.

I beg to remain,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
J. E. LEMIÈRE.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
**Secretary, Municipal Council.**

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 26, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of June 23, on the subject of the application of the Brothel Licence Regulations to Sing Song houses, and in reply to forward copy of a letter addressed by the Council to the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, from which you will note that the Regulations in question do not apply to Sing Song houses which are *bonâ fide* conducted as such, but only to so-called Sing Song houses, which are in fact conducted as brothels.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Monsieur J. E. LEMIÈRE.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, June 28, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of June 8, forwarding copy of a letter received by you from the proprietors of certain Chinese restaurants, food shops and others on the subject of the Council's Regulations for the licensing of brothels.

In reply, I am directed to point out that these Regulations were brought into force in conformity with the Report of the Special Vice-Committee, adopted by the Ratepayers at their last Annual Meeting on April 9, and that whilst the Council does not concur with the whole of the recommendations made in such Report, it had, as a consequence of the Ratepayers' Resolution, no option but to adopt them.

The Regulations do not apply to Sing Song houses, which are *bonâ fide* conducted as such, and require no licence, but they do apply to so-called Sing Song houses which are in fact conducted as brothels.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The CHINESE GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

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**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Hongkong Road.*—Negotiations for the acquisition of Mow 0.036 of land ex Cadastral Lot 17B required in connexion with this road widening have been concluded with Messrs. Algar and Company Ld., compensation being paid at the assessed value of Tls. 30,000 per mow plus 10 per cent., and less one-third for betterment, or a total of Tls. 792 for the required area.

*Kungping Road Extension and East Seward Road Widening.*—Negotiations have been concluded with Messrs. Algar & Co., Ld., for the surrender of a total area of Mow 0.550 of land ex Cadastral Lot 1157, required in connexion with the improvement of these roads, on the following terms:—

As to Mow 0.183 at the Southern end of the lot required in connexion with East Seward Road Widening, at the assessed value of Tls. 5,300 per mow plus 10 per cent., or a total sum of Tls. 1,067 for the required area.

As to Mow 0.367 situate on the Western side of this lot required in connexion with the Kungping Road extension, surrender without compensation.

The Council has consented to the incorporation in Cadastral Lot 1157 of a small portion of surplus roadland at the Northern end of the lot measuring Mow 0.028 and adjoining Tongshan Road.

*Tsepoo and North Shanse Roads.*—Arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. Davies and Brooke for the sale to them of Mow 0.109 of surplus land on the West side of North Shanse Road at the assessed value Tls. 8,000 per mow plus a contribution of one-third only of the road cost on account of the narrowness of the strip of surplus land disposed of and less Mow 0.064 of unregistered land, surrendered by them for the widening of Tsepoo Road at the corner on the West of North Shanse Road. The total price paid for the surplus land by Messrs. Davies and Brooke is thus Tls. 1,852.

**Drainage Work.**

Arising out of the persistent refusal of certain inhabitants of the village situate at the corner of Bubbling Well and Siccawei Roads to carry out necessary drainage work, the work was undertaken by the Council, and proceedings instituted in the Mixed Court against fourteen of the inhabitants for payment of the expense incurred have resulted in its recovery.

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JULY 3.

*Police Force.*—Sikh Constable No. 533, Sowan Singh, is discharged, invalided from June 26.

Sikh Constable No. 184, Sadhu Singh, having purchased his discharge, is permitted to terminate his service on June 30.

*Health Department.*—Miss E. M. Stobie is engaged as a candidate for an appointment as Probationer Nurse, on six months' trial from September 1.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. J. C. Grieg is appointed Clerical Assistant on probation from June 18.

*Educational Department.*—The following temporary transfers will have effect from July 3, and during the absence on leave of Mr. R. G. Dowie, Headmaster, Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese:—

Mr. L. C. Healey, Headmaster, Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, to be Headmaster-in-Charge, Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese.

Mr. F. C. Millington, Assistant Master, Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, to be Acting Headmaster, Polytechnic Public School for Chinese.

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## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | July 12 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. | ,, 13 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Park |
| Wed. | ,, 14 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | ,, 15 | 5.30 ,, | ,, ,, |
| Fri. | ,, 16 | 9.00 ,, | Hongkew Park |
| Sat. | ,, 17 | 4.00 ,, | Polo Ground |
| ,, | ,, 17 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |

The performance arranged for 4 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, July 8, at the Polo Ground on the Race Course has been postponed, and will take place instead on Saturday, July 10.

The Band will play in the Public Gardens at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, July 8.

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 27 | Yuen-ming-yuen | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | altns. |
| 1016 | Astor | A. Lafuente | | | ,, |
| 307 & S of 307 | Santai | Brandt & Rodgers | | | 5 godowns |
| 2277 | Dalny | A. Lafuente | | | godown, factory, store room latrine conservatory |
| 1855 | Kinchow | Zee Sung Kee | | | |
| W of 131 | E. Seward | Ching Foh Shing | | 1 | gate-house |
| N of 1604 | Tongshan | Kwei Lan Kee | | | bridge |
| 2715 | Yulin | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | factory |
| 2005 | B'bling Well | Butterfield & Swire | | | wall |
| 4744 4745 | Gordon | Y. Hirano | | | office building |
| 4892 | Off Ichang | Wong Shun Kee | | | office building |
| 4635 and 4638 4632 and 4633 | Off Mokan-shan | H. M. Cumine | | | mill & 2 godowns |
| 2683 | Sinza | Davies & Brooke | | | garage |
| 17 | Taiping | Yoh Shun Hain | | | watchman's house & gates |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 247a | Nanking | S. A. Hardoon | | | altns. |
| N of 3340 | Off Sinza | C. Y. Wong | | | 3 bungalows |
| 300 | Soochow & Peking | Chow Way Nak | | | 1 hong |
| 1180 | Off Kash ng | H. M. Cumine | 10 | | gate house |
| 6808 6809 | Holung | The Missions Belges | 206 | | |
| N of 6122 | Tinghai | Koo Toun Kee | | | 5 bungalows |
| W of 1680 | Off Tong-shan | Zah Sue Kee | | | 4 ,, |
| 2892 | Off Yang-tszepoo | The Credit Foncier d'Extreme Orient | 3 | | |
| 4897 | Ichang | Wong Sung Kee | 17 | | |
| W of 6020 | Penang | Zung Chang Dah | | | 3 bungalows |

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, July 4, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 23 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 2 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 1 | 0 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 5 | 137 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.

Aerated water and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years, in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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### Mosquito Notice.

NO STAGNANT WATER—NO MOSQUITOES.

Mosquitoes carry MALARIA and other diseases.

Mosquitoes cannot multiply except in STAGNANT WATER. Where stagnant water cannot be ABOLISHED kerosine sprinkled on the surface to form a film will kill mosquito 'wrigglers,' as it prevents breathing when they come to the surface.

Old tins and bottles, broken crockery and unconsidered ARTICLES OF THIS KIND CAPABLE OF HOLDING RAIN WATER should be carefully COLLECTED from the garden and backyard and placed with the refuse for removal.

Tubs, kongs, water plants, flower-pot saucers or other VESSELS OF WATER, which cannot be dispensed with should be EMPTIED OR SPRINKLED WITH KEROSINE ONCE A WEEK.

GARDENERS' KONGS, DUG-OUTS, WELLS AND WATER BARRELS should be done away with, water for the garden, etc., being derived directly from the tap or, if that be impossible, the kongs, etc., should be oiled once a week or kept securely covered so that mosquitoes cannot get to the water to lay their eggs.

Have the water from kennels, chicken coops, etc., regularly emptied out.

Keep drains and rain-water roof channels clean and clear and in good repair. GULLY TRAPS that are not frequently flushed should be oiled weekly.

Shallow RAIN WATER POOLS AND SLUSHY PLACES can generally be obliterated by a SCRATCH DRAIN OR LEVELLED with house ashes, PONDS AND DITCHES by FILLING-IN and drainage.

ORNAMENTAL PONDS may be kept free from mosquitoes by FISH but, if mosquito 'wrigglers' be found, the water should be OILED WEEKLY preparatory to FILLING-IN.

A WEEKLY INSPECTION of house and surroundings should be made. It may be remembered that a small unheeded pot of water will suffice to breed enough mosquitoes to irritate a whole neighbourhood.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 幾分承攬係本局各項工程有未辦妥者必須行文知會本局自有估定之價目亦有極利益

三 凡承攬人遵照本局之准單辦理如是權局全權

四 後承攬人須用認價付款承辦本局有取消承攬之權

五 本局必將承攬人之姓名及合同公信寄交本局審閱

六 所有承攬人須繳保證金一千兩方准登記

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2715.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2733.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6% STERLING LOAN 1920.**

**Amount £750,000.**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan, particulars of which are contained in Municipal Notification No. 2715, will remain open until July 31. The total of applications received will be published weekly in the Municipal Gazette.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2729.**

THE Council requires a furnished or unfurnished house of at least five rooms in the Western District, or Western District Extension, as a residence for the Commandant of the Volunteer Corps. Particulars of accommodation, rent, length of lease, etc., should be addressed to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 18, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2736.**

(*Translation.*)

**RICE PROFITEERING.**

FROM investigations made by the Council into the causes contributing to the present abnormally high price of rice, it appears that, in their greed for personal gain and unmindful of the hardships and suffering caused to poor people, certain persons have accumulated stocks of rice, which they are withholding from the market, creating a temporary shortage of supplies, and forcing up the price to an unwarranted figure.

Rice is the staple food of the Chinese people, and profiteering or speculating in the food of the people is an offence against the law, and severely punishable.

Notice is accordingly given that any persons profiteering in rice, whether by the withholding of stocks or by any other means, are liable to prosecution with severe penalties on conviction, and with confiscation of their stocks.

The public is earnestly requested to report any cases of rice profiteering that may come to its knowledge. Such reports should be in writing, addressed to the Commissioner of Police, Central Police Station, Foochow Road, and should give as full particulars as possible, so as to facilitate prosecution against the concerned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 30, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2737.**

**TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.**

TO facilitate the control of traffic in the Nanking Road, the following additional regulations will come into force from this date:—

(1) No vehicles will be permitted to rank for extended periods in the section of the Nanking Road between Shantung Road and the Bund.

(2) Temporary standing accommodation will be provided in the above section of the Nanking Road for vehicles of persons visiting business premises.

These temporary standing places will be marked by means of white lines on the kerbstone, and no vehicle will be permitted to stand except where the kerbstone is so marked.

(3) No vehicles will be permitted to stand on the south side of the above section of the Nanking Road between the hours of 11.45 a.m. and 12.30 p.m., except on Sundays.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 6, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2738.**

**KEROSENE OIL.**

NOT more than ten cases of kerosene oil may be stored at one time in any Chinese house.

**MATCHES.**

The storage of matches is limited:—

1. In a small or single Chinese shop to three cases of six tins each, in each of which are not more than 1,200 boxes of matches.
2. In a large or double shop to six such cases.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 14, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Monday, July 5, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. W. Burkill *(Chairman)*
M. Benjamin
H. A. Macintyre
C. G. S. Mackie
S. B. Neill

The meeting adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Friday, July 9, 1920, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. F. Mackay *(Chairman)*
M. Benjamin
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Watch Committee held on Monday, July 12, 1920 at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. W. P. Lambe *(Chairman)*
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet

The meeting adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, July 14, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith *(Chairman)*
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

### Chinese Educational Committee.

The sympathy of the Council and of the Chinese Educational Committee has been extended to Mr. Shen Heo-sung on the death of his father the late Mr. Shen Tun Ho who was for 15 years a member of the Committee.

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 8, 1920.

SIR,—It was with deepest regret that the Council and the Chinese Educational Committee learnt of the demise of your father, Mr. Shen Tun-ho on Monday last. Besides being identified for many years with philanthropic and benevolent work in the Settlement in its many phases your late father found time to take a very deep interest in education. In 1905, he joined the membership of the Committee appointed to advise the Council on matters relating to the conduct of the Public School for Chinese, at that time the only Council school which provided for the education of Chinese boys. He was still a member of this Committee—now known as the Chinese Educational Committee—at the time of his death, and, as some indication of the growth of the educational facilities provided by the Council for the Chinese, it may be stated that your late father lived to see no less than four Council schools conducted on the most modern educational lines catering for the educational needs of the Chinese community, viz., The Public School for Chinese. The Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, the Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese and the Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, with a total attendance of approximately 1,100 boys. Your late father took a very keen interest in the work of the Committee and the schools and the loss of his services to the Community will be deeply felt.

In the name of the members of the Council and of the Chinese Educational Committee, I have to tender to you and to your family, an expression of very sincere and deep sympathy in your bereavement.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

SHEN HEO-SUNG, Esq.

### Postal Commissioner.

A letter from Mr. C. H. Shields, Postal Commissioner, informs the Council that he has assumed charge of the Postal District of Shanghai, with effect from July 7.

### Municipal Loans 1920.

**6% Sterling Loan Issued at 100%.**

SUBSCRIPTIONS AS ON JULY 13, £451,150

**7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%**

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on July 13, 1920:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| A. E. Algar | Tls. 54,000 | | |
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | 46,600 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,0 0 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co , Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14 000 | | |
| One Investor of | 12,000 | | |
| One ,, | 11,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 299,600 | |
| 120 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 236,500 | |
| 132 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 536,100 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 18 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 42,200 | |
| 20 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 65,200 |
| | | | Total Tls. 601,300 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

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## Rice Profiteering.

Letters to the Senior Consul:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 24, 1920.

SIR,—As the prevailing enhanced price of rice bears very hardly on a substantial section of the Chinese community, causing a large measure of distress, giving rise to strikes and demands for higher wages, and thus contributing to the elements of unrest, which have unhappily been present in the Settlement for some considerable time past, the Council has recently given its very attentive consideration to the causes which have contributed to this state of affairs, and I have the honour to inform you that, as a result, it has been forced to the conclusion that the abnormal increase in the price of rice, though due to some extent undoubtedly, to profiteering, must be attributed in the main to the fact that the restrictions on the export of this commodity from districts within measurable distance of the Settlement, are not being strictly enforced. It appears that quite considerable quantities of rice have been and are still being shipped to Japan and elsewhere, and it seems to the Council that no immediate improvement in the present situation can therefore be expected, unless and until these restrictions are strictly enforced. I have accordingly the honour to express the Council's earnest hope that it may be possible for the Consular Body to bring this matter to the notice of the Chinese Authorities concerned.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. BROOKE SMITH,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 6, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to refer to my letter to you of June 24, on the subject of the distress resulting from the much enhanced price of rice, and to inform you that investigation since made has shown that the subsequent further rise in price is due mainly, if not wholly, to profiteering in this commodity by those who are withholding large stocks from sale against higher prices. Under these circumstances, and in view of the fact that the situation was becoming somewhat critical, the Council considered it necessary to post a proclamation in Chinese on June 30 in the form of the translation attached, and I now have the honour to inform you that the price of first quality rice, has since fallen from $15.60 to $14.10 per picul and that the Council looks for a further substantial decline in the course of the next few days.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. BROOKE SMITH,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium and Senior Consul.

## Public Lighting.

*Bubbling Well Road.*—After consideration of reports by the Commissioner of Police and the Commissioner of Public Works it has been decided to substitute a 1,000 c.p. Electric lamp for the existing gas standard at the junction of Bubbling Well and Carter Roads. The annual cost is Tls. 192.

## Sanitary Station.

Shanghai, July 12, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to hand you, enclosed, a statement of Receipts and Payments in connexion with the Sanitary Station at Woosung for the June Quarter 1920.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

The CHAIRMAN, Municipal Council.

| RECEIPTS. | *Haikwan Taels* | |
|---|---|---|
| Balance from March Quarter 1920 | — | |
| Foreign Municipal Council's Contribution | 1,346.50 | |
| French Municipal Council's Contribution | 471.27 | |
| Superintendent's Contribution | 2,693.00 | |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 145.32 | |
| Gain by Exchange | 34.11 | |
| *Interest on Mortgage A/c | | 4,690.20 |
| Total Receipts | | 4,690.20 |

| EXPENDITURE. | *Haikwan Taels* | |
|---|---|---|
| Salaries, Foreign Staff | 1,975.80 | |
| " Chinese " | 1,087.00 | |
| Maintenance Account | 339.16 | |
| Coal and Stores for Tender | 904.66 | |
| | 4,306.62 | |
| Balance due on March 31, 1920 | 12,992.13 | |
| | | 17,298.75 |
| Debit Balance on June 30, 1920 | | 12,608.55 |

*Total interest received to date Hk. Tls. 2,244.15

Prepared by
R. L. WARREN,
*District Accountant.*

L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JULY 10.

*Police Force.*—Constables A. C. Craig and A. G. Wadey are dismissed the Force from July 9.

N. Chadderton is appointed Assistant Warder on probation from July 12.

*Health Department.*—Inspector D. P. W. Jones undertook Slaughter House Duty from July 7, vice Inspector N. J. Hughes.

Nurse K. Edelman was permitted to terminate her service on July 6.

Nurse E. J. Swinton undertook the duties of Sister-in-Charge Police, Hospitals during the months of May and June.

Nurse A. A. Thomlinson is appointed Sister-in-charge, Police Hospitals from July 1.

Nurse B. Phillips will undertake the duties of Matron, Isolation Hospital for Chinese, from May 10 and during the absence on leave of Miss L. M. Dawson.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. C. F. Burdett is appointed Parkkeeper on probation from July 1.

*Public Band.*—Musician D. Alberti is permitted to terminate his service under medical certificate, on July 15.

*Revenue Department.*—The appointment of Tax Collector A. F. Wilson is confirmed under agreement from February 9, terminable at three months' notice.

## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | July 19 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden | |
| Tues. | " 20 | 5.30 | " | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | " 21 | 9.00 | " | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | " 22 | 5.30 | " | " " |
| Fri. | " 23 | 9.00 | " | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. | " 24 | 4.30 | " | Public Recreation Ground |
| " | " 24 | 9.00 | " | Public Garden |

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 6 | Bund and Peking | Palmer & Turner | | | block offices |
| 119 | Avenue Edward VII & Szechuen | The Chartered Stock and Produce Exchange | | | water closet |
| 141 | Off Kiangse | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | block offices |
| 80 | Szechuen | C L. Nieh | | | altns. |
| 47/48 | " | Palmer & Turner | | | altns. & addns. |
| 16 | Yuen-ming-yuen | W. R. Loxley & Co. | | | water closet |
| 1098 | Broadway East | C. Luthy | | | factory |
| N of 6180 | Hart | Ven Chang Kee | | | conservatory |
| 3240 | Seymour | R. A. Curry | | | lodge & wall |
| 4542 & W of 4542 | Off Tonquin | H. M. Cumine | 6 | | |
| 4390 | W. Soochow | Naigai Wata Kaisha | | | cotton mill |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 571 | Amoy | Tung Wai Kee | 45 | | 2 gatehouses |
| 114 | Off Canton | Zung Tih Kee | | | addns. |
| 1157 | E. Seward & Kungping | Algar & Co., Ld. | 6 | | |
| N of 381 | Urga | King Kee | 11 | | |
| 3860 | Ward | The Shanghai Industrial & Trading Co., Ld. | | | altns. |
| N of 350 | Off E. Yalu | N. Yung Shing | | | 14 bungalows |
| 4370 | " Markham | Zee Hai Doo | | | addns. |
| W of 4638 & 4640 4636 4638 & 4640 | Mokanshan & Tonquin | H. M. Cumine | 80 | | 2 gatehouses |

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**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, July 11, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 22 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 3 | 3 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 148 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Report of the Commissioner of Public Works for June.**

It is interesting to note that despite the ever increasing cost of almost all building materials the building trade locally still flourishes, there being at present more blocks of new buildings under construction than at any one time during the past 10 years. The average yearly number of building permits issued during that period being 530, whereas already this year over 400 permits have been issued.

This month there have been 397 blocks of buildings in course of construction in different parts of the Settlement.

Some idea of the increasing amount of Departmental work in connexion with permits may be gathered from the fact that in 1910 the total number of permits of all kinds issued was 8,767 as against 13,983 last year and 9,152 during the first six months of this year.

Although for some years past the number of Foreign and Chinese dwelling houses erected in the Settlement has steadily decreased the number of offices and manufacturing buildings erected shows a marked increase.

Despite the fact that the estimated value of buildings for which permits were issued last year reached the large total of Tls. 5,850,000, there is every reason to believe that this figure will be very considerably increased this year.

*Roads.*—It has been necessary to neglect the mud roads in the Western District to some extent, as the coolies usually employed in raking them have been on strike for several weeks, with the usual demand for more pay on account of the increased price of rice.

A further widening is being effected in Bubbling Well Road, west of Seymour Road.

The ballasting and metalling of Gordon Road has been completed on the east side between Ichang Road and Macao Road.

Asphaltic concrete has been laid in Kiangse Road between Nanking Road and Soochow Road, and also for a short distance north of Canton Road. Work is now proceeding in Museum Road.

The laying of this class of road pavement entails considerable inconvenience to traffic whilst operations are in progress, but night work is not considered advisable at present, as the work calls for very close supervision, and any defective workmanship would lead to complete failure of the pavement.

The stone pitching on the Bund foreshore is practically completed. The widening of the Bund is completed between Peking Road and Nanking Road, and work is well advanced between Nanking Road and Hankow Road. Tongshan Road is being made up between Singkeipang Road and Dent Road over the line of the old Singkeipang.

The following roads have been raised and formed in the Eastern District:—

Linching Road, between Pingliang Road and Yangtszepoo Road.

Kueiyang Road, between Pingliang Road and Yangtszepoo Road.

Holung Road, east of Yangtszepoo Creek.

Kungping Road north of East Yuhang Road.

*Drainage.*—The creek in Yuyuen Road between Kiaochow Road and Hart Road has been culverted.

A 3'-0" diameter culvert is being laid in Avenue Road and in Hart Road between Yuyuen Road and Avenue Road.

*Creeks and Rivers.*—The dredging operations are being continued at the mouth of the Soochow Creek, and to date a total of 4,300 fong of mud has been removed, the channel now approximating to the lines it occupied in 1908.

The wooden decking of the Wayside Wharf has been extensively repaired, and further repairs will be needed next year.

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

*Administration Building.*—The contract for the Garage building has been let, and work will be started shortly.

Good progress is being made with the fitting of the heating installation, the corridor mosaic flooring, and the internal joinery work.

FIRE BRIGADE.

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—The walls are now up to the roof level, and the centering for the concrete roof is being put in. The pouring of the concrete should be started at the end of this month.

The cinder concrete partition walls and gas fitting work are also in hand.

ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

*Administration Building Substation.*—The concrete work of the third storey is nearly complete, and the centering for the roof is in place.

*Tonquin Road Substation.*—The foundations for two synchronous condensers with cable trenches have been constructed on the ground floor.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—1,938 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

*Cleansing and Watering.* Total
Road sweepings collected cartloads 4,338
Used for raising land 511
Water used for street watering 7,487,800 gallons.

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 3,088 |
| Artisans | 426 |
| Foremen | 236 |
| Mafoos | 149 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 7,362 pieces |
| Machine made | 2,757 ,, |
| Total | 10,119 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 106 admissions during the month and 271 bundles of wood chopped.

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 72 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates issued | 64 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 37 |
| New lots put under taxation | 19 |
| Assessed value of the land placed under taxation | Tls. 112,591 |
| Official plans prepared | 40 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 185 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 230 |
| Surveys made in connexion with road widenings and/or extensions | 51 |
| Lots examined to see whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 72 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Western District | 7 |
| Outside Limits | 9 |

*New Buildings.*

| | |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 397 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 149 |
| Plans approved | 103 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 3,680 |
| Boundary walls erected | 843 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadway | 34 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 908 |
| Encroachments reported and rectified | 1 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 47 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 71 |

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*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.

Aerated water and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years, in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Mosquito Notice.

NO STAGNANT WATER—NO MOSQUITOES.

Mosquitoes carry MALARIA and other diseases.

Mosquitoes cannot multiply except in STAGNANT WATER. Where stagnant water cannot be ABOLISHED kerosine sprinkled on the surface to form a film will kill mosquito 'wrigglers,' as it prevents breathing when they come to the surface.

Old tins and bottles, broken crockery and unconsidered ARTICLES OF THIS KIND CAPABLE OF HOLDING RAIN WATER should be carefully COLLECTED from the garden and backyard and placed with the refuse for removal.

Tubs, kongs, water plants, flowerpot saucers or other VESSELS OF WATER, which cannot be dispensed with should be EMPTIED OR SPRINKLED WITH KEROSINE ONCE A WEEK.

GARDENERS' KONGS, DUG-OUTS, WELLS AND WATER BARRELS should be done away with, water for the garden, etc., being derived directly from the tap or, if that be impossible, the kongs, etc., should be oiled once a week or kept securely covered so that mosquitoes cannot get to the water to lay their eggs.

Have the water from kennels, chicken coops, etc., regularly emptied out.

Keep drains and rain-water roof channels clean and clear and in good repair. GULLY TRAPS that are not frequently flushed should be oiled weekly.

Shallow RAIN WATER POOLS AND SLUSHY PLACES can generally be obliterated by a SCRATCH DRAIN or LEVELLED with house ashes, PONDS AND DITCHES by FILLING-IN and drainage.

ORNAMENTAL PONDS may be kept free from mosquitoes by FISH but, if mosquito 'wrigglers' be found, the water should be OILED WEEKLY preparatory to FILLING-IN.

A WEEKLY INSPECTION of house and surroundings should be made. It may be remembered that a small unheeded pot of water will suffice to breed enough mosquitoes to irritate a whole neighbourhood

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Studley Park.

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.
2.—The Park is opened daily to the Public from daylight to dusk.
3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.
4.—Dogs are not admitted.
5.—The playing of organised games is prohibited; also the use of solid balls in children's games.
6.—Birdnesting, climbing trees, or otherwise damaging the trees, shrubs, or grass is strictly prohibited; visitors and others in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.
7.—The Police have intructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 16, 1917.

## The Point Garden.

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusive ly for the Foreign Community.
2.—The Park is opened daily to the Public from daylight to dusk.
3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.
4.—Horses, ponies, vehicles and bicycles are not admitted.
5.—Dogs are not admitted unless properly muzzled and led on leash.
6.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers or otherwise damaging the shrubs, plants or grass is strictly prohibited; visitors and other persons in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.
7.—Shooting, lighting fires and playing ball games are strictly prohibited.
8.—The Police have instructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 7, 1918.

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQU

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 行政官有權將所有承攬事件全數或一部分交與人承辦之權

二 本局不能保證承攬人之價錢必為最低之價錢

三 承攬人到局之後該局之費用概由承攬人自理

四 所有承攬人各人之姓名及價錢仍將公開宣佈

五 本局所取之保證金須用現款或銀行保證書

六 所有承攬人之姓名及價錢一俟本局之信函公開後即行公佈

信函須用封固寫明承攬人之姓名及所承辦之工程

信函須送至江西路二號工部局

信函須在下午二十四點鐘以前送交

信函須用挂號寄

信函上必須註明所承辦之工程

信函必須用挂號寄

信函內必須附有公司之簽名

信函必須附有公司之簽名

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2715.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2733.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN 1920.**

**Amount £750,000.**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan, particulars of which are contained in Municipal Notification No. 2715, will remain open until July 31. The total of applications received will be published weekly in the Municipal Gazette.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2729.**

THE Council requires a furnished or unfurnished house of at least five rooms in the Western District, or Western District Extension, as a residence for the Commandant of the Volunteer Corps. Particulars of accommodation, rent, length of lease, etc., should be addressed to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 18, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2736.**

*(Translation.)*

**RICE PROFITEERING.**

FROM investigations made by the Council into the causes contributing to the present abnormally high price of rice, it appears that, in their greed for personal gain and unmindful of the hardships and suffering caused to poor people, certain persons have accumulated stocks of rice, which they are withholding from the market, creating a temporary shortage of supplies, and forcing up the price to an unwarranted figure.

Rice is the staple food of the Chinese people, and profiteering or speculating in the food of the people is an offence against the law, and severely punishable.

Notice is accordingly given that any persons profiteering in rice, whether by the withholding of stocks or by any other means, are liable to prosecution with severe penalties on conviction, and with confiscation of their stocks.

The public is earnestly requested to report any cases of rice profiteering that may come to its knowledge. Such reports should be in writing, addressed to the Commissioner of Police, Central Police Station, Foochow Road, and should give as full particulars as possible, so as to facilitate prosecution against the concerned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 30, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2737.**

**TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.**

TO facilitate the control of traffic in the Nanking Road, the following additional regulations will come into force from this date:—

(1) No vehicles will be permitted to rank for extended periods in the section of the Nanking Road between Shantung Road and the Bund.

(2) Temporary standing accommodation will be provided in the above section of the Nanking Road for vehicles of persons visiting business premises.

These temporary standing places will be marked by means of white lines on the kerbstone, and no vehicle will be permitted to stand except where the kerbstone is so marked.

(3) No vehicles will be permitted to stand on the south side of the above section of the Nanking Road between the hours of 11.45 a.m. and 12.30 p.m., except on Sundays.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 6, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2738.**

**KEROSENE OIL.**

NOT more than ten cases of kerosene oil may be stored at one time in any Chinese house.

**MATCHES.**

The storage of matches is limited:—

1. In a small or single Chinese shop to three cases of six tins each, in each of which are not more than 1,200 boxes of matches.
2. In a large or double shop to six such cases.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 14, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Monday, July 19, 1920, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
D. Goh
H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, July 20, 1920, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. F. Mackay (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 12.50 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, July 21, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 6.20 p.m.

**Recess.**

The annual recess has been arranged to have effect between August 11 and September 22.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*Staff.*—In consideration of long and valued service in the Corps, and upon the recommendation of the Commandant, retired rank of Captain, with the right to wear the prescribed uniform has been conferred on Captain C. H. Godfrey, Engineer Staff Officer, upon his resignation from the Corps which has been accepted with regret.

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Gordon Road.* — Arrangements have been concluded with Mrs. C. M. McBain for the acquisition from Cadastral Lots 2935 and 2940, of Mow 0.362 required in connexion with this road widening, at the assessed value Tls. 4,500 per mow plus 10 per cent., or a total of Tls. 1,792. Mow 0.278 will be utilized as road land and the balance of Mow 0.084 will remain as surplus land.

*Dent Road Extension.*—After protracted negotiation, arrangements have been concluded with Mr. J. Noble whereunder he will surrender from Cadastral Lot 895 the area required for the Dent Road, measuring Mow 0.373, for the sum of Tls. 93.25, and will purchase from the Council the pieces of surplus land, purchased in the course of acquiring land for road construction, consisting of Cadastral Lots 1400 and 1401 (B.C. Lot 3139) on the East Yalu Road, and measuring Mow 0.799, for Tls. 375, and also Cadastral Lot 892 (B.C. Lot 9774) measuring Mow 0.172, on the Dent Road for Tls. 292.

The total sum paid by Mr. Noble as a result of these transactions is Tls. 573.75.

**Land Assessment.**

The following are the values placed on lots in the Central District, by Messrs. Halse and Sparke, as a basis for taxation. The usual notices to lot-owners are being distributed, allowing for protests within 30 days:—

| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. |
| 1 | 43,000 | 7 | 42,000 |
| 2 | 78,000 | 8 | 42,000 |
| 3 | 120,000 | 9 | 39,000 |
| 4 | 115,000 | 10 | 39,000 |
| 5 | 115,000 | 11 | 38,000 |
| 6 | 130,000 | 12 | 38,000 |
| 13 | 40,000 | 57 | 75, |
| 13A | 42,000 | 58 | 67, |
| 14 | 40,000 | 59 | 56, |
| 15 | 55,000 | 60 | 110, |
| 16 | 55,000 | 61 | 120, |
| 16A | 45,000 | 61A | 90, |
| 17 | 41,000 | 62 | 75, |
| 17A | 42,000 | 64 | 36, |
| 17B | 32,000 | 64A | 30, |
| 17C | 31,000 | 65 | 35, |
| 17D | 38,000 | 66 | 35, |
| 17E | 37,000 | 67 | 40, |
| 17F | 37,000 | 68 | 35, |
| 17G | 32,000 | 69 | 30, |
| 18 | 40,000 | 70 | 25, |
| 18A | 38,000 | 70A | 25, |
| 18B | 32,000 | 71 | 32, |
| 18C | 32,000 | 72 | 35, |
| 19 | 43,000 | 73 | 40, |
| 21 | 52,000 | 74 | 38, |
| 22 | 50,000 | 75 | 26, |
| 23 | 93,000 | 76 | 35, |
| 24 | 87,000 | 77 | 38, |
| 24A | 120,000 | 77A | 47, |
| 24B | 40,000 | 77B | 48, |
| 25 | 68,000 | 77C | 46, |
| 26 | 130,000 | 77D | 53, |
| 27 | 60,000 | 78 | 47, |
| 28 | 100,000 | 79 | 53, |
| 29 | 88,000 | 80 | 76, |
| 29A | 75,000 | 81 | 50, |
| 29B | 63,000 | 81A | 53, |
| 29C | 85,000 | 81B | 50, |
| 30 | 72,000 | 83 | 95, |
| 30A | 63,000 | 84 | 95, |
| 31 | 125,000 | 85 | 100, |
| 32 | 140,000 | 86 | 90, |
| 33 | 93,000 | 88 | 80, |
| 34 | 160,000 | 89 | 70, |
| 34A | 85,000 | 89A | 95, |
| 34B | 85,000 | 89B | 95, |
| 35 | 50,000 | 90 | 70, |
| 36 | 100,000 | 91 | 75, |
| 37 | 140,000 | 92 | 70, |
| 37A | 123,000 | 93 | 70, |
| 38 | 97,000 | 94 | 63, |
| 39 | 95,000 | 95 | 88, |
| 40 | 98,000 | 95A | 73, |
| 41 | 95,000 | 96 | 73, |
| 41A | 130,000 | 96A | 85, |
| 41B | 97,000 | 97 | 65, |
| 41C | 105,000 | 98 | 48, |
| 41D | 93,000 | 99 | 70, |
| 41E | 50,000 | 100 | 56, |
| 41F | 87,000 | 100A | 57, |
| 42 | 95,000 | 100B | 67, |
| 43 | 130,000 | 101 | 56, |
| 44 | 93,000 | 102 | 65, |
| 45 | 128,000 | 103 | 81, |
| 46 | 88,000 | 104 | 45, |
| 47 | 73,000 | 105 | 64, |
| 48 | 47,000 | 106 | 69, |
| 49 | 120,000 | 107 | 75, |
| 50 | 130,000 | 107A | 53, |
| 51 | 79,000 | 108 | 75, |
| 52 | 86,000 | 109 | 57, |
| 53 | 66,000 | 110 | 55, |
| 53A | 83,000 | 111 | 46, |
| 54 | 68,000 | 112 | 56, |
| 54A | 122,000 | 113 | 51, |
| 54B | 111,000 | 114 | 28, |
| 54C | 112,000 | 116 | 30, |
| 54D | 46,000 | 117 | 30, |
| 55 | 125,000 | 118 | 58, |
| 55A | 75,000 | 119 | 65, |
| 55B | 75,000 | 120 | 50, |
| 56 | 120,000 | 121 | 50, |

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| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| 122 | 35,000 | 188D | 18,000 | 267 | 21,000 | 336 | 19,000 | 406A | 29,000 | 455 | 22,000 |
| 122A | 33,000 | 189 | 21,000 | 268 | 21,000 | 337 | 19,000 | 407 | 21,000 | 455A | 14,000 |
| 123 | 33,000 | 190 | 22,000 | 269 | 29,000 | 338 | 19,000 | 408 | 21,000 | 456 | 23,000 |
| 124 | 33,000 | 191 | 22,000 | 270 | 27,000 | 339 | 19,000 | 409 | 28,000 | 457 | 17,000 |
| 125 | 25,000 | 192 | 21,000 | 271 | 40,000 | 340 | 18,000 | 413 | 31,000 | 458 | 23,000 |
| 126 | 25,000 | 193 | 21,000 | 272 | 39,000 | 341 | 22,000 | 415 | 28,000 | 459 | 25,000 |
| 128 | 30,000 | 194 | 24,000 | 273 | 42,000 | 342 | 21,000 | 416 | 28,000 | 460 | 18,500 |
| 129 | 22,000 | 195 | 24,000 | 274 | 41,000 | 343 | 25,000 | 421 | 41,000 | 463 | 18,000 |
| 130 | 19,000 | 198 | 23,500 | 275 | 40,000 | 344 | 17,500 | 422 | 38,000 | 463A | 19,000 |
| 131 | 35,000 | 199 | 20,000 | 276 | 46,000 | 344A | 19,000 | 423 | 38,000 | 464 | 14,000 |
| 132 | 24,000 | 200 | 17,000 | 277 | 40,000 | 344B | 17,500 | 424 | 40,000 | 464A | 14,000 |
| 133 | 19,000 | 201 | 20,000 | 278 | 35,000 | 345 | 19,000 | 425 | 42,000 | 464B | 17,000 |
| 133A | 19,000 | 202 | 19,000 | 279 | 31,000 | 346 | 20,000 | 426 | 27,000 | 465 | 15,000 |
| 134 | 19,000 | 203 | 21,000 | 280 | 27,000 | 347 | 21,000 | 428 | 40,000 | 465A | 17,000 |
| 135 | 19,000 | 204 | 19,000 | 281 | 31,000 | 349 | 25,000 | 429 | 43,000 | 466 | 14,000 |
| 136 | 22,000 | 205 | 19,000 | 282 | 27,000 | 350 | 20,000 | 430 | 29,000 | 466A | 14,000 |
| 136A | 19,000 | 206 | 20,000 | 283 | 26,000 | 351 | 25,000 | 430A | 23,000 | 467 | 21,000 |
| 137 | 46,000 | 208 | 20,000 | 284 | 42,000 | 352 | 24,000 | 431 | 29,000 | 467A | 20,000 |
| 138 | 37,000 | 209 | 24,000 | 285 | 40,000 | 353 | 25,000 | 432 | 24,000 | 468 | 17,500 |
| 139 | 34,000 | 210 | 22,000 | 286 | 43,000 | 353A | 25,000 | 433 | 27,500 | 469 | 17,500 |
| 140 | 37,000 | 211 | 30,000 | 287 | 37,000 | 357 | 20,000 | 434 | 29,000 | 470 | 18,000 |
| 141 | 37,000 | 212 | 28,000 | 288 | 28,000 | 358 | 32,000 | 435 | 27,000 | 470A | 18,000 |
| 142 | 47,000 | 213 | 22,000 | 289 | 34,000 | 358A | 32,000 | 436 | 32,000 | 471 | 20,000 |
| 143 | 40,000 | 214 | 22,000 | 290 | 32,000 | 359 | 32,000 | 437 | 30,000 | 471A | 19,000 |
| 143A | 40,000 | 215 | 20,500 | 290A | 27,000 | 360 | 70,000 | 439 | 34,000 | 471B | 17,000 |
| 143B | 40,000 | 216 | 24,000 | 291 | 26,000 | 361 | 58,000 | 439A | 31,000 | 472 | 25,000 |
| 143C | 50,000 | 217 | 18,000 | 292 | 27,000 | 362 | 21,000 | 439B | 31,000 | 472A | 25,000 |
| 144 | 25,000 | 218 | 15,000 | 292A | 37,000 | 363 | 21,000 | 440 | 29,000 | 472B | 16,500 |
| 145 | 25,000 | 218A | 19,500 | 292B | 38,000 | 364 | 19,500 | 441 | 29,000 | 472C | 26,500 |
| 146 | 25,000 | 219 | 20,000 | 293 | 36,000 | 364A | 19,500 | 441A | 26,000 | 473 | 13,000 |
| 147 | 30,000 | 219A | 19,000 | 294 | 26,000 | 365 | 19,500 | 441B | 26,000 | 473A | 13,000 |
| 148 | 33,000 | 220 | 19,000 | 295 | 29,000 | 365A | 20,000 | 442 | 32,000 | 474 | 16,000 |
| 149 | 28,000 | 221 | 21,000 | 295A | 38,000 | 365B | 19,500 | 442A | 29,000 | 475 | 18,000 |
| 150 | 29,000 | 222 | 20,000 | 296 | 22,000 | 366 | 19,500 | 442B | 30,000 | 476 | 18,000 |
| 151 | 30,000 | 223 | 20,000 | 296A | 17,000 | 367 | 19,500 | 442C | 33,000 | 477 | 25,000 |
| 151A | 30,000 | 224 | 20,000 | 297 | 19,000 | 368 | 54,000 | 443 | 15,000 | 478 | 20,000 |
| 151B | 30,000 | 225 | 30,000 | 298 | 18,000 | 368A | 20,000 | 444 | 21,000 | 479 | 30,000 |
| 151C | 30,000 | 226 | 33,000 | 299 | 18,000 | 369 | 58,000 | 445 | 19,500 | 480 | 21,000 |
| 151D | 53,000 | 226A | 30,000 | 299A | 17,000 | 369A | 22,000 | 445B | 14,500 | 481 | 18,000 |
| 151E | 46,000 | 227 | 20,000 | 299B | 18,000 | 369B | 20,000 | 445C | 12,000 | 481A | 18,000 |
| 151F | 53,000 | 228 | 20,500 | 300 | 19,000 | 370 | 19,000 | 445D | 15,000 | 482 | 20,000 |
| 152 | 53,000 | 229 | 16,000 | 301 | 20,000 | 371 | 19,500 | 446 | 16,000 | 483 | 16,000 |
| 153 | 30,000 | 230 | 19,000 | 302 | 20,000 | 372 | 18,000 | 446A | 16,000 | 484 | 17,000 |
| 154 | 93,000 | 231 | 19,500 | 304 | 22,000 | 373 | 18,000 | 446B | 16,000 | 485A | 19,000 |
| 155 | 75,000 | 232 | 16,000 | 305 | 22,000 | 373A | 17,500 | 446C | 16,000 | 485B | 19,000 |
| 156 | 56,000 | 233 | 19,500 | 306 | 19,000 | 374 | 28,000 | 446D | 17,000 | 486 | 19,000 |
| 157 | 33,000 | 234 | 27,000 | 307 | 20,000 | 375 | 68,000 | 446E | 17,000 | 486A | 18,000 |
| 158 | 32,000 | 235 | 68,000 | 308 | 16,000 | 376 | 60,000 | 446F | 14,500 | 486B | 22,000 |
| 159 | 75,000 | 236 | 63,000 | 309 | 16,000 | 377 | 65,000 | 446G | 17,000 | 486C | 18,000 |
| 160 | 78,000 | 237 | 63,000 | 310 | 17,000 | 378 | 61,000 | 446H | 14,500 | 486D | 19,000 |
| 161 | 50,000 | 238 | 63,000 | 312 | 16,000 | 379 | 58,000 | 447 | 22,000 | 486E | 18,000 |
| 162 | 78,000 | 239 | 62,000 | 313 | 21,000 | 380 | 27,000 | 448 | 15,000 | 486F | 22,000 |
| 163 | 60,000 | 240 | 63,000 | 314 | 21,000 | 381 | 29,000 | 449 | 16,000 | 488 | 15,000 |
| 164 | 85,000 | 241 | 64,000 | 315 | 17,000 | 382 | 30,000 | 449A | 16,000 | 490 | 19,000 |
| 164A | 95,000 | 242 | 75,000 | 316 | 16,000 | 383 | 32,000 | 449B | 16,000 | 491 | 25,000 |
| 165 | 57,000 | 243 | 70,000 | 317 | 18,000 | 384 | 58,000 | 449C | 16,000 | 492 | 22,000 |
| 166 | 50,000 | 244 | 70,000 | 318 | 16,500 | 385 | 65,000 | 449D | 16,000 | 492A | 20,000 |
| 168 | 57,000 | 245 | 37,000 | 319 | 16,000 | 386 | 30,000 | 449G | 15,000 | 493 | 23,000 |
| 173 | 45,000 | 246 | 45,000 | 320 | 17,000 | 387 | 28,000 | 450 | 16,000 | 493A | 19,000 |
| 174 | 57,000 | 247 | 66,000 | 320A | 17,000 | 388 | 29,000 | 451 | 16,000 | 494 | 18,000 |
| 175 | 42,000 | 250 | 30,000 | 321 | 17,000 | 389 | 29,000 | 451A | 21,000 | 495 | 27,000 |
| 176 | 42,000 | 251 | 33,000 | 322 | 17,000 | 390 | 29,000 | 452 | 16,500 | 496 | 30,000 |
| 177 | 42,000 | 252 | 43,000 | 323 | 17,000 | 391 | 30,000 | 452A | 13,000 | 497 | 20,000 |
| 178 | 40,000 | 253 | 36,000 | 324 | 20,000 | 392 | 27,000 | 452B | 13,000 | 498B | 21,000 |
| 180 | 38,000 | 254 | 16,000 | 325 | 21,000 | 393 | 27,000 | 452C | 19,000 | 499 | 20,000 |
| 181 | 52,000 | 255 | 33,000 | 326 | 19,000 | 394 | 33,000 | 452D | 14,500 | 500 | 20,000 |
| 182 | 45,000 | 256 | 33,000 | 327 | 17,000 | 395 | 30,000 | 452E | 14,500 | 501 | 20,000 |
| 183 | 45,000 | 257 | 45,000 | 327A | 17,000 | 396 | 33,000 | 452F | 14,000 | 503 | 20,000 |
| 184 | 53,000 | 258 | 43,000 | 327B | 17,000 | 397 | 31,000 | 452G | 15,000 | 504 | 20,000 |
| 185 | 40,000 | 259 | 36,000 | 328 | 20,000 | 398 | 31,000 | 452H | 15,000 | 505 | 20,000 |
| 186 | 40,000 | 260 | 44,000 | 328A | 20,000 | 399 | 22,000 | 452J | 15,000 | 506 | 20,000 |
| 187 | 43,000 | 261 | 40,000 | 329 | 17,000 | 400 | 27,000 | 453 | 22,000 | 507 | 31,000 |
| 187A | 41,000 | 262 | 36,000 | 331 | 24,000 | 401 | 30,000 | 453A | 20,000 | 508 | 60,000 |
| 188 | 22,000 | 263 | 28,000 | 332 | 24,000 | 403 | 21,000 | 454 | 21,000 | 509 | 50,000 |
| 188A | 27,000 | 264 | 30,000 | 333 | 24,000 | 405 | 21,000 | 454A | 20,000 | 510 | 50,000 |
| 188B | 27,000 | 266 | 28,000 | 335 | 21,000 | 406 | 29,000 | 454B | 23,000 | 511 | 55,000 |
| 188C | 26,000 | | | | | | | | | 512 | 62,000 |

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| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| 513 | 60,000 | 594 | 23,000 | 678 | 22,000 | 690 | 19,000 |
| 514 | 33,000 | 596 | 23,000 | 679 | 16,500 | 691 | 16,500 |
| 515 | 33,000 | 597 | 22,000 | 680 | 21,000 | 692 | 20,000 |
| 516 | 27,000 | 598 | 23,000 | 681 | 17,500 | 693 | 20,000 |
| 517 | 27,000 | 599 | 22,000 | 682 | 16,500 | 694 | 15,000 |
| 519 | 27,000 | 600 | 23,000 | 683 | 23,000 | 694A | 15,000 |
| 520 | 40,000 | 601 | 22,000 | 684 | 20,000 | 695 | 20,000 |
| 521 | 31,000 | 602 | 22,000 | 686 | 23,000 | 697 | 19,000 |
| 522 | 28,000 | 603 | 22,000 | 686A | 17,000 | 697A | 21,000 |
| 523 | 27,000 | 605 | 25,000 | 687 | 17,000 | 698 | 19,000 |
| 524 | 33,000 | 606 | 23,000 | 688 | 17,500 | 699 | 25,000 |
| 525 | 29,000 | 607 | 21,000 | 689 | 20,000 | 700 | 22,000 |
| 526 | 30,000 | 608 | 26,000 | | | | |
| 527 | 31,000 | 609 | 23,000 | | | | |
| 528 | 44,000 | 610 | 24,000 | | | | |
| 529 | 40,000 | 611 | 24,000 | | | | |
| 530 | 27,000 | 613 | 24,000 | | | | |
| 531 | 20,000 | 614 | 24,000 | | | | |
| 531A | 20,000 | 615 | 23,000 | | | | |
| 532 | 31,000 | 616 | 23,000 | | | | |
| 533 | 39,000 | 617 | 39,000 | | | | |
| 534 | 35,000 | 618 | 25,000 | | | | |
| 535 | 30,000 | 619 | 39,000 | | | | |
| 536 | 35,000 | 620 | 24,000 | | | | |
| 537 | 27,000 | 621 | 23,000 | | | | |
| 538 | 30,000 | 622 | 50,000 | | | | |
| 539 | 32,000 | 623 | 25,000 | | | | |
| 542 | 29,000 | 625 | 26,000 | | | | |
| 543 | 29,000 | 626 | 55,000 | | | | |
| 544 | 30,000 | 627 | 29,000 | | | | |
| 545 | 30,000 | 628 | 60,000 | | | | |
| 546 | 26,000 | 629 | 60,000 | | | | |
| 547 | 28,000 | 630 | 58,000 | | | | |
| 549 | 20,000 | 631 | 55,000 | | | | |
| 550 | 22,000 | 632 | 50,000 | | | | |
| 551 | 24,000 | 633 | 40,000 | | | | |
| 552 | 16,500 | 634 | 28,000 | | | | |
| 554 | 20,000 | 635 | 26,000 | | | | |
| 555 | 20,000 | 636 | 25,000 | | | | |
| 556 | 16,500 | 636A | 24,000 | | | | |
| 557 | 28,000 | 637 | 30,000 | | | | |
| 558 | 22,000 | 638 | 31,000 | | | | |
| 559 | 26,000 | 640 | 30,000 | | | | |
| 560 | 28,000 | 642 | 30,000 | | | | |
| 561 | 18,000 | 643 | 31,000 | | | | |
| 562 | 25,000 | 646 | 25,000 | | | | |
| 563 | 22,000 | 646A | 20,000 | | | | |
| 564 | 26,000 | 647 | 29,000 | | | | |
| 566 | 28,000 | 648 | 17,000 | | | | |
| 567 | 19,000 | 649 | 25,000 | | | | |
| 568 | 18,000 | 650 | 28,000 | | | | |
| 569 | 15,500 | 651 | 21,000 | | | | |
| 571 | 15,500 | 652 | 17,000 | | | | |
| 572 | 15,500 | 653 | 23,000 | | | | |
| 573 | 15,500 | 654 | 22,000 | | | | |
| 573A | 18,000 | 655 | 23,000 | | | | |
| 574 | 18,000 | 656 | 20,000 | | | | |
| 575 | 20,000 | 657 | 25,000 | | | | |
| 576 | 16,000 | 658 | 22,000 | | | | |
| 577 | 16,000 | 659 | 22,000 | | | | |
| 578 | 17,000 | 660 | 22,000 | | | | |
| 579 | 16,500 | 661 | 22,000 | | | | |
| 580 | 20,000 | 662 | 22,000 | | | | |
| 581 | 17,000 | 663 | 18,000 | | | | |
| 582 | 18,000 | 664 | 20,000 | | | | |
| 583 | 15,000 | 665 | 20,000 | | | | |
| 584 | 19,000 | 666 | 20,000 | | | | |
| 585 | 15,000 | 667 | 18,000 | | | | |
| 585A | 19,000 | 668 | 19,000 | | | | |
| 585B | 21,000 | 669 | 25,000 | | | | |
| 586 | 22,000 | 670 | 25,000 | | | | |
| 588 | 21,000 | 672 | 18,000 | | | | |
| 589 | 20,000 | 673 | 20,000 | | | | |
| 590 | 20,000 | 674 | 31,000 | | | | |
| 591 | 20,000 | 675 | 20,000 | | | | |
| 592 | 19,000 | 676 | 17,500 | | | | |
| | | 677 | 16,500 | | | | |

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JULY 17.

*Police Force.*—Major K. M. Bourne, M.C., Cadet in the Police Force, is promoted to be 2nd Assistant Commissioner from July 20.

Havildar No. 326 Indar Singh, is discharged, invalided, from July 12.

W. N. Webb is confirmed in the rank of Assistant Warder from July 1.

N. Lboff is appointed Constable on probation from July 19.

*Health Department.*—Dr. C. N. Davis, 2nd Assistant Health Officer, is appointed 1st Assistant Health Officer, from January 10, 1920.

Mr. W. P. Galvin is appointed Inspector on probation from July 5.

Long leave is granted to Nurse E. A. M. Stillwell from July 15.

*Electricity Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mains Foreman A. L. Biggs, from February 15, 1920.

Mr. L. J. Coulcher, probationary Junior Clerk in the Distribution Department, was permitted to terminate his service on June 30.

*Public Band.*—The name of temporary Musician P. Vassilliew is authorized to be struck out of the Municipal Staff List from May 31.

Mr. H. G. dos Remedios, temporary Musician, was permitted to terminate his service on May 31.

Mr. G. Fernando is re-engaged temporarily as Musician from June 1.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. P. R. Thomson Assistant Mistress in the Nieh Chih-kuei Public School for Chinese, is permitted to terminate her service on August 31.

Mrs. G. L. Aitchison is appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Nieh Chih-kuei Public School for Chinese, from September 6.

*Secretariat.*—Miss L. Joffe is appointed Stenographer and Typist in the Secretariat on probation from August 1.

## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | July 26 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden | |
| Tues. | „ 27 | 5.30 | „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | „ 28 | 9.00 | „ | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | „ 29 | 5.30 | „ | „ „ |
| Fri. | „ 30 | 9.00 | „ | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. | „ 31 | 4.30 | „ | Public Recreation Ground |
| „ | „ 31 | 9.00 | „ | Public Garden |

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, July 18, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 634,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 19 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 0 |
| Cerebro-spinal Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 147 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 274 | Foochow & Shantung | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | 4 | |
| 70 | Ping Cha Ka | Brandt & Rodgers | 2 | | |
| 85 | Szechuen | G. Wootten | | | altns. |
| 1579 | Off Tong-shan | Zee Shan Kee | | | 1 conservatory |
| 3860 | Ward | Lin Tai & Co. | | | store room wall & gates |
| 2357 | Off Yang-tszepoo | Nippon Yusen Kaisha | | | shed |
| 1249 | E. Yuhang | Tsao Kwei Kee | | | foundry & wooden bridge |
| 7200 & N of 7293 | Yu Ka Pang | Kung Zung Shing | | | 2 wooden buildings |
| 1676 | Off Manila | Tankai & Co. | | | temporary workshed |
| 4602 | Mokanshan | Chen Chin Chee | | | staff qrs. |
| 2755 | TempleLane | H. M. Cumine | | | coal shed, wall & latrine |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 274 | Foochow & Shantung | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | 27 | | |
| 372 | Off Tientsin | H. J. Ambrose | | | altns. |
| E of 2283 | „ Baikal | B. C. Chee | | | 4 bungalows |
| S of 940 | „ Urga | Ming Sun Kee | 6 | | 1 hong |
| 6865 | Off Yang-tszepoo | A. M. Avice | 4 | | |
| 1249 | E. Yuhang | Tsao Kwei Kee | 6 | | |
| 3565 | Connaught | Ze Hung Kee | 3 | | shed |
| 3527 | Markham | Yu Shung Hung Kee | | | hong |

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## Municipal Loans 1920.

### 6% Sterling Loan Issued at 100%.

SUBSCRIPTIONS AS ON JULY 20, £474,000

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on July 20:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| A. E. Algar | Tls. 54,000 | | |
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | 46,600 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co, Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14 000 | | |
| One Investor of | 12,000 | | |
| One " | 11,000 | | |
| Three Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 30,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 309,600 | |
| 129 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 258,400 | |
| 142 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 568,000 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 18 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 42,200 | |
| 20 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 65,200 |
| | | | Total Tls. 633,200 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

## Report of Commissioner of Police for June.

### Strength of the Force on June 30.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 214 | |
| Japanese | 27 | |
| Sikhs | 687 | |
| Chinese | 1,459 | |
| | | 2,396 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 95 | |
| Followers | 230 | |
| | | 325 |
| | Total | 2,721 |

*Murder.*—Shortly after midnight on June 6 when a Chinese shopkeeper named Woo Siau-pau, No. 115 Chapoo Road, was closing for the night he was attacked and killed by a man armed with a hammer. His death probably resulted from some feud arising over the division of money obtained in a fraudulent manner.

A well-known "sing song" girl named Lien Ying who disappeared from No. 702 Chekiang Road on June 9 was found strangled in a wheat field off Hungjao Road outside the Settlement on June 16. The body was stripped of jewellery valued at $4,000 which the girl was wearing when she disappeared. Evidence goes to show that Lien Ying was done to death near the place where the body was found. The culprit has absconded from Shanghai.

*Peace Negotiations.*—Considerable discussion took place in local political circles and the Chinese press during the month regarding the re-opening of the Peace Conference and the early ending of internal strife was prophesied. Unfortunately these discussions disclosed no evidence of real progress towards peace.

*Price of Rice.*—The continued increase in the price of rice still complicates the local situation and is causing much unrest. Rice which sold for $8.70 per picul at the end of April rose to $10.00 in May. Further increases occurred during June, the unprecedented figure of $15.60 per picul being reached on June 29.

Following meetings of the Chamber of Commerce and Rice Merchants' Guild, arrangements were made on June 29 to reduce the price to $14.00 per picul and the Municipal Council issued a proclamation the following day denouncing profiteering as a serious offence against the law. These measures resulted in an immediate drop in the price but it cannot be stated at present whether the decrease will be continuous or not.

The high market value of rice is to a certain extent attributable to the following causes:—

1.—Deficient yield in Kiangsu Province last harvest, estimated by some at 30 per cent. below normal.

2.—Increased demand and consequent higher prices prevailing in neighbouring countries.

3.—Difficulties of transport arising from internal disorder.

But the attempts of local profiteers to take advantage of these conditions to force up prices are, however, mainly responsible for the 50 to 60 per cent. increase recorded in June.

As might be expected in a population living almost entirely on rice, the abnormal increase in its price resulted in grave unrest among the industrial classes. No less than nine strikes occurred during the month, affecting in all some 40,000 workers. With a few exceptions the average duration was about three days and settlements were affected by increases in wages ranging from 5 to 20 per cent. In other instances demands of workers for increases in wages were partially acceded to and strikes were thus avoided.

A number of persons arrested for intimidating workers who declined to join the strikes were punished by short terms of imprisonment.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 583 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 174 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 145 records were received from the French Police out of which number 74 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For Identification | 728 |
| Identified | 248 |
| Percentage | 34 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 18 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 39 |
| Total | 57 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 23.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 322 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 87 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 57 | *Second offenders.* |
| 35 | *Third offenders.* |
| 7 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 75 | *Habitual offenders* (serious). |
| 583 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for June*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. | Tls. 2,600.06 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 1,135.33 |
| Total | Tls. 1,464.73 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. 1,464.73 |

Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licenses suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.

K. J. McEUEN,
*Commissioner of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:—* | |
| Attempted sodomy and assault | 1 |
| Assault | 1 |
| Causing grievous bodily harm | 1 |
| 2.—*Offences Against Property:—* | |
| Fraud | 1 |
| Larceny | 1 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:—* | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:—* | |
| Dogs | 10 |
| Motor Car | 4 |
| Motor Cycle | 1 |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:—* | |
| Fire-arms, carrying | 1 |
| House refuse | 1 |
| Nuisance | 1 |
| Corruption | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 13 |
| Found on enclosed premises | 1 |
| In possession of smuggled opium and/or morphia | 4 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Loitering | 1 |
| Obstruction | 1 |
| Printing forged coupons | 1 |
| Soliciting alms | 1 |
| Unlawfully shooting with an automatic pistol | 1 |
| 4.—*Miscellaneous Cases* | 1 |
| Total | 48 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,407 | 1,407 |
| Others | 49 | 886 | 935 |
| Total | 49 | 2,293 | 2,342 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cautioned | 4 |
| Dismissed | 2 |
| Expulsion or deportation | 1 |
| Fined | 21 |
| Imprisonment | 7 |
| Imprisonment and Expulsion | 2 |
| Imprisonment and Fined | 3 |
| Remanded | 7 |
| Sent to Harbin for trial | 1 |
| Total | 48 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on June 30.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 4 |
| Louza Station | 12 |
| Hongkew Station | 7 |
| Harbin Road Station | 4 |
| West Hongkew Station | 13 |
| Wayside Station | 2 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | — |
| Sinza Station | 10 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 5 |
| Gordon Road Station | 2 |
| N. Szechuen Road Station | 1 |
| Gaol | 1,623 |
| Reformatory | 68 |
| Total | 1,751 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 660 | 260 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 660 | 260 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN May 29 and June 25, 1920.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 37,857.92 |
| Recovered | 28,183.02 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 31/5/20 | 38 | 429 |
| Captured | 391 | |
| Returned | 57 | 429 |
| Killed | 306 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 28 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 38 | |

## Health Officer's Report for June.

Apart from the number of people bitten by rabid dogs and requiring the Pasteur Treatment the Settlement has been remarkably free from preventable disease.

There have been threats of Cholera from many sides but no case has been substantiated in the Settlement. This year there are two special hospitals prepared to give the transfusion treatment when required.

Although the Settlement has so far been singularly free from Typhoid, Dysentery and choleraic trouble the season when these diseases often become prevalent is imminent. The Public Health Notice is commended for careful study. Copies may be obtained on application to the Health Officer or any of the Health Inspectors, who are always glad to explain how the safety of the household may best be obtained. The more trouble taken to see that the recommendations are carried out the greater will certainly be the immunity from those dangerous intestinal conditions associated with life in the Far East. These troubles nearly always come through the mouth. It is advisable always to wash the hands before eating and to establish a routine among the servants that they wash their hands before serving food. Boiled white cotton gloves for the "boy" during service of food can be recommended if only as a sort of ritual of cleanliness. All food should be cooked or sterilised according to the Notice. Boiled water is safer than filtered water to drink. The measures recommended should be taken against flies. Anyone who has any difficulty in carrying out the recommendations of the Public Health Notice should communicate with the Health Officer, preferably in writing, or should call up their district Health Inspector.

Residents within the Settlement are requested to communicate with the Health Officer if they are troubled by mosquitoes. Not only is it often possible to remove this nuisance but such information is a valuable check on and assistance to the work of the Sanitary Staff.

The Public Swimming Bath has been patronised to its fullest capacity. The water is changed twice weekly, the bath on each occasion being scrubbed down with chlorinated lime. In addition, the water is fully chlorinated every day. Chlorine is now generally recognized as the best water purifier. The addition of chlorinated lime tends, however, to increase the turbidity of the water and might give rise to criticism on this account, but as tested in the Laboratory the water shows a high degree of purity.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign Resident | Foreign Non-resident | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 14 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 | 1 | 101 |
| Beri-beri | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| From all causes | 27 | 6 | 621 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 1 |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 |
| Diptheria | 2 |
| Scarlet fever | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | |
| Dysentery | |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases admitted—Diphtheria | 3 | 4 |
| Scarlet fever | 3 | 8 |
| Cerebrospinal fever | 1 | 4 |
| Measles | 4 | 0 |
| Influenza | 5 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 | 0 |
| Discharged | 19 | 45 |
| Died | 0 | 7 |
| Remaining last day of month | 13 | 14 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 2,180 |
| Bacterial " " | 118 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 15 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 382 |
| Analyses | 64 |

RABIES OBSERVATION

| | |
|---|---|
| Dogs removed for observation | 40 |
| Dogs biting people | 23 |
| Returned to owners | 22 |
| Sent to lethal chamber | 6 |
| Died of Rabies | 5 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 23 | 9 |
| Surgical | 44 | 2 |
| Maternity | 10 | 1 |
| Mental | 3 | 0 |
| Total | 80 | 12 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen ..... | 1,762 | 3 | 1,762 | 0 | 0 |
| Sheep ..... | 2,809 | 1 | 2,809 | 20 | 1 |
| Calves ..... | 371 | 0 | 371 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs..... | 370 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK.

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 303 | 588 | 224 | 375 | 1489 |
| Rats plague infected ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation .... | 800 | 1000 | 760 | 800 | 3360 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1079 | 1484 | 847 | 697 | 4109 |
| Poisoned baits laid ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier ..... | 0 | 0 | 246 | 0 | 246 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

LABORATORY REPORT ON WATER.

Sample received July 12, 1920.

Report sent out July 15, 1920.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks water.

Physical Characters.—Moderate opacity, with faint bluish-green colour. Faintly alkaline reaction to litmus.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 19.4 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 10.5 |
| (a) Temporary | 6.0 |
| (b) Permanent | 4.5 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Chlorine | 3.3 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0500 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0025 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0080 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° c. | 0.0560 |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 20° and 37° showed innumerable and 532 micro-organisms per c.c. respectively.

Organisms of the Coli group were present in 1 c.c. and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—A sample of water showing an exceptionally high bacterial content.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox | 0 | 54 | 0 | 0 | 54 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 2 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 12 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 23 | 75 | 69 | 26 | 193 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 103 | 106 | 8 | 275 | 492 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 1197 | 1,203 | 5,172 | 1,705 | 9,277 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 3 | 74 | 434 | 45 | 556 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 1 | 15 | 0 | 16 |
| Defective drainage amended | 31 | 24 | 34 | 31 | 120 |
| Insanitary wells abolished | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 2 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 11 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 12 | 1 | 9 | 4 | 26 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 0 | 210 | 637 | 847 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 11 | 23 | 0 | 34 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Offensive trade processes amended | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 14 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 19 | 18 | 11 | 15 | 63 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 45 | 48 | 68 | 55 | 216 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 4 | 6 | 5 | 15 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 11 | 25 | 27 | 17 | 80 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 100 | 615 | 375 | 390 | 1,480 |
| Outside hawkers licensed | 666 | 730 | 635 | 438 | 2,469 |
| Food prosecutions | 0 | 29 | 12 | 7 | 48 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 11 | 43 | 12 | 0 | 66 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 0 | 9 | 11 | 1 | 21 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,765 | 4,862 | 2,994 | 3,084 | 14,705 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 6,896 | 4,090 | 2,396 | 2,163 | 15,545 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 2,686 | 752 | 222 | 381 | 4,041 |

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE MUNICIPAL LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Name of Dairy | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fok Hyung | Phe Sz Zung | JE 1600 Tongshan Rd. | Abstraction of fat |
| Farfield | Winifred Flood | 19 Kwenming Road | Abstraction of fat |
| Gordon Road | Tsu Oong Kwhe | Z1128 Gordon Road | Abstraction of fat |
| Delta | Myer Myer | JJ 401 Chaoufoong Rd. | 10.6% added water |
| Ang Hwo | Sung Ah Mau | Edinburgh Road | Abstraction of fat |
| — | E. Solomon | 448 Avenue Joffre | Abstraction of fat |
| Culty | J. P. Sogaard | 505 ,, | Abstraction of fat |

## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.

Aerated water and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years, in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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**Jessfield Park.**

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.

2.—The Park is open to the Public between day'ight and dark.

3.—No persons are allowed in the Park unless respectably dressed.

4.—Horses, ponies, vehicles and bicycles are not admitted.

5.—Dogs are not allowed in the Park unless properly muzzled and led on leash. Dogs running loose in the Park are liable to be captured or shot.

6.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers or otherwise damaging the shrubs, plants, or grass is strictly prohibited: visitors and other persons in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.

7.—Shooting, boating, boat-sailing, lighting fires, and bathing are strictly prohibited.

8.—Athletic events, also cricket, tennis, golf, football, baseball, hockey and all similar games are strictly prohibited.

9.—Persons infringing these regulations will render themselves liable to prosecution.

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 所有份承攬局自項本承攬各項本局承辦利益全份

三 行未定估定必准攬用認價日期亦不承認

四 人擔保後之保證款承辦如局合同辦理付人公信人局合人信付人

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice**

**92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2715.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2739.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000.**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan, particulars of which are contained in Municipal Notification No. 2715, will remain open until August 31, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the list on any day prior to that date.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary*

Council Room,

Shanghai, July 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2729.**

THE Council requires a furnished or unfurnished house of at least five rooms in the Western District, or Western District Extension, as a residence for the Commandant of the Volunteer Corps. Particulars of accommodation, rent, length of lease, etc., should be addressed to the undersigned.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, June 18, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, July 28, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 5.35 p.m.

### Recess.

The annual recess has been arranged to have effect between August 11 and September 22.

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JULY 24.

*Police Force.* — Inspector J. Burnside is promoted to be Chief Inspector from August 1.

Constable H. J. Foxworthy is invalided from July 15.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. C. F. Lloyd is appointed Junior Clerk in the Distribution Department on probation from July 12.

*Public Band.* — Musician H. Goebel was permitted to terminate his service, under medical certificate, on May 31.

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## Municipal Loans 1920.

### 6% Sterling Loan Issued at 100%.

SUBSCRIPTIONS AS ON JULY 27, £484,150

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on July 27:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 71,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14.000 | | |
| One Investor of | 12,000 | | |
| One ,, | 11,000 | | |
| Three Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 30,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 334,400 | |
| 137 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 267,900 | |
| 150 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 602,300 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 20 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 50,700 | |
| 22 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 73,700 |
| | | | Total Tls. 676,000 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. Aug. | 2 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. ,, | 3 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. ,, | 4 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. ,, | 5 | 5.30 ,, | ,, ,, |
| Fri. ,, | 6 | 9.00 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. ,, | 7 | 4.30 ,, | Public Recreation Ground |
| ,, ,, | 7 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, July 25, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 634,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 14 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 133 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 384 | Nanking | S. J. Powell | | | altns. |
| 629 | ,, | Wing On Co., Ld. | | | water closet |
| 1 | Soochow | P. M. Beesley | | | altns. |
| 2390 | Chinwangtao | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | stair case |
| E of 460 | Hailar | King Kee | | | 3 foundry buildings |
| 3940 | Off Pingliang | J. Cromarty | | | shed |
| N of 5200 | Pingliang & Tsitsihar | Dong Kee & Co. | | | boiler house |
| 1657 | Off Tongshan | Butterfield & Swire | | | altns. |
| S of 452 | Urga | King Kee | | | workshed |
| 7088 | Off Ward | T. Harada | | | godown & addns. |
| 2426 | Yangtszepoo | P. Tilley | | | office building |
| 2639 | Kiaochow | Algar & Co., Ld. | 2 | | 2 garages & boundary wall |
| W of 5455 | Robison | ,, | | | garage |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 189 | Off Honan | R. L. Chien | | | addns. |
| 616 | Thibet | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | guild building |
| E of 801 & N of 303 | Off North Fokien | Brandt & Rodgers | 38 | | |
| E of 460 | Hailar | King Kee | | | 5 bungalows |
| 380 | East Yalu | Zah Sue Kee | 21 | | gate house |
| 980 | Off Yochow | ,, | | | 5 bungalows & latrine |

## Mixed Court Report for June.

The undermentioned foreigners who are not recognized by Consulates in Shanghai were before the Court on the undermentioned charges:—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| Zesan Zakofsky | Pole | Larceny | 2 months' impt. |
| Maria Pasderska (female) | Pole | Larceny | 6 months' impt. |
| M. Wintele r | Swiss | Insanity | Confined Mental Ward until boat leaves |
| Lewis Breaan | Eurasian | Begging | Dismissed |
| A. Sander | German | Unlicensed dog | Fined $5 |
| W. Schulz | German | Unlicensed dog | Cautioned |

On June 18, 1920, during the hearing of a criminal case, the complainant (a Japanese) asked for a remand for his own Assessor, but the Assessor (Mr. Blackburn) held that this was an insufficient reason, as a foreign complainant should request his Consul to notify the Court that he wishes his Assessor to hear the case, according to the ruling of the Consular Body.

Fifty-five persons were charged with breaches of motorcar regulations and licenses. In two cases where it was proved that injury had been caused to persons knocked down by motorcars, the drivers were sentenced to six months and 14 days respectively without the option of a fine. One driver was sentenced to 18 months for manslaughter.

Of the 14 foreign civil cases before the Court 6 were decided, while 15 are awaiting a first hearing.

During the month 114 Chinese civil petitions, which require a hearing, were filed. This is the largest number since January 1919 and as a result the number of cases awaiting a first hearing has increased to 45.

The Summer Vacation this year will be from July 16 to September 15 (both inclusive). During this period no civil cases will be heard unless, however, the number greatly increases in which case there will be one sitting a week to deal with claims where the amount involved does not exceed $100.

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with; Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

F. L. WAINWRIGHT,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
K. J. McEUEN,
Commissioner of Police.

OFFENCES.

1.—Offences Against the Person:—

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| Abductions | 10 |
| Assaults | 47 |
| Attempted Suicide | 2 |
| Intimidations | 23 |
| Manslaughter | 2 |
| Murders | 2 |
| Wounding (Causing grievous bodily harm) | 1 |
| Sodomy | 1 |

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2.—Offences Against Property:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Burglaries | 22 |
| Cruelty to animals | 8 |
| Embezzlement | 3 |
| Extortion (obtaining money by threats) | 9 |
| False Pretences | 2 |
| Forgery | 3 |
| Fraud | 7 |
| House-breaking | 3 |
| Larcenies | 217 |
| Malicious Damage | 3 |
| Receiving stolen property | 9 |
| Robberies | 7 |

3.—Offences of a Public Nature:—

Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Carriages | 27 |
| Carts | 54 |
| Dairies | 2 |
| Dogs | 37 |
| Foodshops | 8 |
| Hawkers | 37 |
| Laundries | 3 |
| Livery Stables | 7 |
| Lodging Houses | 4 |
| Motor cars | 55 |
| Opium | 82 |
| Pawnshop | 1 |
| Ricshas | 1,536 |
| Tea-shops | 3 |
| Wheel-barrows | 73 |
| Wine-shops | 11 |

Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Buildings | 12 |
| Dangerous Materials | 1 |
| Feathers | 3 |
| Fireworks | 3 |
| House refuse | 66 |
| Indecent Advertisements | 2 |
| Lotteries | 17 |
| Nuisances | 747 |
| Prostitutes | 29 |
| Sunshades | 2 |
| Traffic | 63 |
| Selling Indecent Pictures | 1 |
| Bribery | 3 |
| Coining | 3 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 2 |
| Contempt of Court | 4 |
| Disorderly Conduct | 47 |
| Gambling | 4 |
| Loitering with intent | 16 |
| Obstructing the Police | 7 |
| Returning after expulsion | 15 |
| Smuggling | 2 |
| Trafficking in Women or Children | 14 |
| Vagrancy | 3 |
| 4.—Miscellaneous Cases | 24 |
| TOTAL | 3,411 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2,411 |
| Cases withdrawn | 5 |
| Cautioned | 31 |
| Compensation | 1 |
| Dismissed | 82 |
| Expulsion | 1 |
| Fined | 524 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 2 |
| Imprisonment | 228 |
| " and expulsion | 103 |
| Reformatory | 4 |
| Released on Security | 2 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 4 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 11 |
| Sent to French Police | 1 |
| Various | 1 |
| TOTAL | 3,411 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On June 1 | 52 |
| Received | 41 |
| Released | 26 |
| On June 30 | 67 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 221 |
| " served | 258 |
| Warrants issued | 59 |
| " executed | 21 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 2 |
| " executed | 1 |
| Summonses issued | 19 |
| " served | 14 |
| " withdrawn | 5 |
| Persons apprehended on Warrant | 1 |
| " summoned | 14 |
| Sealing orders issued | 82 |
| " " executed | 9 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 70 |
| " " withdrawn | 3 |
| Reopening orders executed | 15 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 114 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 50 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 78 |
| " heard | 105 |
| " in course of hearing | 29 |
| " concluded | 64 |
| " awaiting first hearing on June 30 | 45 |
| Summonses issued | 92 |
| " served | 73 |
| " withdrawn | 14 |
| Warrants issued | 35 |
| " executed | 18 |
| " withdrawn | 7 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 18 |
| " summoned | 93 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 43 |
| Sealing orders issued | 12 |
| " " executed | 5 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 6 |
| Sealing orders pending | 1 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 4 |
| Ejectment " " | 2 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 98 |
| Bonds accepted | 76 |
| " rejected | 15 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On June 1 | 51 |
| Received | 35 |
| Released | 34 |
| On June 30 | 52 |

SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | American | Fah Shing Iron Works | Tls. 1,761.77<br>$2,902.92 | Proceeding |
| M. L. Szyryukowski | Russian | Jang Kyung-kyi | $171 | Dismissed |
| Hummel & Ambrose | British | Yau Jing-foo *et al* | Land transaction | For plaintiffs |
| Wong Kwei Chuh | Portuguese | Yang Ji-zu | Tls. 16,000 | Proceeding |
| W. Ulrich & Co. | Russian | Daung Tsz-yien | Tls. 15,000 | Struck out |
| Viloudaki & Co. | American | Kyui Ping-kyi | $270,000 | Proceeding |
| A. Ramos | Spanish | Dzung Tsz-nyi *et al* | $2,433.60 | For plaintiff for $2,433.60 |
| Zih Tsz-bae | Portuguese | Zih Tuh-tsung | Tls. 50,000 | Proceeding |
| T. W. Simmons & Co. | American | Waung Yeu-dzien *et al* | Tls. 700 | " |
| K. Sakamoto | Japanese | Dzung Kyi-meu | Tls. 3,397.61 | " |
| W. Nogi | " | Kau Tshien-dzien *et al* | Tls. 3,375 | " |
| K. Toyado | " | Li Dzien-sung *et al* | Tls. 9,354.13 | " |
| Abe & Co. | " | Yoen Zung-heng | Tls. 28,855 | For plaintiffs |
| C. E. Shepperd | British | Loh Fok-ding | $25 | " |

## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.

Food on which flies have settled.

*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.

*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.

Aerated water and other drinks unless of best quality.

Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.

Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.

Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.

Uncooked oysters.

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*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years, in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Rabies or Hydrophobia.

THE DISEASE.—Rabies or hydrophobia is an acute fatal disease, generally communicated to man through a wound made by the teeth of some infected animal, the saliva being the infective medium. Dogs, cats, goats, cows, horses, and other animals are susceptible to the disease and their bites are very dangerous. Hydrophobia may also be contracted by allowing the saliva (froth) of an infected animal to come in contact with a cut or scratch. This sometimes happens in adjusting muzzles, in trying to remove what seems to be a bone in the throat, or in giving medicines. The saliva may be virulent (poisonous) for one or two days before a dog shows any signs of being sick.

SYMPTOMS.—The disease in the dog appears in two forms. In the furious type, he may suddenly leave home, wandering off for many miles, perhaps, to return in a day or two emaciated, wounded, and utterly changed. During the time of "running mad" he may have bitten many persons and other animals. He seems impelled to bite anything that comes in his way. He cannot be said, as a rule, to fight with other dogs. He bites them and passes on, but does not go out of his way very much to attack them. His main object seems to be to keep moving, as if to escape something. The dumb variety is characterized by progressive paralysis of the lower jaw, change in character of bark, and marked nervousness. The animal may appear very affectionate, but may bite without warning. Death usually results in from three to six days from the onset of sickness.

WHAT TO DO WITH A SUSPECTED ANIMAL.—When an animal is suspected of having this disease it should be captured at once, if possible, and securely confined. A veterinary surgeon should be called to see the dog, or the circumstance should be reported to the nearest Police Station where they will arrange without payment for the transfer of the dog to the Observation Kennel under the care of the Health Officer.

Dogs, suspected of rabies, should, if possible, be captured alive; but they may be killed, if danger of any person being bitten can thereby be avoided. The reason being that if preserved alive it can be ascertained in a day or two whether the animal has rabies, while if killed it usually takes fourteen days to find out.

When other dogs have been bitten by a rabid dog they should either be killed immediately or handed over to the charge of a veterinary surgeon.

WHAT TO DO WHEN BITTEN.—The bite of any animal should be cleaned throughout its depth and cauterized as soon as possible by a doctor.

The person bitten should come to the Health Officer to see if Pasteur Treatment is necessary.

It is absolutely necessary for persons bitten by rabid animals or animals suspected of rabies to have the Pasteur Treatment. This is given at the Municipal Health Office and takes about three weeks. The fee for Pasteur Treatment is Tls. 50 reducible in cases of necessity.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Municipal Publications.

The undermentioned publications may be obtained upon application at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Land Regulations and Bye-laws for the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, North of the Yangkingpang... 1907 | $1.00 |
| Handbook of Local Regulations. Containing Land Regulations and Bye-laws, conditions, security and fees attached to the issue of licences; Municipal Regulations and other information ... ... 1918 | $2.50 |
| Annual Reports and Financial Statements for the following years, with the Budget for the year ensuing ... 1907-1918 each | 4.00 |
| Reports of Ratepayers' Meetings ... 1878-1909 each | 0.10 |
| Land Assessment Schedules. Containing the consular and cadastral numbers of lots, registered owners, areas and values, with plans in four parts, one to each district... 1916 each | $1.50 |
| Rules with respect to New Foreign and Chinese Buildings ... ... 1918 | 1.00 |
| Plans accompanying Land Assessment Schedules 1916 each | 1.00 |
| Plan of Shanghai. Shewing Foreign and French Settlements, and surrounding districts. Size 5′ × 2′ 7″ 1918. | |
| Unmounted ... ... | $3.00 |
| Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... | 5.00 |
| Plan of the Country North of Foreign Settlement of Shanghai. Shewing existing roads and consular lots. Size 9′ 0″ × 4′ 10″. Scale 200 feet ... 1907. | |
| Unmounted ... ... Tls. | 20.00 |
| Mounted on linen... | 27.00 |
| Mounted on linen on rollers ... ... | 35.50 |

## Jessfield Park.

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.

2.—The Park is open to the Public between day'ight and dark.

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3.—No persons are allowed in the Park unless respectably dressed.

4.—Horses, ponies, vehicles and bicycles are not admitted.

5.—Dogs are not allowed in the Park unless properly muzzled and led on leash. Dogs running loose in the Park are liable to be captured or shot.

6.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers or otherwise damaging the shrubs, plants, or grass is strictly prohibited: visitors and other persons in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.

7.—Shooting, boating, boat-sailing, lighting fires, and bathing are strictly prohibited.

8.—Athletic events, also cricket, tennis, golf, football, baseball, hockey and all similar games are strictly prohibited.

9.—Persons infringing these regulations will render themselves liable to prosecution.

**Summary of Revenue for June.**

| Description | Estimate for 1920 | 1920 | | | 1919 | | | 1918 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 |
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,055,000 | — | 164,712.00 | 523,837.32 | — | 121,868.59 | 442,188.29 | — | 92,146.86 | 427,168.98 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 861,000 | — | 36,287.66 | 413,622.91 | — | 39,625.81 | 328,934.93 | — | 20,843.99 | 313,483.22 |
| Chinese | 1,285,000 | — | 68,039.19 | 631,499.24 | — | 42,033.94 | 507,537.28 | — | 32,580.89 | 488,167.47 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | 105.35 | 1,224.38 | — | 389.40 | 1,074.90 | — | 378.05 | 1,271.60 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 350,000 | — | 88,998.51 | 174,244.37 | — | 60,624.39 | 110,835.46 | — | 48,956.94 | 91,870.55 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | 4 | 217.50 | 7,858.50 | 2 | 180.00 | 7,725.00 | 2 | 98.00 | 8,466.00 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 25,000 | 5 | 137.50 | 13,175.00 | 1 | 25.00 | 12,187.50 | 2 | 100.00 | 11,750.00 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 600 | 1 | 3.00 | 294.00 | — | — | 283.00 | — | — | 200.00 |
| Eating House | 10,000 | 205 | 347.21 | 4,768.92 | 267 | 448.48 | 4,349.17 | 55 | 170.26 | 4,377.51 |
| Chinese Club | 5,100 | 1 | 8.35 | 2,475.05 | — | — | 2,441.70 | 1 | 8.35 | 1,966.70 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13,000 | 1 | 6.70 | 5,738.70 | — | — | 6,071.50 | — | — | 6,390.00 |
| Foreign Lodging-house | — | 1 | 0.72 | 63.39 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36,000 | 264 | 1,377.30 | 14,985.40 | 321 | 1,718.05 | 17,812.50 | 69 | 302.45 | 17,890.70 |
| Tea-shop | 17,000 | 626 | 1,336.00 | 8,117.00 | 644 | 1,389.50 | 8,378.50 | 668 | 1,298.50 | 7,978.00 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 7,000 | 27 | 125.36 | 3,503.86 | 4 | 14.72 | 3,296.63 | 7 | 26.60 | 2,878.11 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,500 | 15 | 591.00 | 3,157.50 | 13 | 498.00 | 2,953.00 | 9 | 316.00 | 2,025.00 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 20 | 739.00 | 4,444.00 | 18 | 709.00 | 4,214.00 | 13 | 645.00 | 3,930.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 3,200 | 16 | 260.00 | 1,327.00 | 14 | 279.00 | 1,514.00 | 9 | 138.00 | 1,112.00 |
| Brothel | — | 117 | 84.56 | 84.56 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 33,000 | 312 | 7,886.10 | 15,598.90 | 243 | 6,133.11 | 15,982.77 | 301 | 7,744.40 | 15,601.39 |
| Exchange Shop | 9,000 | 112 | 220.25 | 2,261.75 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tobacco Shop | 15,000 | 369 | 674.25 | 4,133.75 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,700 | 971 | 549.92 | 3,102.30 | 737 | 459.25 | 3,066.57 | 804 | 445.89 | 3,103.90 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,200 | 65 | 94.25 | 555.37 | 63 | 93.24 | 565.62 | 66 | 95.17 | 571 83 |
| Launch | 3,500 | 26 | 52.00 | 1,985.00 | 33 | 66.00 | 1,789.00 | 28 | 56.00 | 1,566.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,764 | 422.57 | 2,291.15 | 1,450 | 357.42 | 2,052.32 | 1,326 | 320.79 | 2,010.50 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 64 | 46.29 | 504.32 | 32 | 23.55 | 459.68 | 40 | 28.91 | 455.26 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 10,000 | P. 14 / C. 14 | 41.89 | 5,169.17 | P. 17 / C. 6 | 32.37 | 5,314.26 | P. 6 / C. 6 | 23.10 | 5,892.68 |
| Livery Stable | 11,000 | P. 310 / C. 288 | 1,056.31 | 5,755.58 | P. 404 / C. 255 | 1,053.23 | 6,271.18 | P. 408 / C. 257 | 1,037.53 | 5,972.28 |
| Motor Vehicles | 70,000 | V. 150 / D. 358 | 931.84 | 34,881.79 | 56 | 198.96 | 22,392.11 | 41 | 153.75 | 17,890.46 |
| Cart | 37,000 | 2,439 | 3,453.50 | 20,837.00 | 1,881 | 2,736.50 | 17,800.00 | 1,723 | 2,478.50 | 15,684.00 |
| Private Ricsha | 70,000 | 133 | 124.72 | 30,737.50 | 106 | 86.55 | 27,017.94 | 76 | 65.77 | 25,374 24 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,572.30 | 69,924.60 | 8,000 | 11,753.15 | 69,384.45 | 8,000 | 11,599.55 | 69,142.70 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 5 | 5.07 | 51.08 | 3 | 2.96 | 63.55 | 4 | 4.32 | 70.17 |
| Wheel-barrow | 53,000 | 8,951 | 4,477.19 | 28,084.89 | 7,429 | 3,718.34 | 25,199.74 | 7,467 | 3,739.87 | 24,311.59 |
| Firearms | 500 | 2 | 20.00 | 170.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 150.00 | — | — | 150.00 |
| Dog | 8,000 | 143 | 516.73 | 4,336.12 | 56 | 206.77 | 3,001.10 | 361 | 520.89 | 2,351.61 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 118,840 | 6,284 | 9,872.82 | 57,171.02 | 5,829 | 9,305.46 | 53,774 25 | 5,611 | 8,850.30 | 52,387.83 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | — | 1,000.00 | — | — | 410.00 | — | 260.00 | 390.00 |
| Firemen's Quarters | — | — | — | — | — | 40.00 | 805.50 | — | 334.00 | 1,155.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 6,000 | — | 499.68 | 2,426.55 | — | 773.00 | 2,748 06 | — | 415.00 | 2,740.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 76.44 | 1,093.32 | — | 86.47 | 1,118.39 | — | 98.45 | 756.29 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 26,300 | — | — | 17,642.86 | — | — | 16,741.10 | — | — | 21,870.30 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | 250.00 | 500.00 | — | 250.00 | 500.00 | — | 250.00 | 500.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co., Ld. | 7,330 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | 7,331 50 | 7,331.50 | — | 7,331.50 | 7,331.50 |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 62,000 | — | 16,356.08 | 31,577.99 | — | 14,020.51 | 26,759 81 | — | 11,582.40 | 22.947.40 |
| Electricity Department | 309,000 | — | 309,000.00 | 309,000.00 | — | 242,000.00 | 242,000 00 | — | 364,000.00 | 364,000.00 |
| Convict Labour | 7,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concrete ware Manufactory | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 8,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,742,870 | | 731,577.11 | 2,472,544.61 | | 570,607.22 | 2,013,996.26 | | 619,445.98 | 2,055,652.75 |

F. A. SAMPSON, *Acting Commissioner of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

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一 所有承攬各項本局承攬事件由英文開列於下

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四 所有人以有公信合人及承辦人之保證人之保證人之保證

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2715.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2739.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000.**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan, particulars of which are contained in Municipal Notification No. 2715, will remain open until August 31, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the list on any day prior to that date.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2729.**

THE Council requires a furnished or unfurnished house of at least five rooms in the Western District, or Western District Extension, as a residence for the Commandant of the Volunteer Corps. Particulars of accommodation, rent, length of lease, etc., should be addressed to the undersigned.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 18, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2740.**

**DANGEROUS DRIVING OF MOTOR CARS.**

TRAFFIC conditions in Shanghai are of an exceedingly complex character. It is therefore the more incumbent on drivers of motor vehicles—the fastest type of vehicle on the streets,—to take particular care in observing the Traffic Regulations and in adjusting their speed at all times so as not to endanger life or limb. The public safety must have first consideration, and those who drive in such a manner as to endanger the public safety will be prosecuted with the utmost rigour of the law.

The Council earnestly requests the co-operation of all motor vehicle owners in seeing that this warning be brought to the particular attention of their chauffeurs so that excessive speed and dangerous driving may cease.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 5, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Band Committee held on Friday, July 30, 1920, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. A. Howard *(Chairman)*
O. M. Green
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 5.40 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Foreign Educational Committee held on Tuesday, August 3, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Dr. S. A. Ransom *(Chairman)*
Mr. P. W. Massey
Mrs. Merriman
Rev. C. J. F. Symons

*Absent*:

Mrs. Billinghurst

The meeting adjourned at 5.25 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, August 4, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith *(Chairman)*
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent*:

Mr. E. F. Mackay

The meeting adjourned at 5.10 p.m.

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### Consular Body.

A letter from Mr. J. A. Schuurman, Consul, in charge of the Netherlands Consulate General, informs the Council that during his temporary absence from Shanghai he has handed over charge of the Consulate-General to Mr. W. A. A. M. Daniels, Vice-Consul, with effect from August 1.

### Stray Children's Home.

The Stray Children's Home in Tongshan Road, which is supported by a grant-in-aid from the Council, will be closed on September 30 next. A number of the children in the Home will be taken over and cared for by the Door of Hope, and any, for whom other suitable arrangements have not been made meanwhile, will be received into the Lunghua Orphanage or the Anti-Kidnapping Society's Home at Kiangwan, together with any other stray children who may be found in the Settlement in future. These institutions which will be subject to periodical inspection by the Council are supervised by a Chinese Committee to which the Council will make an annual grant-in-aid of Tls. 5,000.

### Police Force.

The lease from Mr. H. M. Cumine of No. 2 Temple Lane has been renewed for a further period of one year terminating on August 31, 1921.

### Land Assessment.

The following are the values placed on lots in the Northern District, by Messrs. Halse and Sparke, as a basis for taxation. The usual notices to lot-owners are being distributed, allowing for protests within 30 days:—

| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. |
| 1 | 11,000 | 111 | 7,500 |
| 2 | 11,000 | 112 | 7,500 |
| 3 | 13,000 | 114 | 8,500 |
| 4 | 8,000 | 115 | 12,000 |
| 5 | 8,500 | 116 | 10,000 |
| 8 | 10,000 | 118 | 10,000 |
| 9 | 12,000 | 120 | 8,000 |
| 10 | 11,000 | 130 | 9,000 |
| 11 | 8,000 | 131 | 8,500 |
| 12 | 7,000 | 135 | 10,000 |
| 13 | 7,500 | 137 | 7,000 |
| 14 | 7,500 | 138 | 6,500 |
| 16 | 7,000 | 139 | 6,500 |
| 18 | 7,000 | 140 | 7,500 |
| 20 | 13,500 | 141 | 7,500 |
| 21 | 12,500 | 142 | 7,500 |
| 23 | 11,000 | 143 | 6,500 |
| 25 | 11,500 | 144 | 7,000 |
| 27 | 13,000 | 148 | 7,500 |
| 29 | 8,000 | 149 | 8,000 |
| 31 | 7,000 | 150 | 10,000 |
| 34 | 7,000 | 151 | 10,000 |
| 37 | 7,000 | 152 | 9,000 |
| 40 | 7,000 | 153 | 7,000 |
| 41 | 7,000 | 154 | 7,500 |
| 44 | 6,500 | 155 | 6,500 |
| 45 | 7,000 | 158 | 7,500 |
| 47 | 7,000 | 159 | 7,000 |
| 49 | 7,000 | 201 | 15,000 |
| 50 | 6,500 | 202 | 13,000 |
| 51 | 5,500 | 204 | 13,000 |
| 52 | 6,500 | 205 | 11,000 |
| 53 | 5,500 | 206 | 14,500 |
| 54 | 6,500 | 207 | 11,000 |
| 55 | 5,500 | 207A | 17,000 |
| 56 | 5,500 | 209 | 17,000 |
| 57 | 5,500 | 210 | 11,500 |
| 58 | 4,500 | 211 | 9,000 |
| 60 | 5,500 | 212 | 20,000 |
| 61 | 5,500 | 213 | 19,000 |
| 63 | 5,500 | 214 | 11,000 |
| 64 | 6,500 | 215 | 19,000 |
| 65 | 7,000 | 216 | 9,500 |
| 69 | 6,000 | 217 | 19,000 |
| 70 | 7,000 | 218 | 10,000 |
| 71 | 6,000 | 219 | 9,500 |
| 72 | 6,000 | 220 | 9,500 |
| 73 | 6,500 | 221 | 9,500 |
| 75 | 6,000 | 222 | 9,500 |
| 76 | 5,000 | 226 | 9,500 |
| 80 | 6,000 | 227 | 9,500 |
| 85 | 5,500 | 228 | 9,000 |
| 87 | 5,500 | 229 | 9,000 |
| 90 | 6,000 | 230 | 9,000 |
| 91 | 6,000 | 236 | 9,000 |
| 92 | 7,500 | 239 | 13,000 |
| 93 | 5,000 | 240 | 13,000 |
| 94 | 6,000 | 241 | 13,000 |
| 95 | 5,500 | 242 | 10,000 |
| 97 | 5,500 | 243 | 9,000 |
| 98 | 7,500 | 244 | 13,000 |
| 100 | 15,000 | 245 | 13,000 |
| 101 | 15,000 | 246 | 9,000 |
| 102 | 15,000 | 247 | 9,000 |
| 103 | 16,000 | 248 | 9,000 |
| 106 | 12,000 | 250 | 8,000 |
| 107 | 11,000 | 251 | 8,000 |
| 108 | 12,000 | 252 | 8,000 |

| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. |
| 255 | 9,000 | 373 | 13,500 |
| 256 | 8,000 | 381 | 9,500 |
| 257 | 8,000 | 382 | 8,500 |
| 258 | 8,500 | 384 | 7,000 |
| 263 | 9,000 | 387 | 8,500 |
| 264 | 10,000 | 388 | 11,000 |
| 265 | 8,500 | 389 | 8,500 |
| 266 | 10,500 | 390 | 8,000 |
| 267 | 8,000 | 391 | 8,000 |
| 269 | 8,000 | 392 | 8,500 |
| 270 | 10,000 | 393 | 8,000 |
| 271 | 9,500 | 394 | 8,000 |
| 272 | 10,000 | 395 | 8,500 |
| 273 | 8,000 | 396 | 8,500 |
| 274 | 10,000 | 397 | 8,500 |
| 275 | 8,500 | 398 | 9,000 |
| 276 | 8,000 | 399 | 9,000 |
| 277 | 7,500 | 400 | 6,500 |
| 278 | 8,500 | 409 | 8,500 |
| 279 | 8,000 | 410 | 9,000 |
| 280 | 10,000 | 411 | 9,000 |
| 281 | 7,500 | 412 | 9,000 |
| 282 | 9,500 | 415 | 9,000 |
| 283 | 9,500 | 416 | 8,000 |
| 284 | 8,500 | 417 | 9,000 |
| 284A | 9,500 | 418 | 9,000 |
| 285 | 8,500 | 419 | 9,000 |
| 286 | 8,500 | 420 | 9,000 |
| 287 | 8,500 | 421 | 8,000 |
| 288 | 9,000 | 433 | 8,500 |
| 289 | 9,000 | 435 | 8,500 |
| 292 | 10,000 | 436 | 8,500 |
| 293 | 6,500 | 437 | 8,500 |
| 294 | 8,500 | 438 | 8,500 |
| 295 | 8,500 | 440 | 9,000 |
| 296 | 8,500 | 441 | 17,000 |
| 297 | 8,500 | 447 | 8,500 |
| 298 | 9,000 | 449 | 8,500 |
| 299 | 9,000 | 450 | 9,000 |
| 300 | 20,000 | 452 | 8,500 |
| 301 | 19,000 | 454 | 8,000 |
| 302 | 18,000 | 462 | 8,000 |
| 303 | 10,000 | 464 | 8,500 |
| 304 | 10,000 | 465 | 8,500 |
| 305 | 19,000 | 466 | 8,500 |
| 310 | 17,500 | 468 | 8,500 |
| 312 | 12,000 | 469 | 9,000 |
| 320 | 10,000 | 470 | 8,500 |
| 321 | 10,000 | 471 | 6,000 |
| 322 | 19,000 | 472 | 9,000 |
| 327 | 16,000 | 473 | 6,500 |
| 328 | 11,000 | 474 | 8,500 |
| 329 | 10,000 | 475 | 10,000 |
| 330 | 20,000 | 476 | 9,000 |
| 331 | 19,000 | 477 | 9,000 |
| 332 | 11,000 | 487 | 8,500 |
| 334 | 11,000 | 488 | 8,500 |
| 335 | 11,000 | 489 | 8,500 |
| 338 | 13,500 | 490 | 8,000 |
| 339 | 10,000 | 490A | 9,500 |
| 340 | 11,000 | 492 | 10,000 |
| 342 | 19,000 | 493 | 10,000 |
| 343 | 9,000 | 494 | 11,000 |
| 348 | 8,500 | 495 | 10,000 |
| 349 | 8,500 | 498 | 10,000 |
| 350 | 8,500 | 499 | 9,000 |
| 351 | 7,000 | 500 | 10,000 |
| 352 | 8,000 | 501 | 9,500 |
| 362 | 11,000 | 502 | 9,000 |
| 365 | 9,000 | 503 | 9,500 |
| 366 | 11,000 | 504 | 9,500 |
| 367 | 7,500 | 505 | 9,500 |
| 368 | 10,500 | 506 | 9,500 |
| 369 | 7,500 | 507 | 6,500 |
| 370 | 13,500 | 516 | 10,000 |
| 371 | 13,000 | 517 | 8,500 |
| 372 | 12,000 | | |

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| | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| 518 | 8,500 | 598 | 8,500 | 723I | 10,000 | 844 | 11,000 | 936 | 12,000 | 1025 | 29,000 |
| 519 | 8,500 | 599 | 11,000 | 723J | 10,000 | 845 | 18,500 | 937 | 8,000 | 1026 | 28,000 |
| 521 | 8,500 | 600 | 17,000 | 723K | 9,500 | 848 | 13,000 | 938 | 12,000 | 1027 | 30,000 |
| 522 | 9,500 | 603 | 23,000 | 723L | 6,000 | 849 | 19,000 | 939 | 12,000 | 1028 | 28,000 |
| 523 | 8,500 | 604 | 22,000 | 724 | 8,000 | 855 | 12,000 | 943 | 11,000 | 1029 | 20,000 |
| 524 | 9,500 | 605 | 20,000 | 725 | 6,500 | 856 | 12,000 | 943A | 11,000 | 1030 | 20,000 |
| 524A | 10,000 | 607 | 27,000 | 726 | 6,000 | 859 | 20,000 | 944 | 8,500 | 1031 | 20,000 |
| 525A | 10,000 | 609 | 18,000 | 727 | 6,000 | 860 | 21,000 | 944A | 11,000 | 1032 | 23,000 |
| 526 | 9,500 | 611 | 16,000 | 728 | 6,000 | 861 | 15,500 | 945 | 8,500 | 1033 | 24,000 |
| 526A | 10,000 | 614 | 18,000 | 728A | 6,000 | 862 | 16,500 | 945A | 8,500 | 1035 | 22,000 |
| 527 | 9,500 | 615 | 17,000 | 729 | 6,500 | 864 | 17,000 | 946 | 14,000 | 1036 | 18,000 |
| 527A | 10,000 | 625 | 17,500 | 730 | 6,500 | 867 | 19,000 | 946B | 11,000 | 1037 | 14,000 |
| 529 | 8,500 | 632 | 12,000 | 733 | 7,000 | 868 | 19,000 | 947 | 11,000 | 1039 | 14,000 |
| 530 | 7,000 | 633 | 16,500 | 734 | 20,000 | 869 | 17,000 | 947A | 10,000 | 1040 | 14,000 |
| 531 | 8,500 | 637 | 11,000 | 735 | 19,000 | 870 | 15,500 | 948 | 14,000 | 1041 | 15,000 |
| 532 | 9,500 | 638 | 11,000 | 736 | 19,000 | 871 | 22,000 | 949A | 8,500 | 1042 | 16,500 |
| 532A | 10,000 | 639 | 8,500 | 737 | 19,000 | 872 | 15,000 | 950 | 8,500 | 1043 | 13,000 |
| 533 | 8,500 | 640 | 10,000 | 738 | 6,500 | 873 | 15,000 | 950A | 8,500 | 1044 | 16,000 |
| 534 | 9,500 | 641 | 8,500 | 739 | 6,500 | 874 | 15,500 | 951 | 8,000 | 1045 | 17,000 |
| 535 | 7,000 | 642 | 8,500 | 740 | 8,000 | 875 | 15,500 | 952 | 12,000 | 1046 | 27,000 |
| 536 | 8,000 | 643 | 8,500 | 741 | 6,000 | 876 | 17,500 | 953 | 13,000 | 1048 | 24,000 |
| 537 | 8,000 | 644 | 11,000 | 742 | 8,000 | 877 | 20,000 | 954 | 8,500 | 1052 | 15,000 |
| 538 | 10,000 | 645 | 8,500 | 743 | 21,000 | 879 | 15,500 | 955 | 8,500 | 1053 | 20,000 |
| 538A | 10,000 | 646 | 11,000 | 744 | 6,500 | 881 | 16,000 | 956 | 8,500 | 1054 | 23,000 |
| 540 | 9,000 | 649 | 8,500 | 745 | 9,500 | 882 | 17,000 | 958 | 8,000 | 1058 | 19,000 |
| 540A | 8,500 | 650 | 8,500 | 745A | 7,500 | 883 | 20,000 | 959 | 8,000 | 1059 | 27,000 |
| 541 | 10,000 | 651 | 8,500 | 745B | 7,500 | 884 | 17,000 | 964 | 14,000 | 1061 | 19,500 |
| 542 | 9,000 | 657 | 23,000 | 747 | 7,000 | 886 | 13,000 | 965 | 14,000 | 1062 | 30,000 |
| 542A | 9,000 | 659 | 12,000 | 748 | 7,000 | 887 | 13,000 | 966 | 8,000 | 1063 | 25,000 |
| 542B | 9,000 | 660 | 10,500 | 749 | 7,000 | 888 | 13,000 | 967 | 8,000 | 1064 | 26,000 |
| 543 | 8,500 | 661 | 10,500 | 751 | 7,000 | 889 | 19,000 | 968 | 14,000 | 1065 | 19,000 |
| 544 | 8,000 | 663 | 10,500 | 752 | 7,000 | 890 | 18,000 | 970 | 21,000 | 1066 | 19,000 |
| 544A | 6,500 | 664 | 10,500 | 753 | 7,500 | 892 | 20,000 | 971 | 19,000 | 1067 | 20,000 |
| 545 | 7,500 | 665 | 10,500 | 754 | 7,500 | 893 | 16,500 | 972 | 19,000 | 1068 | 21,000 |
| 546 | 10,000 | 671 | 8,500 | 755 | 7,500 | 894 | 15,000 | 972A | 19,000 | 1070 | 21,000 |
| 546A | 7,500 | 672 | 13,000 | 756 | 7,500 | 895 | 22,000 | 973 | 19,000 | 1071 | 20,000 |
| 546B | 7,500 | 676 | 17,000 | 758 | 7,500 | 897 | 17,000 | 974 | 20,000 | 1072 | 17,000 |
| 546C | 7,500 | 678 | 17,000 | 759 | 7,500 | 897A | 20,000 | 975 | 8,000 | 1073 | 17,000 |
| 546D | 7,500 | 680 | 19,000 | 760 | 7,500 | 897B | 14,500 | 976 | 7,000 | 1074 | 14,000 |
| 546E | 7,500 | 682 | 14,000 | 761 | 7,000 | 898 | 16,500 | 977 | 7,500 | 1075 | 11,000 |
| 546F | 7,500 | 684 | 13,000 | 763 | 7,000 | 899 | 19,000 | 978 | 5,500 | 1076 | 11,000 |
| 547 | 6,500 | 685 | 13,000 | 764 | 7,500 | 900 | 19,000 | 978A | 5,500 | 1077 | 10,500 |
| 548 | 8,000 | 687 | 12,000 | 766 | 7,500 | 901 | 20,000 | 978B | 5,000 | 1078 | 8,500 |
| 549 | 7,500 | 689 | 11,000 | 768 | 7,000 | 903 | 24,000 | 979 | 8,500 | 1078A | 8,500 |
| 550 | 8,000 | 690 | 11,000 | 769 | 17,000 | 905 | 16,000 | 980 | 5,000 | 1078B | 8,500 |
| 551 | 7,500 | 691 | 9,500 | 770 | 18,000 | 906 | 18,000 | 981 | 5,500 | 1078C | 8,500 |
| 555 | 6,500 | 692 | 7,000 | 800 | 30,000 | 908 | 16,000 | 983 | 5,500 | 1078D | 8,500 |
| 557 | 6,500 | 693 | 7,000 | 801 | 26,000 | 910 | 17,000 | 984 | 5,500 | 1078E | 11,000 |
| 558 | 7,000 | 694 | 7,000 | 803 | 33,000 | 912 | 12,000 | 990 | 8,500 | 1079 | 19,000 |
| 559 | 6,500 | 695 | 8,500 | 804 | 23,000 | 913 | 16,000 | 1001 | 45,000 | 1080 | 9,500 |
| 560 | 6,500 | 698 | 7,000 | 805 | 35,000 | 914 | 15,000 | 1002 | 45,000 | 1081 | 13,000 |
| 561 | 7,500 | 701 | 6,000 | 806 | 23,000 | 914A | 14,000 | 1003 | 50,000 | 1082 | 13,000 |
| 562 | 8,500 | 703 | 7,500 | 807 | 19,000 | 914B | 18,500 | 1005 | 60,000 | 1086 | 10,500 |
| 563 | 6,500 | 704 | 6,500 | 808 | 30,000 | 915 | 16,500 | 1006 | 60,000 | 1087 | 10,500 |
| 566 | 7,500 | 705 | 6,000 | 809 | 33,000 | 916 | 18,000 | 1007 | 60,000 | 1088 | 10,500 |
| 567 | 7,500 | 706 | 6,500 | 810 | 30,000 | 917 | 8,000 | 1009 | 60,000 | 1089 | 10,000 |
| 568 | 7,500 | 707 | 8,500 | 811 | 30,000 | 917A | 9,500 | 1010 | 50,000 | 1090 | 8,000 |
| 569 | 9,000 | 711 | 10,000 | 814 | 14,000 | 918 | 15,500 | 1010A | 30,000 | 1090A | 10,500 |
| 570 | 6,500 | 712 | 8,000 | 822 | 17,000 | 918A | 14,000 | 1011 | 32,000 | 1092 | 10,000 |
| 575 | 9,000 | 713 | 6,500 | 825 | 30,000 | 919 | 16,500 | 1012 | 31,000 | 1093 | 11,000 |
| 576 | 7,000 | 714 | 10,000 | 826 | 25,000 | 919A | 9,500 | 1013 | 32,000 | 1094 | 17,000 |
| 577 | 7,000 | 715 | 8,500 | 827 | 18,000 | 920 | 16,500 | 1013A | 32,000 | 1095 | 17,000 |
| 578 | 8,500 | 716 | 6,000 | 829 | 19,000 | 921 | 18,000 | 1014 | 34,000 | 1096 | 16,000 |
| 579 | 6,500 | 718 | 9,000 | 830 | 20,000 | 922 | 8,000 | 1015 | 35,000 | 1097 | 16,000 |
| 580 | 7,000 | 719 | 6,500 | 830A | 20,000 | 923 | 9,000 | 1015A | 37,000 | 1098 | 10,000 |
| 581 | 9,000 | 720 | 6,500 | 831 | 13,000 | 924 | 7,500 | 1016 | 42,000 | 1100 | 11,000 |
| 582 | 8,000 | 721 | 10,000 | 832 | 20,000 | 925 | 15,000 | 1017 | 40,000 | 1105 | 10,000 |
| 583 | 8,000 | 723 | 6,500 | 835 | 22,000 | 926 | 9,000 | 1017A | 26,000 | 1107 | 10,500 |
| 584 | 8,000 | 723A | 6,500 | 836 | 23,000 | 927 | 7,000 | 1017B | 22,000 | 1110 | 10,500 |
| 585 | 11,000 | 723B | 6,500 | 837 | 11,000 | 927A | 7,000 | 1017C | 30,000 | 1113 | 10,500 |
| 586 | 9,500 | 723C | 6,500 | 838 | 11,000 | 928 | 14,000 | 1018 | 40,000 | 1114 | 12,500 |
| 587 | 9,500 | 723D | 6,500 | 839 | 11,000 | 929 | 16,000 | 1019 | 37,000 | 1115 | 9,000 |
| 589 | 9,500 | 723E | 6,000 | 840 | 19,500 | 930 | 7,000 | 1020 | 34,000 | 1116 | 10,000 |
| 590 | 7,000 | 723F | 6,000 | 841 | 23,000 | 932 | 9,000 | 1021 | 30,000 | 1117 | 10,000 |
| 591 | 9,500 | 723G | 6,000 | 842 | 11,000 | 934 | 9,000 | 1023 | 26,000 | 1118 | 9,000 |
| 597 | 9,000 | 723H | 10,000 | 843 | 11,000 | 935 | 14,000 | 1024 | 23,000 | 1119 | 8,500 |

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| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. |
| 1120 | 9,000 | 1163 | 5,500 |
| 1125 | 10,500 | 1164 | 5,500 |
| 1128 | 12,000 | 1165 | 7,000 |
| 1130 | 9,500 | 1166 | 5,500 |
| 1131 | 9,000 | 1168 | 6,000 |
| 1132 | 16,000 | 1169 | 7,000 |
| 1133 | 16,000 | 1170 | 9,500 |
| 1135 | 9,000 | 1171 | 11,000 |
| 1136 | 12,000 | 1172 | 10,000 |
| 1150 | 12,000 | 1174 | 8,500 |
| 1153 | 12,000 | 1175 | 8,500 |
| 1154 | 13,000 | 1176 | 8,500 |
| 1155 | 7,000 | 1177 | 5,500 |
| 1156 | 7,000 | 1178 | 5,500 |
| 1159 | 7,000 | 1179 | 9,000 |
| 1160 | 6,500 | 1180 | 5,500 |
| 1161 | 8,000 | 1181 | 9,000 |
| 1162 | 8,000 | 1182 | 6,000 |

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACT FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JULY 31.

*Police Force.*—Warder No. 147, Mahnga, is discharged, invalided, from July 29.

## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

Mon. Aug. 9 5.30 p.m. Public Garden
Tues. „ 10 5.30 „ Hongkew Recreation Ground
Wed. „ 11 9.00 „ Public Garden
Thurs. „ 12 5.30 „ „ „
Fri. „ 13 9.00 „ Hongkew Recreation Ground
Sat. „ 14 4.30 „ Public Recreation Ground
„ „ 14 9.00 „ Public Garden

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, August 1, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | -- |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | -- |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 19 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 4 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 154 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Municipal Loans 1920.

### 6% Sterling Loan Issued at 100%.

SUBSCRIPTIONS AS ON AUGUST 3, £491,550.

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on August 3:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 71,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 12,000 | | |
| One „ | 11,000 | | |
| Three Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 30,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 334,400 | |
| 142 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 275,300 | |
| 155 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 609,700 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 21 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 51,200 | |
| 23 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 74,200 |
| | | | Total Tls. 683,900 |

E. F. GOODALL,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 353 | Fokien | Seng Yung Tai | | | dyers drying stage |
| 17B | Hongkong | Algar & Co., Ld. | | 1 | 1 godown |
| 616 | Thibet | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | 1 | |
| 1036 | Fearon | Zah Sue Kee | | 2 | |
| E of 379 | Off Urga | H. M. Cumine | | | workshop |
| 2758 | Off Yangtszepoo | Oriental Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. | | | wall |
| 1240 | Off B'bling Well | Butterfield & Swire | | | garage & stables |
| 4308 | Off Markham | E. E. Lever | | | substation |
| 1457 | Off Mohawk | Davies & Brooke | | | altns. |
| 4390 | „ Moji | Naigai Wata Kaisha | | | addns. |
| 4602 4626 | West Soochow | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | bridge & altns. |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 533 | Boundary | Mafel & Co. | | | altns. |
| 1036 | Fearon | Zah Sue Kee | 10 | 2 | |
| 49 | Kaifeng | Tuck Tai | | | altns |
| E of 615 | Off East Seward | Sung Kung Ling | | 5 | |
| 376 | Off E. Yalu | King Ming San | | 1 | |
| S of 981 | Yochow | Yoh Shing | 15 | | factory |
| 2541 | Annam and Hardoon | S. A. Hardoon | | | altns. |
| N of 5495 | Gordon | Van Shun | | | 5 bungalows |

## Public Health Notice.

The following measures are recommended for the purpose of preventing those diseases which by means of public sanitation and by individual careful living are preventable, such as Typhoid Fever, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa and other bowel disorders, Small-pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Tuberculosis, Plague and Malaria.

*Public Measures.*

SANITARY INSPECTION of houses will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer. Persons about to rent houses are advised to ask the Health Officer for a sanitary inspection and a certificate of good sanitation before closing with the landlord.

CONDITIONS dangerous to health should be reported to the Health Officer.

ISOLATION of cases of dangerous infectious disease is provided free at the Isolation Hospital, Range Road.

DISINFECTION of premises after infectious disease will be carried out free of charge on application to the Health Officer.

VACCINATION is provided gratuitously at the Branch Health Offices.

*Individual Measures.*

EAT AND DRINK nothing that has not been recently cooked, boiled or otherwise sterilised.

DO NOT CONSUME:—

*Fruit, vegetables, salads, melons, etc., which have not been cooked or sterilised.
Food on which flies have settled.
*Milk or cream which has not been boiled or sterilised.
*Water which has not been boiled or filtered through a Brownlow filter.
Aerated water and other drinks unless of best quality.
Alcoholic drinks during the hot weather.
Bread which has not been sterilised by re-heating in an oven.
Ice-cream unless made of boiled materials.
Uncooked oysters.

*Fruit, tomatoes, melons, etc., can be sterilised without spoiling the flavour, so that they can be safely eaten raw, by dipping for a few seconds into briskly boiling water. Strawberries are better sterilised by dipping into boiling sugar syrup. Milk and cream can be sterilised

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by placing the bottles in a pan of cold water and gradually raising to boiling point. The candle of the filter should be lightly scrubbed in running water and boiled once a week.

KITCHEN supervision should be thorough because the preventable diseases specially prevalent in Shanghai are mostly caused by infected food. Every house should have a serving-room adjoining the dining-room and separate from the kitchen. The serving-room should contain the Brownlow filter, ice-chest, table utensils, washing sink, boiled milk, drinks, bread, butter, sterilised fruit and other cooked or prepared foods. Cooking or boiling destroys infection.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT grown near the ground, being watered as a rule with nightsoil, are specially liable to be soiled with the germs of Typhoid fever, Cholera, Dysentery and other bowel diseases, and should, before cooking, be strictly kept out of the serving-room and from contact with cooked or prepared food.

FLIES CARRY DISEASE so they should be excluded from the serving-room, kitchen and servants' latrine by providing spring slam doors and unopenable windows screened by perforated zinc; and from the food on the table by fly covers.

VACCINATION should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and afterwards every three years, in November.

VACCINATION against Typhoid fevers should be done on or before arrival in Shanghai and repeated yearly in May.

KEEP RATS OUT OF YOUR HOUSE. Starve the rats by providing no food for them in and around your house. Make your house rat-proof.

MOSQUITOES carry malaria. Where mosquitoes cannot be exterminated by abolishing stagnant water or by the use of kerosine oil, or by reporting their presence to the Health Officer, the mosquito net should be carefully used. A weekly inspection should be made and no standing water permitted.

REFUSE should not be allowed to accumulate, and a properly covered rat and flyproof receptacle should be provided. Nightsoil buckets should be kept securely closed, including those in the servants' latrines. Proper receptacles for these purposes may be obtained at the Health Office. Yards and drains should be kept in a good state of repair and freely flushed with water.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Rabies or Hydrophobia.

THE DISEASE.—Rabies or hydrophobia is an acute fatal disease, generally communicated to man through a wound made by the teeth of some infected animal, the saliva being the infective medium. Dogs, cats, goats, cows, horses, and other animals are susceptible to the disease and their bites are very dangerous. Hydrophobia may also be contracted by allowing the saliva (froth) of an infected animal to come in contact with a cut or scratch. This sometimes happens in adjusting muzzles, in trying to remove what seems to be a bone in the throat, or in giving medicines. The saliva may be virulent (poisonous) for one or two days before a dog shows any signs of being sick.

SYMPTOMS.—The disease in the dog appears in two forms. In the furious type, he may suddenly leave home, wandering off for many miles, perhaps, to return in a day or two emaciated, wounded, and utterly changed. During the time of "running mad" he may have bitten many persons and other animals. He seems impelled to bite anything that comes in his way. He cannot be said, as a rule, to fight with other dogs. He bites them and passes on, but does not go out of his way very much to attack them. His main object seems to be to keep moving, as if to escape something. The dumb variety is characterized by progressive paralysis of the lower jaw, change in character of bark, and marked nervousness. The animal may appear very affectionate, but may bite without warning. Death usually results in from three to six days from the onset of sickness.

WHAT TO DO WITH A SUSPECTED ANIMAL.—When an animal is suspected of having this disease it should be captured at once, if possible, and securely confined. A veterinary surgeon should be called to see the dog, or the circumstance should be reported to the nearest Police Station where they will arrange without payment for the transfer of the dog to the Observation Kennel under the care of the Health Officer.

Dogs, suspected of rabies, should, if possible, be captured alive; but they may be killed, if danger of any person being bitten can thereby be avoided. The reason being that if preserved alive it can be ascertained in a day or two whether the animal has rabies, while if killed it usually takes fourteen days to find out.

When other dogs have been bitten by a rabid dog they should either be killed immediately or handed over to the charge of a veterinary surgeon.

WHAT TO DO WHEN BITTEN.—The bite of any animal should be cleaned throughout its depth and cauterized as soon as possible by a doctor.

The person bitten should come to the Health Officer to see if Pasteur Treatment is necessary.

It is absolutely necessary for persons bitten by rabid animals or animals suspected of rabies to have the Pasteur Treatment. This is given at the Municipal Health Office and takes about three weeks. The fee for Pasteur Treatment is Tls. 50 reducible in cases of necessity.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Public Library.

The Library, situated at the north-west corner of the Town Hall, is open *To the Public* without charge as a Reading Room from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. To *Subscribers* for the exchange of books from 9 a.m to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

The subscription is as follows:—
$16 per year
9 ,, half-year
5 ,, quarter
2 ,, month

Subscribers are entitled to the loan of four books at a time and in addition certain magazines are provided for circulation, of which one at a time is allowed to each subscriber.

It contains about 14,650 volumes, of which some 7,880 are devoted to Fiction; 2,710 to Travel and History; 1,850 to Biography and the rest to Scientific and General subjects. Additions to these are made constantly.

Residents desirous of subscribing should communicate with the Librarian at the Town Hall.

## Studley Park.

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.
2.—The Park is opened daily to the Public from daylight to dusk.
3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.
4.—Dogs are not admitted.
5.—The playing of organised games is prohibited; also the use of solid balls in children's games.
6.—Birdnesting, climbing trees, or otherwise damaging the trees, shrubs, or grass is strictly prohibited; visitors and others in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.
7.—The Police have intructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 16, 1917.

## The Point Garden.

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusive ly for the Foreign Community.
2.—The Park is opened daily to the Public from daylight to dusk.
3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.
4.—Horses, ponies, vehicles and bicycles are not admitted.
5.—Dogs are not admitted unless properly muzzled and led on leash.
6.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers or otherwise damaging the shrubs, plants or grass is strictly prohibited; visitors and other persons in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.
7.—Shooting, lighting fires and playing ball games are strictly prohibited.
8.—The Police have instructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 7, 1918.

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bona fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項工程自應有本局承辦之資格

二 所有承攬工程必須承辦人之信用證明

三 擬定之准承辦人應繳保證金

四 所有人之保證書亦有極利益

五 本局必取後承辦人之保證書

六 所有承攬工程必須承辦人遵照本局如是稀罕

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單信費二部送時面局寫之總明承承攬攬信送至江項工程料質等封內明所有所敬之款錢一俟錢明本人局之信局及辦理付人知悉價保自亦

最前辦以處西工要在定路期二十四號

善用須此次概略免或交說明

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 154 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern, Ankle Boots<br>{ 1,000 pairs, to be delivered on or before January 31, 1921<br>{ 2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, March 31, 1921 | — | October 1 |
| 155 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31 |
| 156 | 150 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 157 | 2,400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 ,, | — | do. |
| 158 | 1,200 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 4 ,, | — | do. |
| 159 | 7,000 ,, ,, Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 160 | 900 ,, Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 quality | — | do. |
| 161 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 162 | 2,000 ,, Cotton Lining | — | do. |
| 163 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 164 | 500 Brown ,, 68 × 90 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before June 30, 1921 | — | do. |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 544 | Supply of Steel Girders for North Szechuen Road Bridge over Soochow Creek | — | August 20, Noon |
| 545 | Construction of Highway Bridge over the Soochow Creek at Szechuen Road | Tls. 50 | August 25, Noon |
| 547 | Supply of Tools, etc. | — | September 18, Noon |
| 552 | Supply of Bass Brooms | — | October 16, Noon |
| 558 | ,, at Louza Police Station | — | August 6, Noon |
| 559 | Heating and Cold Water Service at Yangtszepoo Fire Station | — | do. |
| 560 | Painting at Sinza Police Station | — | do. |
| 561 | Iron Stairway to Tower at Yangtszepoo Fire Station | — | August 13, Noon |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 20 | 83 miles Bare Copper Cable | Tls. 5 | August 12, Noon |
| 202 | 33 ,, Weatherproof Copper Wire | do. | do. |
| 203 | 16 ,, Vulcanised Cable<br>Tenders to be addressed to the Acting Engineer-in-Chief and Manager. | do. | do. |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 539

Louza Police Station Extension

| | |
|---|---|
| Chang Fook Kee | Tls. 85,000 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 81,000 |
| Yue Chang Tai | 75,896 |
| Sung Kee | 69,000 |
| *Wong Kor Sung | 64,500 |

Tender No. 555

Painting and Varnishing at Central Fire Station

| | |
|---|---|
| Joe Ming Kee | Tls. 445 |
| Wong Chin Kee | 435 |
| Tuck Foong | 350 |
| Lien Yung Kee | 315 |
| Ngan Zung Lee | 310 |
| Zung Shing | 284 |
| *Sing Kee | 276 |

Tender No. 556

Painting at Central Police Station

| | |
|---|---|
| Ngan Zung Lee | Tls. 1,470 |
| Wong Chin Kee | 1,317 |
| Sing Kee | 1,211 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 1,195 |
| Zung Shing | 1,136 |
| Tuck Foong | 1,100 |
| *Lien Yung Kee | 770 |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2715.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2739.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000.**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan, particulars of which are contained in Municipal Notification No. 2715, will remain open until August 31, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the list on any day prior to that date.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2729.**

THE Council requires a furnished or unfurnished house of at least five rooms in the Western District, or Western District Extension, as a residence for the Commandant of the Volunteer Corps. Particulars of accommodation, rent, length of lease, etc., should be addressed to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 18, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2740.**

**DANGEROUS DRIVING OF MOTOR CARS.**

TRAFFIC conditions in Shanghai are of an exceedingly complex character. It is therefore the more incumbent on drivers of motor vehicles—the fastest type of vehicle on the streets,—to take particular care in observing the Traffic Regulations and in adjusting their speed at all times so as not to endanger life or limb. The public safety must have first consideration, and those who drive in such a manner as to endanger the public safety will be prosecuted with the utmost rigour of the law.

The Council earnestly requests the co-operation of all motor vehicle owners in seeing that this warning be brought to the particular attention of their chauffeurs so that excessive speed and dangerous driving may cease.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 5, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2741.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHINESE**

*(Translation.)*

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the Winter term on Wednesday, September 8, at 9 a.m.

Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.

Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads

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Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.

Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25 except for the Public School for Chinese and the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $35 and $20, respectively, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Monday, September 6, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Tuesday, September 7, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive and examine new pupils.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 7, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2742.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sale of hen pheasants and of pheasants denuded of their feathers, will be prohibited for a period of three years, commencing on October 1, 1920. During the close season, February 17 to September 30 inclusive, the sale of pheasants is absolutely prohibited.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 12, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Watch Committee held on Tuesday, August 10, 1920, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. W. P. Lambe *(Chairman)*
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet

The meeting adjourned at 12.45 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, August 11, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith *(Chairman)*
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 6.20 p.m.

### Commissioner of Customs.

A letter from Mr. L. A. Lyall, Commissioner of Customs, informs the Council that he has handed over charge of the Shanghai Customs to Mr. G. C. F. Holland with effect from August 7.

### Water Supply.

Interchange of letters with the Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld., on the subject of the extension of the water mains in Great Western and Edinburgh Roads to Siccawei Road:—

Shanghai, July 23, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that in view of the existing and prospective development of the lands abutting on Great Western Road Extension and Edinburgh Road, it has been decided to extend the main in these roads to Siccawei Road at the Company's expense and to discontinue the charge to the Council under Clause VII of the Agreement of 1905 as from January 1 this year.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
ARTHUR P. WOOD,
*Secretary & Engineer-in-Chief,*
*Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 3, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to thank you for your letter of July 23, and in reply to inform you that the Council is pleased to note that in view of the existing and prospective development of the lands abutting on the Great Western Road extension and Edinburgh Road, your Company has decided to extend the mains in these roads to Siccawei Road at its expense, and also to express the Council's appreciation of the discontinuance of the charge made to the Council under Clause VII of the Agreement of 1905, such discontinuance having effect from January 1 of this year.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

A. P. WOOD, Esq.,
Secretary and Engineer-in-Chief,
Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld.

### Municipal Properties.

*Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese.*—The offer of the Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld., has been accepted to sell a portion of B.C. Lot 10010 required for inclusion in the School site, measuring Mow 0.5 for the sum of Tls. 1,250.

*Surplus Land—Dalny Road.*—Arrangements have been made for the sale of Lot 2697, measuring Mow 0.394, to the China Realty Co., for the sum of Tls. 1,200. This piece of land was purchased in 1908, in connexion with road construction negotiations. As part of this transaction, the purchasers have agreed to surrender from B.C. Lot 2693 the scheduled area required for the Yulin Road, measuring Mow 0.825, without monetary compensation.

### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*East Yalu Road and Surplus Land.*—Negotiations have been concluded with Mr. S. J. Powell for the purchase of B.C. Lot 10014, measuring Mow 1.272, for the sum of Tls. 1,459 plus $15. Of this area Mow 0.583 costing approximately Tls. 675 is required for the road and the balance Mow 0.689 costing approximately Tls. 800 remains available as surplus land for use or resale hereafter as circumstances may direct.

### Educational Department.

*School for Indian Children.*—Arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. A. E. Algar & Co., Ld. for a lease of No. 68 Haskell Road for a period of two years terminating on July 31, 1922.

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 36 | Off The Bund | Palmer & Turner | | | bank building |
| 76 | Kiangse | Sun Lien Fong | | | offices & godown |
| 164 | Kiukiang & Kiangse | Moorhead & Halse | | | altns. |
| 628 | Nanking | Lester, Johnson & Morrise | | | .. |
| 946 | Haining | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | addns. |
| 489 | Haining & Cunningham | Brandt & Rodgers | | | boundary wall & gates |
| 520 | Off Broadway East | E. J. Muller | | | addns |
| 350 | Off E. Yalu | Wong Ko An | | | 10 sheds |
| 1999 | Muirhead | G. C. Chia | | | 4 sheds |
| 3612 | Thorburn | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | laundry |
| 2082 | Ward | S. J. Powell | | | gates |
| 2465 | Whashing | Pacific Trading Co. | | | 2 godowns |
| 2715 | Off Yulin | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | boiler & transformer house |
| 4892 | Off Ichang | Pacific Trading Co. | | | boiler house |
| 6010 | Off Singapore | Wong Kor Sung | | | tempy shed |
| 2755 | Temple Lane | H. M. Cumine | 1 | | |
| 4580 / 4590 | Off West Soochow | Fou Fong Flour Mill Co. | | | 2 walls |
| 2321 | Yates & Gt. Western | Wong Chu Ju | | | altns. & addns. |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 352 | Off Tongdongkaloong | Hou Nan School | | | addns. |
| 829 | E. Yuhang | Brandt & Rodgers | | | 3 bungalows latrine & addns. |
| W of 1220 | E. Yuhang & Chaoufoong | Koo Seng Kee | 21 | | |
| N of 1590 | Off E. Yuhang | Zee Yung Kee | 4 | | |
| E of 8042 | Kwangchow | Yue Hsu Tsun | | | 3 bungalows |
| S of 7482 | Off Seoul | Chang Bai Thang | | | 4 bungalows |
| 1752 | Gt. Western | Lee Zien Tai | | | altns. |

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, AUGUST 7.

*Public Works Department.*—Inspector H. H. Cox is promoted to be Clerk-of-Works from June 1.

Mr. G. H. Lawrence, Clerk-of-Works, was permitted to terminate his service on August 4.

The appointment of Miss H. Wealthy, Stenographer and Typist, is confirmed under an agreement from June 11, terminable at three months' notice.

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*Electricity Department.* — The Council has learnt with deep regret of the death on July 31 of Charge Engineer A. M. Brown.

**Concreteware Manufactory.**

PRICE LIST

| Size | Length | Description | Price in Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12" | 2'0" | Pipes (machine made) | 0.80 |
| 9" | 2'0" | " " | 0.60 |
| 6" | 2'0" | " " | 0.40 |
| 4" | 2'0" | " " | 0.28 |
| 12" x 9" | 2'0" | Junctions | 1.60 |
| 12" x 6" | 2'0" | " | 1.45 |
| 12" x 4" | 2'0" | " | 1.35 |
| 9" x 6" | 2'0" | " | 1.15 |
| 9" x 4" | 2'0" | " | 1.05 |
| 6" x 4" | 2'0" | " | 0.80 |
| 6" | | Knuckle Bends 90° | 0.50 |
| 4" | | " " | 0.45 |
| 6" | | Bends (long) 45° | 0.50 |
| 4" | | " " | 0.45 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. A. (without cover) | 0.40 |
| | | Concrete covers (for same) | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers (for same) | 0.20 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. B. (without cover) | 1.25 |
| | | Concrete covers (for same) | 0.25 |
| | | Cast Iron covers (for same) | 0.60 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. C. (without cover) | 0.45 |
| | | Concrete covers (for same) | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers (for same) | 0.20 |
| | | Revolving Top Gullies incl. C.I. cover | 0.75 |
| 3' 0"x2'0" | 3'0" | Egg-shaped Tubes | 4.40 |
| 2' 3"x1'6" | 3'0" | " " | 3.10 |
| 1' 6"x1'0" | 3'0" | " " | 1.70 |
| 3' 0" | 3'0" | Circular Tubes } Price on application | |
| 4' 6" | 4'0" | " " } | |
| | 3'0" | Inverts for 12" pipes | 0.80 |
| 3' 6"x2'0" | 3'0" | " Egg-shaped Tubes | 2.20 |
| 2' 3"x1'6" | 3'0" | " Egg-shaped Tubes | 1.75 |
| 1' 6"x1'0" | 3'0" | " Egg-shaped Tubes | 0.85 |
| 3' 0" | 3'0" | " Circular Tubes | 7.30 |
| 2' 0"x2'0" | 1'0" | Manhole shafts (large) | 2.90 |
| 2' 0"x2'0" | 6" | " " (small) | 1.80 |
| 1' 5"x1'5" | 6" | " Top Frames | 2.55 |
| 3'10"x1'4" | 5¾" | " Slabs (large) | 2.00 |
| 3' 0"x1'5" | 2¾" | " " (small) | 1.60 |
| | | " Bricks No. 34a | 0.05½ |
| | | " " 34b | 0.03½ |
| | | Blind manhole cover (large) | 2.50 |
| | | Blind manhole cover (small) | 1.00 |
| 1' 6"x1'4" | 12" | Street Pot Gullies (bottom) } | 5.75 |
| | | Street Pot Gullies (top) } | |
| 5" x 2" | 4'0" | Kerbs | 1.10 |
| 5" x 4" | 4'0" | Channels | 1.10 |
| 4" x 3" | 3'3" | Pavement Tubes | 1.20 |
| 4" x 3" | 2'3" | " " | 0.90 |
| 4" x 3" | 2'0" | " " | 0.90 |
| 4" | 9" | " Sockets | 0.38 |
| 3" | 9" | " " | 0.38 |
| 4'0" x 2'0" | | Kitchen Sinks | 5.25 |
| 2'6" x 2'0" | | " " | 3.00 |
| 12" x 4" | 3'0" | Boundary Stones | 2.60 |
| | 2'0" | M. C. R. Stones | 0.85 |
| | 4'0" | " " | 1.00 |
| 4'0" x 1'6" | | Grave Slabs per set of 6 | 8.50 |
| 4'0" x 1'0" | | " " 2 | 2.00 |
| | 18' | Bearing Pile } Prices on application | |
| | 14' | " " } | |
| | 10' | Sheet Pile } | |
| | 7'6" | " " } | |
| | | Fence Post } | |
| | | Ridge Tiles | 0.26 |
| | | Square Tile | 0.05½ |
| | 2'5½" | Sidewalk Slab } Prices on application | |
| | 1'11½" | " " } | |
| | 0 11½" | " " } | |

**Municipal Loans 1920.**

**6% Sterling Loan Issued at 100%.**

SUBSCRIPTIONS AS ON AUGUST 10. £496,750.

**7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.**

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on August 10:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 71,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 35,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 12,000 | | |
| One " | 11,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 379,400 | |
| 152 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 297,500 | |
| 166 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 676,900 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 23 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 53,000 | |
| 25 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 76,000 |
| | | | Total Tls. 752,900 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

**Public Band.**

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. Aug. | 16 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. " | 17 | 5.30 " | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. " | 18 | 9.00 " | Public Garden |
| Thurs. " | 19 | 5.30 " | " " |
| Fri. " | 20 | 9.00 " | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. " | 21 | 4.30 " | Public Recreation Ground |
| " " | 21 | 9.00 " | Public Garden |

**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, August 8, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 1 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 | 26 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 5 | 3 |
| Acute Diarrhoea | — | 11 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 9 | 197 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Fire Brigade Report for June.**

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 25, as against 27 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 93,425 (Foreign, Tls. 300; Chinese, Tls. 93,125), as against Tls. 31,825 (Foreign, Tls. 25,000; Chinese, Tls. 6,825 during June 1919. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 1,271,000 (Foreign, Tls. 802,000; Chinese, Tls. 469,000), as against Tls. 719,000 (Foreign, Tls. 640,000; Chinese, Tls. 79,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 18, Watch Towers 4, Police 2 and Messenger 1. The district call was given on 2 occasions, the remaining 23 being station calls. These calls proved to be 15 small fires, 4 chimney fires, 3 false alarms (2 of which were malicious) and 3 fires outside the Settlement.

The principal, supposed causes, of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—Sparks, ashes or embers from stove, lamp upset, fusing of electric wires, dropped match or cigarette end, ignition of spirits of wine and smoking in bed. The premises affected were 7 Chinese Buildings which were more or less damaged by fire, smoke and water. The Brigade was occupied 357 hours and 55 minutes at fires, or supposed fires.

It is interesting to note that for the half-year ending June 30, 1920, the number of calls to fires, or supposed fires was 172, as against 136 for the corresponding period last year. The estimated damage to property and contents was Tls. 146,000 (Foreign, Tls. 3,825; Chinese, Tls. 143,075), as against Tls. 200,825 (Foreign, Tls 150,350; Chinese, Tls. 50,475) at fires on assessed property within the Settlement limits during the same period last year, whilst the estimated risk was Tls. 2,957,500 (Foreign, Tls. 1,711,500; Chinese, Tls. 1,246,000), as against Tls. 3,099,700 (Foreign, Tls. 2,531,000: Chinese, Tls. 568,700) up to June 30, 1919.

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It will be seen from the above that the ratio of loss to that of the property at risk is lower than for the same period last year.

Fires worthy of comment are as follows:—

*Amos Bird Factory, June 13, at 12.01 a.m.*—A rather serious outbreak occurred in the above factory, but was fortunately promptly tackled by the Factory Staff by means of chemical extinguishers and extinguished before arrival of the Brigade.

*Shanghai Feng Chong and Chekiang Railway Co.'s Godown—Nos. 35-7 Soochow Road at 12.11 p.m.*—At this fire the Central and Sinza Divisions had an extremely difficult task. The upper floor, packed with tea, was well alight around the head of the staircase—the only way up to the first floor—the windows being barred and shuttered; the inadequate water supply added to the task of the Brigade. The men had a strenuous time and several were overcome and at times cut off by the falling packages of tea. A large quantity of tallow, oil, silk waste, etc., was stored on the ground floor, and every attention was given in holding the fire from working downwards. In this object the Brigade was completely successful, as the fire was confined to the upper floor. Men were at work through the following night, and the next day at about the same time as the original call, a fire occurred amongst the tea saved, which can only be described as very peculiar, as it occurred well back and was accompanied by a cloud of smoke. Ether vapour was at once detected and was so strong that several of the Brigade, both Foreign and Chinese, were overcome; one or two being rendered unconcious for some time. It is uncertain how the Ether got amongst the tea, but undoubtedly it caused the second outbreak, if not the first.

The second outbreak also gave the Brigade trouble, as regards water, but by general excellent work the whole of the fire damage was confined to the tea on the upper floor. The dangerous cargo on the ground floor and adjoining godowns was saved.

Assistance was rendered at the following Out District Fires:—

*S.S. Juno, Kiangnan Dock, June 2, at 9.15 p.m.*—When the Chief Officer with a party of men rendered assistance and when the new Dennis Pump of the City Fire Brigade was used for the first time.

*Hoong Sing Fong, North Honan Road Extension, June 17, at 7.30 a.m.*—The Chapei Brigade asked for assistance. The new Leyland Pump was also used for the first time.

M. W. PETT,
*Chief Officer.*

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call: Time of | Call: How received | Alarm given | Locality | District: Municipal | District: Fire | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire: Hours | Time at fire: Minutes | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| June 1 | 7.28 a.m. | Telephone | Station | 46 Broadway Terrace | Eastern | 1 | Foreign Residence | | | 20 | |
| 2 | 9.15 p.m. | " | " | Kiangnan Dock | Outside | | | | 45 | | Boat in Dock |
| 3 | 7.34 a.m. | " | " | Soochow Road | Central | 3 | | | | 20 | Motor-car |
| 8 | 12.13 a.m. | " | " | U309A Weihai-wei Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Printing Press | | | 20 | |
| 9 | 8.42 p.m. | " | " | Fokien/Tien-tain Roads | Central | 3 | | | | 15 | Malicious false alarm |
| 9 | 9.00 p.m. | Sinza Police | " | E 698-9 Burkill Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 10 | Chimney fire |
| 10 | 8.05 a.m. | West Hong-kew Police | " | Pp 766 Tong Dong Ka Loong | Northern | 8 | " | | | 25 | Two persons injured |
| 10 | 10.52 a.m. | Telephone | " | EA 533 Wuchow Road | Eastern | 1 | " | | | 20 | |
| 10 | 1.11 p.m. | " | " | 24 Kiangse Rd. | Central | 4 | Foreign Godown | | | 30 | |
| 10 | 6.07 p.m. | Sinza Tower | District | B 1682 Sinza Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | 6 damaged | 12 | | |
| 11 | 7.23 a.m. | Telephone | Station | 40 Chapoo Rd. | Northern | 2 | Japanese Dwelling | | | 30 | |
| 11 | 5.04 p.m. | " | " | M 231-2 Foo-chow Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Restaurant | | | 25 | Chimney fire |
| 12 | 10.26 p.m. | " | " | XB Lau Dong Ka Loong | Northern | 8 | Chinese Shop | | | 25 | |
| 13 | 12.01 a.m. | " | " | 91 Yangtzepoo Road | Eastern | 1 | Foreign Factory | | 2 | | |
| 13 | 2.18 p.m. | " | " | B 140 North Thibet Road | Northern | 8 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 20 | |
| 14 | 7.38 p.m. | " | " | N. Szechuen/ Tsungming Rds. | " | 2 | | | | 25 | Malicious false alarm |
| 16 | 3.27 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | | 25 | |
| 17 | 7.30 a.m. | " | " | " | " | | | | 3 | | |
| 17 | 9.54 a.m. | " | " | East Hanbury/ Arthur Roads | Eastern | 1 | | | | 25 | False alarm |
| 17 | 12.11 p.m. | Telephone | District | 35-6-7 Soochow Road | Central | 6 | Chinese Godown | 1 damaged | 288 | | |
| 18 | 9.13 p.m. | " | Station | R 232 Yunnan Road | " | 5 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 30 | Chimney fire |
| 21 | 4.39 a.m. | Messenger | " | M 693 Avenue Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Chemist | | | 20 | |
| 21 | 7.55 p.m. | Telephone | " | LA 3139 Lower Yangtzepoo Rd | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shop | | | 45 | Chimney fire |
| 26 | 6.19 p.m. | " | " | E 44 Panjo Rd. | " | 1 | Chinese Godown | | | 25 | |
| 30 | 10.23 p.m. | " | " | Z 2 Miller Rd. | Northern | 2 | Chinese Shop | | | 20 | Two persons injured |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

**Health Officer's Report for July.**

The mortality rate, which may be regarded as the final inventory of the physical condition of the community, was abnormally low both among foreigners and Chinese. The incidence of Dysentery was remarkably small. Both foreign and Chinese Isolation Hospitals were practically empty during the month.

Preparations were made for meeting an expected outbreak of Choleraic diarrhoea. Nineteen Chinese cases were notified within Settlement limits during the latter half of the month by the two special summer diseases hospitals and the Chinese Isolation Hospital. On July 26 two cases of authentic Asiatic Cholera were notified by

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the St. Luke's Hospital as coming from 330 Ferry Road, while a third similar case arose at 90 Yuenfong Road. In these three cases the presence of the cholera vibrio was confirmed by cultural and agglutination tests. None of these latter cases were fatal. In the former cases no Cholera vibrios were found although some specimens were examined in the Laboratory a short time after having been taken from the human source. It was thought that previous want of success might have been due to the Cholera organism being overgrown by other more luxuriant organisms during the time taken for transmission to the Laboratory, which is often considerable. This result confirmed that of former years, namely, that the great majority of these cases, which clinically are Cholera, do not show the Cholera vibrio but usually show an organism of the coli group whose characteristics have not yet been fully worked out. In the laboratory of St. Mary's Hospital, London, it has quite recently been found that there is more than one type of cholera-causing organisms. It seems probable that the organism commonly causing choleraic conditions in China may be an atypical form.

The Tuberculosis Hospital is proving its value, several cases have already been benefited; not only themselves but also by removing a source of virulent infection from crowded households. It is hoped later to build up an effective anti-tuberculosis scheme on the basis of this Hospital.

The record number of 6,273 admissions to the Public Swimming Bath is registered for the month. The water was changed twice weekly and was fully chlorinated each night. Chlorine is now regarded as the water purifier *par excellence*. Though the entire elimination of cause for criticism is a consummation devoutly to be wished, the conditions are such that it is impossible to please everybody. The purity of the water is a matter which has the daily attention of the sanitary staff and is regarded, owing to the chlorination, as fully equal if not better than would be produced by daily complete change of the water. Were the bath emptied, washed down, and filled each day a large number of bathers would be deprived of their swim as the hours of opening would have to be curtailed considerably. There is no evidence that sore ears are more prevalent than in the three other local swimming baths. The main trouble is that the bath is too popular. The remedy for this is more swimming baths; especially open air baths in the public parks, supplied by artesian wells which can be made to yield a very pure and abundant water supply.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse and a special summary of Plague Prevention work.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign Resident | Foreign Non-resident | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Typhoid fever | 2 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 1 | 89 |
| Beri-beri | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| Influenza | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| From all causes | 23 | 12 | 645 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 5 |
| Diphtheria | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 8 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 1 |
| Dysentery | 11 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases admitted - Small pox | 0 | 2 |
| Diphtheria | 4 | 0 |
| Cerebrospinal fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 | 0 |
| Discharged | 8 | 18 |
| Died | 2 | 5 |
| Remaining last day of month | 11 | 5 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 1,010 |
| Bacterial " " | 67 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 10 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 585 |
| Analyses | 58 |

RABIES OBSERVATION

| | |
|---|---|
| Dogs received for observation | 12 |
| Dogs biting people | 11 |
| Returned to owners | 10 |
| Sent to lethal chamber | 1 |
| Died of Rabies | 2 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 45 | 11 |
| Surgical | 32 | 0 |
| Maternity | 15 | 3 |
| Mental | 6 | 0 |
| Total | 98 | 14 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK.

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 286 | 612 | 175 | 328 | 1401 |
| Rats plague infected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation | 800 | 1000 | 750 | 400 | 2950 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1077 | 1528 | 856 | 661 | 4122 |
| Poisoned baits laid | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier | 0 | 0 | 256 | 0 | 256 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 2 | 6 | 7 | 5 | 20 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 32 | 80 | 85 | 19 | 216 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 97 | 128 | 908 | 453 | 1,586 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 1128 | 869 | 5,839 | 2,153 | 9,989 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 1 | 70 | 717 | 136 | 924 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 0 | 35 | 0 | 35 |
| Defective drainage amended | 30 | 23 | 43 | 28 | 124 |
| Insanitary wells abolished | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 0 | 3 | 0 | 10 | 13 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 3 | 4 | 13 | 2 | 22 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 0 | 400 | 560 | 960 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 7 | 20 | 0 | 27 |
| Offensive trade processes amended | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 11 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 31 | 18 | 14 | 21 | 84 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 61 | 49 | 69 | 68 | 247 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 2 | 3 | 4 | 10 | 19 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 12 | 17 | 16 | 10 | 55 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 1,500 | 1,269 | 1,450 | 450 | 4,669 |
| Outside hawkers licensed | 680 | 762 | 637 | 435 | 2,514 |
| Food prosecutions | 13 | 55 | 17 | 22 | 107 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 0 | 49 | 14 | 4 | 67 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 0 | 4 | 13 | 3 | 21 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3 890 | 5,618 | 3,153 | 3 120 | 15,780 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 5,679 | 4,265 | 2,451 | 2,599 | 14,984 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 2 593 | 787 | 231 | 462 | 4,073 |

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE MUNICIPAL LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Name of Dairy | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Thoong Woo | Tsang Ts Kyung | J. 1102 Ward Road | Abstraction of fat |
| Teh Kee | Wong Tuh Fong | M. 1503 Avenue Road | 26.8% added water |
| Loong Dah | Tsa Zing Shing | 51 Ferry Road | Abstraction of fat |
| Grange | H. R. Hansen | 454 Siccawei Road | 6.[illegible]% added water |
| Liberty | Yeu Ts Mau | 29 Connaught Road | 1.6% added water |
| Fok Kyi | Tsa Ah Hoo | Z. 815 Gordon Road | 36.5% added water and abstraction of fat |

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SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen ..... | 2,040 | 1 | 2,040 | 3 | 0 |
| Sheep ..... | 2,727 | 0 | 2,727 | 8 | 2 |
| Calves ..... | 413 | 0 | 413 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs..... | 819 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

LABORATORY REPORT ON WATER.

Sample received August 3, 1920.

Report sent out August 6, 1920.

Sample of Shanghai Waterwork's water.

Physical Characters.—Slight opacity. Faint bluish green colour. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 16.4 |
| Appearance on Ignition—slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 9.7 |
| (a) Temporary | 5.7 |
| (b) Permanent | 4.0 |
| Chlorine | 3.0 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.049 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0021 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0078 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° c. | 0.0533 |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 21° C. for 72 hours showed 95 microbes per c.c.

Nutrient agar plates at 37° C. for 24 hours showed 30 microbes per c.c.

Organisms of the Coli group were present in 3 c.c.'s and upwards of the water after 48 hours.

Report on Analysis.—The results of analysis show satisfactory filtration.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Summary of General Municipal Rate, June Quarter, 1920.

### Foreign.

| | 1920. No. of Houses. | 1920. Rental Assessment. | 1919. No. of Houses. | 1919. Rental Assessment. | 1918. No. of Houses. | 1918. Rental Assessment. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District..... | 712 | 2,897,912 | 712 | 2,723,458 | 694 | 2,541,255 |
| Northern do. ..... | 1,012 | 984,078 | 1,018 | 950,332 | 1,017 | 937,271 |
| Eastern do. ..... | 771 | 993,938 | 740 | 970,841 | 730 | 912,429 |
| Western do. ..... | 1,021 | 1,327,204 | 1,011 | 1,280,940 | 1,006 | 1,245,195 |
| Outside Settlement Limits ..... | 696 | 453,672 | 637 | 416,411 | 605 | 393,095 |
| Total | 4,212 | 6,656,804 | 4,118 | 6,341,982 | 4,052 | 6,029,245 |
| Occupied by Foreigners..... | 3,202 | 5,041,354 | 3,126 | 4,745,636 | 3,063 | 4,454,467 |
| do. Chinese..... | 907 | 1,405,096 | 867 | 1,337,783 | 850 | 1,242,163 |
| Unoccupied ..... | 103 | 210,354 | 125 | 258,563 | 139 | 332,615 |
| Total | 4,212 | 6,656,804 | 4,118 | 6,341,982 | 4,052 | 6,029,245 |
| TAX COLLECTED:— | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District..... | | 94,941 | | 75,686 | | 69,444 |
| Northern do. ..... | | 31,973 | | 26,183 | | 25,641 |
| Eastern do. ..... | | 33,374 | | 27,6[illegible]0 | | 25,414 |
| Western do. ..... | | 42,667 | | 34,078 | | 33,330 |
| Outside Settlement Limits ... | | 7,299 | | 5,739 | | 5,321 |
| Total | | 210,254 | | 169,296 | | 159,150 |

### Chinese.

| | 1920. No. of Houses. | 1920. Rental Assessment. | 1919. No. of Houses. | 1919. Rental Assessment. | 1918. No. of Houses. | 1918. Rental Assessment. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District..... | 11,474 | 5,902,912 | 11,737 | 5,591,273 | 11,987 | 5,511,232 |
| Northern do. ..... | 16,510 | 3,054,620 | 16,462 | 3,000,209 | 16,532 | 2,975,386 |
| Eastern do. ..... | 17,584 | 1,614,758 | 17,563 | 1,607,540 | 16,982 | 1,527,965 |
| Western do. ..... | 15,552 | 2,209,670 | 14,881 | 2,129,269 | 14,742 | 2,072,472 |
| Outside Settlement Limits ..... | 1,236 | 110,222 | 1,225 | 109,994 | 1,227 | 110,578 |
| Total | 62,356 | 12,892,182 | 61,868 | 12,438,285 | 61,470 | 12,197,633 |
| Occupied by Foreigners..... | 2,116 | 540,791 | 1,989 | 495,061 | 1,844 | 440,687 |
| do. Chinese ..... | 59,402 | 12,049,192 | 58,043 | 11,350,867 | 57,420 | 10,957,938 |
| Unoccupied ..... | 838 | 302,199 | 1,836 | 592,357 | 2,206 | 799,008 |
| Total | 62,356 | 12,892,182 | 61,868 | 12,438,285 | 61,470 | 12,197,633 |
| TAX COLLECTED:— | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District..... | | 218,399 | | 158,045 | | 152,797 |
| Northern do. ..... | | 113,108 | | 87,255 | | 84,979 |
| Eastern do. ..... | | 60,679 | | 46,496 | | 43,308 |
| Western do. ..... | | 81,726 | | 59,208 | | 56,804 |
| Outside Settlement Limits ... | | 2,005 | | 1,564 | | 1,577 |
| Total | | 475,917 | | 352,568 | | 339,465 |

F. A. SAMPSON, *Acting Commissioner of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局自有權利認定全份或

二 未有必承攬價目是極低本局亦有認辦人自券

三 行估價之准認承款本局不認付

四 所有承攬各人之信及承攬人之憑

五 本局所取憑明單若須付錢知悉

六 所有承攬者必將其錢數在此單內登信

後明所收之將錢款一俟清退還

漆其承攬何項工料封十物必須於蓋火

面寫明送至江西路二等十號工部局辦處須知

二時之總期內信定期日上午十工信

信送來之前以後在送信次概覺交戳明

清單費最善用此次概覺交戳明

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 154 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern, Ankle Boots<br>{ 1,000 pairs, to be delivered on or before January 31, 1921<br>{ 2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, March 31, 1921 | — | October 1, Noon |
| 155 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31, Noon |
| 156 | 150 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 157 | 2,400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 ,, | — | do. |
| 158 | 1,200 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 4 ,, | — | do. |
| 159 | 7,000 ,, ,, Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 160 | 900 ,, Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 quality | — | do. |
| 161 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 162 | 2,000 ,, Cotton Lining | — | do. |
| 163 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 164 | 500 Brown ,, 68 × 90 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before June 30, 1921 | — | do. |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 544 | Supply of Steel Girders for North Szechuen Road Bridge over Soochow Creek | — | August 20, Noon |
| 545 | Construction of Highway Bridge over the Soochow Creek at Szechuen Road | Tls. 50 | August 25, Noon |
| 547 | Supply of Tools, etc. | — | September 18, Noon |
| 552 | Supply of Bass Brooms | — | October 16, Noon |
| 557 | Erection of Dog Kennels at Yangtszepoo Police Station | — | August 20, Noon |
| 561 | Iron Stairway to Tower at Yangtszepoo Fire Station | — | August 13, Noon |
| 563 | Painting at Gordon Road Police Station | — | August 20, Noon |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 201 | 83 miles Bare Copper Cable | Tls. 5 | August 12, Noon |
| 202 | 33 ,, Weatherproof Copper Wire | do. | do. |
| 203 | 16 ,, Vulcanised Cable<br>Tenders to be addressed to the Acting Engineer-in-Chief and Manager. | do. | do. |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### POLICE FORCE

Tenders Nos. 150-152

No. 150 16,000 yards Khaki Drill
,, 151 200 ,, ,, Cord
,, 152 5,000 ,, Blue Camlet

| | No. 150 | No. 151 per yd. | No. 152 |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fredk. Large & Co. | *3/1 | | 7/3 |
| Bowern & Co. | 2 rs. 4 a | | |
| Ilbert & Co., Ld. | 2/1 | | |
| Geddes & Co., Ld. | 3/0¼ | 6/6 | 5/2 |
| | 3/0¼ | 6/0¼ | |
| | 3/0¾ | | |
| | 3/6 | | |

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## TENDERS RECEIVED *(Contd.)*

### POLICE FORCE

**Tenders Nos. 150-152**

| | No. 150 | No. 151 per yd. | No. 152 |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, Ld. | Tls. 0.39 | | |
| | 0.39 | | |
| Montgomery Ward & Co. | G$0.55½ | | |
| A. Arnaud-Coste & R. V. Dent | | | 7/7½ |
| Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. | 2/8½ | 5/8½ | *6/6¾ |
| | 3/- | *6/ ½ | |
| | 3/0½ | 5/8 | |
| | 3/2 | 6/6 | |
| | 3/2½ | 6/4½ | |
| | 3/3 | 6/7 | |
| | 3/5 | | |
| | 2/9 | | |
| | 3/1 | | |
| | 3/2½ | | |
| | 3/3 | | |
| | 3/0½ | | |
| | 3/10½ | | |
| | 3/3 | | |
| | 3/1½ | | |
| | 3/7½ | | |
| | 2/11 | | |

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

**Tender No. 558**

**Painting at Louza Police Station**

| | |
|---|---|
| Ha Sui Shing & Co. | Tls. 1,698 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 395 |
| Wong Chin Kee | 386 |
| Ngan Zung Lee | 310 |
| Sing Kee | 296 |
| Zung Shing | 288 |
| *Tuck Foong | 250 |

**Tender No. 559**

**Heating & Cold Water Service at Yangtszepoo Fire Station**

| | |
|---|---|
| Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld. | Tls. 2,810 |
| *Gordon & Co. Ld. | 1,563 |

**Tender No. 560**

**Painting at Sinza Police Station**

| | |
|---|---|
| Ha Sui Shing & Co. | Tls. 986 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 595 |
| Sing Kee | 495 |
| Ngan Zung Lee | 440 |
| Wong Chin Lee | 416 |
| Zung Shing | 365 |
| *Tuck Foong | 294 |

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**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2715.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2739.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**Amount £750,000.**

**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan, particulars of which are contained in Municipal Notification No. 2715, will remain open until August 31, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the list on any day prior to that date.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2729.**

THE Council requires a furnished or unfurnished house of at least five rooms in the Western District, or Western District Extension, as a residence for the Commandant of the Volunteer Corps. Particulars of accommodation, rent, length of lease, etc., should be addressed to the under signed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 18, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2740.**

**DANGEROUS DRIVING OF MOTOR CARS.**

TRAFFIC conditions in Shanghai are of an exceedingly complex character. It is therefore the more incumbent on drivers of motor vehicles—the fastest type of vehicle on the streets,—to take particular care in observing the Traffic Regulations and in adjusting their speed at all times so as not to endanger life or limb. The public safety must have first consideration, and those who drive in such a manner as to endanger the public safety will be prosecuted with the utmost rigour of the law.

The Council earnestly requests the co-operation of all motor vehicle owners in seeing that this warning be brought to the particular attention of their chauffeurs so that excessive speed and dangerous driving may cease.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 5, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2742.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the sale of hen pheasants and of pheasants denuded of their feathers, will be prohibited for a period of three years, commencing on October 1, 1920. During the close season, February 17 to September 30 inclusive, the sale of pheasants is absolutely prohibited.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 12, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2741.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHINESE**

(*Translation.*)

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the Winter term on Wednesday, September 8, at 9 a.m.

Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.

Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads

Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.

Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25 except for the Public School for Chinese and the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $35 and $20, respectively, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Monday, September 6, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Tuesday, September 7, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive and examine new pupils.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 7, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2743.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FOREIGN CHILDREN.**

THE schools will reopen on Wednesday, September 8, at 8.30 a.m.

The attention of parents is directed to the following scale of monthly fees:—

*Public School for Boys.*
200 North Szechuen Road.
Boys over 10 years of age $12
Boys under 10 years of age 8
Extra Subject:—
Shorthand 2

*Public School for Girls.*
28 Boone Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten 5
Extra Subject:—
Piano 6
24 Kungping Road.
Children under 8 years of age $8
Kindergarten children 5
88 Avenue Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten children 5

Admission to the Avenue Road School is restricted to girls under 15 years of age and to boys under 8 years of age. Admission to the Kungping Road School is restricted to girls and boys under 8 years of age.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*
63 Haskell Road.
Boarders $30
Day Scholars 9

*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*
15 Boone Road.
Upper School, Boarders $20
Upper School, Day Scholars 6
Lower School, Boarders 18
Lower School, Day Scholars 5

Kindergarten children in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls will be charged the same rates as for the Lower School.

The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions:—

| For a family of | Public Schools | Thomas Hanbury Schools for Boys | Thomas Hanbury School for Girls |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2 children | 20% | $1.80 | $1.20 |
| 3 or more children | 33⅓% | 3.00 | 2.00 |

Children of non-resident parents, unless already in attendance at the schools, will not be admitted. The term *non-resident* implies residence in Shanghai of less than six months.

Forms for the admission of new pupils may be obtained on application at the several schools, and should be presented by the new pupils themselves, when attending at the Schools for examination and admission on Friday, September 3, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., except in the case of the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys for which the hour of attendance will be Wednesday, September 8, at 9 a.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 19, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Friday, August 6, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. W. Burkill (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
H. A. Macintyre
C. G. S. Mackie
S. B. Neill

The meeting adjourned at 5.25 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Foreign Educational Committee held on Monday, August 16, 1920, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Dr. S. A. Ransom (*Chairman*)
Mr. P. W. Massey
Mrs. Merriman
Rev. C. J. F. Symons

*Absent:*
Mrs. Billinghurst

The meeting adjourned at 12.50 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, August 16, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. F. Mackay (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*Rifle Range.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant of Volunteers, arrangements have been made for the erection of a new shelter at the 400 yards firing point, the alteration of the present shelter at the 200 yards point and certain filling and culverting work.

**Police Force.**

*Foreign Branch, Quarters.*—The lease from the Shanghai Land Investment Co. Ld., of No. 144 Dixwell Road has been renewed for a further period of three years terminating on September 30, 1923.

**Preservation of the Pheasant.**

Correspondence with Mr. A. P. Nazer and others on the subject of the preservation of the pheasant:

Shanghai, July 2, 1920.

SIR,—With a view to giving the pheasant some slight protection against the ever increasing slaughter which is taking place, and which destruction would point to the possible extinction of this game bird within a few years, we, the undersigned, respectfully beg to make the suggestion that the Council frames and enforces a regulation that no hen pheasants be allowed to be sold within the Settlement for a period of three years, commencing from October 1920.

To prevent any possibility of the regulation being evaded by removing the feathers from the birds, all pheasants exposed for sale should have their feathers on.

A similar application is being made to the French Municipal Council, and if the regulation is brought into force, it is hoped, and anticipated, that the various Treaty Ports will adopt it also.

We are, Sir,
Your obedient servants,
A. P. NAZER,
*and others.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, August 9, 1920.

SIR,—In reply to the petition, dated July 2, signed by you and by several other parties, I am directed to inform you that the Council will publish a Notification in the next issue of the Municipal Gazette, in the following terms:—

"Notice is hereby given that the sale of hen pheasants and of pheasants denuded of their feathers, will be prohibited for a period of three years, commencing on October 1, 1920. During the close season, February 17 to September 30, inclusive, the sale of pheasants is absolutely prohibited."

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

A. P. NAZER, Esq.

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Shanghai, August 10, 1920.

SIR,—I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 9th instant, and on behalf of myself and the several signatories to the petition dated July 2, beg to thank the Council for having adopted the suggestions contained therein in regard to the sale of pheasants.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. P. NAZER.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, August 13, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—With further reference to your letter of July 2 on the subject of the preservation of pheasants, and in furtherance of my letter on this subject of August 9, I am directed to point out that, to obtain the full measure of success desired, the co-operation of the various cold storage exportation companies outside the Settlement seems requisite, and I am to suggest that you should endeavour to obtain this co-operation.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

A. P. NAZER, Esq., and others.

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**Motor Omnibus Service.**

Interchange of letters with Mr. W. H. Chen, acting on behalf of the Chinese Motor Bus Co., Ld., on the subject of the inauguration of a motor omnibus service:—

Shanghai, March 3, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—I am directed by my clients, The Chinese Motor Bus Company, Limited, to apply to you for permission to run a motor bus service between the Bund and Woosung Road, via Avenue Edward VII, Thibet Road, and Haining Road.

My clients propose to have eight vehicles on the run, each of which will take about one hour to and fro, and that a regular service every fifteen minutes be established and maintained.

The buses to be used are the products of The Kelly Springfield Company, of Springfield, Ohio, U.S.A. Following are the specifications of each one:—

Length 22 feet; Width 6 feet; Horse Power 30; Capable of carrying 25 to 30 persons or a weight of 5,000 lbs.

The working, etc., will be under the direct charge of Mr. Luoie S. Pang, an Automobile Engineer who recently returned from abroad.

Thanking you for your attention and trusting this matter may receive your careful consideration, I am

Yours faithfully,
W. H. CHEN,
*Attorney-at-Law.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 10, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that your application of March 3, on behalf of "The Chinese Motor Bus Company, Ld." for permission to run a motor bus service between the Bund and Woosung Road, via Avenue Edward VII, Thibet and Haining Roads, has now received the Council's detailed consideration, and that the Council is prepared favourably to consider the issue of the permit requested upon the following terms and conditions and subject to the following observations:—

*Route.*

From the correspondence with the Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld. published in the Municipal Gazette of March 30, your clients will have noted that, subject to conditions therein set forth, a railless tram service has been approved along the same route as that proposed for the bus service as far as Cunningham Road. The greater portion of this route consists in wide thoroughfares; the Council has therefore no objection to the double service, but on the contrary believes that it would prove of public advantage rather than otherwise. As regards the Avenue Edward VII, partly the same considerations will apply to the proposed bus service as to the railless tram service along this Avenue, and consequently the consent of the French Municipal Council will have to be obtained. Subject thereto, the Council favourably regards the proposed route from the Bund as far as the Soochow Creek, and from the further side of the Soochow Creek to Woosung Road. It should be noted however that a portion of the roadway of the section of Haining Road between North Thibet Road and Kansuh Road is within the jurisdiction of the Chapei Authorities, whose approval so far as this section is concerned should accordingly be sought. To permit of a bus service across the Soochow Creek, re-construction of the Thibet Road Bridge would of necessity have to be undertaken.

*Re-construction of Thibet Road Bridge.*

The Council is prepared to consider the re-construction of this bridge, provided your clients will contribute 20 per cent. of the total estimated cost of re-construction (Tls. 130,000 to Tls. 140,000), and provided the Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld. contribute 33⅓ per cent. as stipulated in the correspondence with that company above referred to.

*Road Re-construction.*

The Council will require a contribution from your clients of Tls. 25,000 per route mile towards the cost of road re-construction, when such re-construction is required to render the roads affected suitable for a bus service, with the proviso that the contribution in regard to such sections of the route as may also be traversed by the railless tram service, shall be borne in equal shares of Tls. 12,500 per route mile, by your clients and the Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld.

*Road Maintenance.*

The Council will require a road maintenance contribution from your clients of one tael cent per bus mile payable half-yearly.

*Licence Fee.*

Payment of a licence fee of Tls. 400 per annum will be required in respect of each bus, payable quarterly in advance.

*Period to be allowed for Introduction of Bus Service.*

The Council will allow a period of six months, calculated from the date of your clients' final agreement to the Council's terms, for the introduction of the bus service.

*Period for which Bus Service is to be Permitted.*

The Council's permit would extend to permit of the running of the bus service on the route approved for a period of 20 years, at the end of which time the question of renewal would receive consideration. No monopoly would be conferred by the permit.

*Type of Motor Bus.*

The type of bus of which particulars are given in your application is considered satisfactory, provided that pneumatic cord tires are substituted for solid tires, that suitable safeguards to be approved by the Police be fixed, and that in other respects the bus meets with the general requirements of the licence conditions which apply to motor freight vehicles.

*Number of Buses Authorized.*

The Council's permit will extend to cover a service of 8 buses, but applications for permission to run additional buses will be considered on their merits having regard to traffic requirements and conditions.

*Licensing of Drivers.*

All drivers would be required to undergo a special driving test similar to that applied to drivers of motor lorries.

*Limitation of Fares.*

Fares will be limited to a maximum per passenger of ten Mexican dollar cents per mile, with a maximum fare of thirty Mexican dollar cents for the full distance traversed by the Bus Service.

*Agreement Covering Bus Service.*

On your clients' acceptance of the conditions herein outlined, an agreement will be drafted by the Council's Legal Adviser, and submitted for your consideration, covering the points herein referred to, and such other points as the Council may deem requisite.

In conclusion I am directed to state that the Council will require to be satisfied as to the financial standing of your clients, and as to their ability to carry out the conditions under which the permit is issued.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

W. H. CHEN, Esq.

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Shanghai, August 12, 1920.

SIR,—In reply to your letter of recent date, I am directed by my clients, the Chinese Motor Company, to write you in connexion with the above and to state that after careful consideration, they have come to the conclusion that the sums asked for in your letter are too high, therefore they regret that they are unable to meet the same. They are willing, however, to pay the Council a sum similar to that paid in Europe and America, or any similar sum that comes within reason.

Should the Council—as my clients hope—be willing to reconsider the matter, I shall be glad if you will kindly communicate with me.

I should have given the Council an earlier reply but as the directors of the Company are in Hongkong your proposals had to go to Hongkong to be considered there. I trust you will accept my apologies.

Thanking you for the attention you have courteously given to the matter, I have the honour to remain, Sir,

Your obedient servant,
W. H. CHEN.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 55A 53A | Canton Off Foochow | Y. Ohara Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | altns. stable & carriage shed |
| 141 | Kiangse & Peking | ,, | | | heating chamber |
| 629 | Kinkiang, Chekiang & Kin Wo Ka | Palmer & Turner | | | kiosks |
| 682 | Off Boone | C. Bianchi | | | baker's oven & chimney |
| 1070 | Broadway East | Moorhead & Halse | | | temporary shed |
| 131 | East Seward | Ching Foo Shing | | | store & gatehouse |
| 2426 & 2446 | Off Yangtszepoo | New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works, Ld. | | | foundry & carpenters work shop |
| 3000 | Avenue | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | 18 garages |
| 1979 | Off Chengtu | H. M. Cumine | | | 2 covered ways & pavilion |
| 3240 | Off Seymour | R. A. Curry | | | green house |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 353 & 353A | Fokien & Chihli | S. V. Chen | | | addns. |
| E of 2290 | Wayside & Paoting | Tsao Yung Chiao | 2 | | 3 bungalows |
| 280 | E. Yuhang | Joe Ming Kee | 5 | | hong |
| 4466 & 4470 | Off Gordon | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | 12 | | gatehouse |
| W of 1504 | Off Mandalay | Kwan de Nieh Temple | 4 | | addns. |
| 996 | Sinza | Nee Yung Lal | 76 | | gatehouse |

## Municipal Loans 1920.

### 6% Sterling Loan Issued at 100%.

SUBSCRIPTIONS AS ON AUGUST 17. £498,850.

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on August 17:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 71,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 35,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 20.000 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14 000 | | |
| One Investor of | 12,000 | | |
| One ,, | 11,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 379,400 | |
| 159 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 306,100 | |
| 173 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 685,500 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 24 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 55,000 | |
| 26 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 78,000 |
| | | | Total Tls. 763,500 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, August 15, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 25 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 6 |
| Acute Diarrhoea | — | 21 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 216 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, AUGUST 14.

*Police Force.*—J. Hardy is appointed Assistant Warder on probation from August 11.

*Health Department.*—Miss V. L. Roseman is engaged as a candidate for an appointment as Probationer Nurse, on six months' trial from August 9.

*Public Works Department.*—Constable W. J. Elliott is transferred to be Clerk-of Works in the Public Works Department from August 11.

The appointment of Assistant Inspector F. O. Amy is confirmed under an agreement from August 1, terminable at three months' notice.

Temporary Assistant Inspector F. B. Bull is permitted to terminate his service on August 11.

## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. Aug. | 23 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden | |
| Tues. ,, | 24 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground | |
| Wed. ,, | 25 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden | |
| Thurs. ,, | 26 | 5.30 ,, | ,, ,, | |
| Fri. ,, | 27 | 9.00 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground | |
| Sat. ,, | 28 | 4.30 ,, | Public Recreation Ground | |
| ,, ,, | 28 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden | |

## Report of Commissioner of Police for July.

Strength of the Force on July 31.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 213 | |
| Japanese | 27 | |
| Sikhs | 683 | |
| Chinese | 1,457 | |
| | | 2,389 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 97 | |
| Followers | 230 | |
| | | 327 |
| | Total | 2,716 |

*Murder.*—At about 5 a.m. on July 5, owing to a quarrel, a Chinese ex-watchman murdered a Chinese woman with a carpenter's axe at No. 1805 Avenue Road and attempted to murder her daughter aged 16 years and son aged 7. Charged at the Mixed Court he was found guilty and ordered to be handed over to the Chinese Authorities.

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*Bomb.*—A bomb, which appeared to have been made by filling a small canister with an explosive powder, exploded about 1.30 a.m. on July 14 in Hardoon's Garden where Wang I-tang, Chief of the Northern Peace Delegation, has been residing for several months. The bomb must have been thrown with a view to moral effect as it was not sufficiently powerful to do any damage.

*Local Political Situation.*—In view of developments in the political situation, it is fortunate that no fighting occurred in the neighbourhood of Shanghai during the month of July. Considerable disturbance to the normal life of the Settlement resulting from the suspension of traffic for three days on the Shanghai-Nanking Railway has, however, to be recorded. The first military preparations in this vicinity, which seemed to forebode fighting, were made by Tuchun Li Shun of Nanking on July 9 when he sent a thousand soldiers of the Soochow Garrison in boats to Quinsan and Henli. After removing a length of rail from the track, the troops mined the Shanghai-Nanking Railway line at a point near the latter place. News of the occurrence reached Shanghai on the evening of July 10 when the train service was immediately suspended, and General Ho, Commander of the local garrison, decided to send troops to Nanziang to offset Li Shun's move. The first detachment of these left Lunghua at 2.30 a.m. on July 12, and further contingents which followed brought the total number sent to about 2,500. The rival forces remained on the respective sides of the boundary line between the Shanghai District and the remainder of Kiangsu at a distance of some sixteen miles apart until July 13 when, following an arrangement between Tuchun Li Shun of Kiangsu, General Lu Yung-ziang of Chekiang and General Ho Fong-ling of Shanghai, their withdrawal began, and traffic was resumed on the railway. Nothing has since happened to disturb the tranquillity of Shanghai. A modified form of Martial Law has been in force in the vicinity of Shanghai since July 11.

*Price of Rice.*—The action taken by the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, the Rice Merchants' Guild and Municipal Council at the end of June for the purpose of reducing the high cost of rice resulted in a downward movement of the price which continued steadily throughout July. Rice of the best quality which sold on the last day of June for $15.50 per picul had decreased to $13.80 at the end of July, and the price of inferior rice fell from $11.40 to $9.70 per picul during the same period. The cheap sale by the Chamber of Commerce of a consignment of 27,500 piculs of Saigon rice, arrangements for which will soon be completed, should cause a further reduction in the price.

*Strikes.*—The unrest in industrial circles, which started in June as a result of the unprecedented high price of rice, continued during July, no less than nine strikes, affecting 6,700 workers, occurring during the month. With the exception of the makers of Chinese buckets and shoes, who were still out at the end of the month, all strikers returned to work, having secured increases in wages varying from 10 to 50 per cent. Some 8,800 employes of four different concerns who were on strike at the end of June were granted increases ranging from 10 to 20 per cent. and returned to work in the early part of the month.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 628 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 168 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 186 records were received from the French Police out of which number 90 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For Identification | 814 |
| Identified | 258 |
| Percentage | 32 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 13 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 36 |
| Total | 49 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 19.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 369 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 91 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 60 | *Second offenders.* |
| 33 | *Third offenders.* |
| 6 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 67 | *Habitual offenders* (serious). |
| 628 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for July*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. Tls. | 1,105.78 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 552.32 |
| Total Tls. | 553.46 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour Tls. | 553.46 |

Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licenses suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.

K. J. McEuen,
*Commissioner of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:*— | |
| Assault | 2 |
| Deserters | 3 |
| 2.—*Offences Against Property:*— | |
| Forgery | 1 |
| Larceny | 1 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:*— | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:*— | |
| Dogs | 28 |
| Motor Cars | 2 |
| Motor Cycles | 2 |
| Ricshas | 3 |
| Tavern | 1 |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:*— | |
| Brothels | 2 |
| Nuisances | 2 |
| Begging and creating a disturbance | 3 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 5 |
| Riding a bicycle after sunset without a light | 3 |
| Soliciting alms | 3 |
| Vagrancy | 1 |
| 4.—*Miscellaneous Cases* | 5 |
| Total | 67 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,558 | 1,558 |
| Others | 53 | 974 | 1,027 |
| Total | 53 | 2,532 | 2,585 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cases withdrawn | 2 |
| Cautioned | 4 |
| Dismissed | 2 |
| Fined | 40 |
| Handed to presents or guardians | 1 |
| Imprisonment | 12 |
| Remanded | 4 |
| Sent to Macao | 1 |
| Sent to the Mental Ward | 1 |
| Total | 67 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on July 31.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 10 |
| Louza Station | 10 |
| Hongkew Station | 6 |
| Harbin Road Station | 4 |
| West Hongkew Station | 4 |
| Wayside Station | 2 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 7 |
| Sinza Station | 9 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 1 |
| Gordon Road Station | 2 |
| Gaol | 1,651 |
| Reformatory | 54 |
| Total | 1,760 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 850 | 387 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 850 | 387 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN June 26 and July 30.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 56,445.85 |
| Recovered | 42,772.50 |

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**DOGS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 30/6/20 | 41 | 438 |
| Captured | 397 | |
| Returned | 56 | 438 |
| Killed | 338 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 14 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 30 | |

**Parks Report for June and July.**

*Jessfield Park.*—A section on the East side of Jessfield Park has been laid out as a Japanese Garden, and will be planted with suitable plants in October. The floral display was generally considered effective, but owing to heavy rain finished quickly.

*Privet.*—The flowers were cut off all privet shrubs which overhang public roads before the flowers expanded, as usual complaints of persons suffering from "privet cough" were received before the flowers opened.

*Seating Accommodation.*—Owing to the greatly increased numbers who frequent the parks, seating accommodation is inadequate and steps have been taken to obtain an increased number of seats.

*Labour.*—Inquiries for gardeners are numerous, but skilled men are difficult to obtain. This shortage is due to various causes. Within recent years about 250 new gardens have been laid out, each requiring the labour of from 1 to 10 men. The high cost of food makes farming lucrative and this year approximately 1,000 mow formerly uncultivated is now bearing crops. Over 1,000 mow of land is required to supply the market with flowers, so that nearly every kind of imported flowers can be obtained in quantity and cheaply in the markets. 500 additional mow is required to meet the increased demand for vegetables. As all this increased amount of land devoted to gardening has occurred within a few years, the demand for men has increased beyond the number who are trained.

SPORTS, JUNE.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,121 |
| Lawn Bowls | 260 |
| Tennis (599 courts) | 4,467 |
| Baseball | 306 |
| Total number of players | 6,154 |
| ,, ,, non-players | 11,382 |
| ,, ,, visitors | 17,536 |

*Roadside Trees:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of trees fastened | 1,859 |
| ,, ,, staked | 93 |
| ,, ,, topdressed | 4,236 |
| ,, ,, pruned | 230 |
| ,, ,, tree-borers destroyed | 3,520 |
| Dead trees removed | 36 |

*Road Widening:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of trees transplanted | 13 |

*Nurseries:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of seeding plants transplanted | 10,590 |
| ,, shrubs transplanted | 2,680 |
| Various cuttings inserted | 4,194 |
| Shrubs planted at Jessfield Park | 395 |

*Plants bedded out at:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Reserve Garden | 500 |
| Public Gardens | 1,850 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 660 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 2,310 |
| Jessfield Park | 350 |
| Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese | 400 |
| Public School for Girls | 370 |
| Public School for Girls in W. District | 300 |
| Sinza Police Station | 250 |
| | 7,990 |

*Lawns mown at:—*

Reserve Garden
Public Garden
Hongkew Recreation Ground
Public Recreation Ground
Jessfield Park
Wayside Park
Studley Park
The Point Garden
Bund Foreshore
Soochow Road Foreshore
Quinsan Square
Cathedral Compound
Bubbling Well Carriage Turn
Wayside Carriage Turn
Warren Piece
Brenan Piece
Hart Piece
Yuyuen Road Piece
Victoria Nursing Home
Isolation Hospital
Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese
Public School for Boys
Public School for Girls
Public School for Chinese
Thomas Hanbury School for Boys
Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese
Kungping Road Public School
Public School for Girls in Western District
Municipal Gaol and Reformatory
Sinza Police Station
Louza Police Station
Wayside Police Station
Yangtszepoo Police Station
Bubbling Well Police Station
Hongkew Police Station
Harbin Road Police Station
Gordon Road Police Station

*Police Quarters.*

No. 209 Bubbling Well Road, 76 Yangtszepoo Road, Carter Road and Connaught Road.

SPORTS, JULY.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,001 |
| Lawn Bowls | 322 |
| Baseball | 270 |
| Tennis (669 courts) | 5,104 |
| Total number of players | 6,697 |
| ,, ,, non-players | 13,062 |
| ,, ,, visitors | 19,759 |

*Roadside Trees:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of trees pruned | 1,618 |
| ,, ,, staked | 28 |
| ,, ,, fastened | 383 |
| ,, ,, topdressed | 343 |
| ,, dead trees removed | 196 |
| ,, tree-borers destroyed | 1,725 |

*Road Widening:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number trees transplanted | 21 |

*Shrubs transplanted* at Hongkew Recreation Ground 61

*Plants bedded out at:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Reserve Garden | 960 |
| Public Gardens | 1,278 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 1,320 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 712 |
| Wayside Park | 170 |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | 150 |
| 209 Bubbling Well Road Police Quarters | 200 |
| Carter Road Police Quarters | 200 |
| | 4,990 |

*Nurseries:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of young trees pruned | 20,404 |
| ,, seedling plants transplanted | 250 |
| Various cuttings inserted | 10,480 |

D. MACGREGOR,
*Superintendent*

Countersigned:
CHAS. H. GODFREY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

**The Point Garden.**

REGULATIONS.

1.—The Park is reserved exclusively for the Foreign Community.

2.—The Park is opened daily to the Public from daylight to dusk.

3.—No persons are admitted unless respectably dressed.

4.—Horses, ponies, vehicles and bicycles are not admitted.

5.—Dogs are not admitted unless properly muzzled and led on leash.

6.—Birdnesting, plucking flowers or otherwise damaging the shrubs, plants or grass is strictly prohibited; visitors and other persons in charge of children are requested to aid in preventing such mischief.

7.—Shooting, lighting fires and playing ball games are strictly prohibited.

8.—The Police have instructions to enforce these regulations.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 7, 1918.

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承攬之全份或幾份係本局自有權利

二 所有承攬者未定必須有本局自有權利

三 擇定之後承攬人須覓妥保人同辦理

四 所有承攬各人之信及承攬之價目以登入本局公報俾人知悉

五 本局所有取閱明單若須付費登報之費所有取閱明單若須付費登報之費

六 所有承攬者須面呈本局總辦處送交信函一封內加蓋火漆印信

二 都局總辦處送交信函一封內加蓋火漆印信

上海工部局定期十日上午十一時開標

清單費來函前以信用掛號寄交此次概免郵費

後仍將該款一律退還

明所取之款俟得承攬者後即將此款一律退還

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **GENERAL** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Revenue Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 1 | (*a*) Printing 500 Land Assessment Schedules each Central, Northern, Eastern and Western Districts | — | August 31, Noon |
| | (*b*) Printing 600 Land Assessment Plans each Central, Northern, Eastern (2 sections) and Western Districts | — | August 31, Noon |
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 154 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern, Ankle Boots<br>{ 1 000 pairs, to be delivered on or before January 31, 1921<br>{ 2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, March 31, 1921 | — | October 1, Noon |
| 155 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31, Noon |
| 156 | 150 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 157 | 2,400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 ,, | — | do. |
| 158 | 1,200 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 4 ,, | — | do. |
| 159 | 7,000 ,, ,, Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 160 | 900 ,, Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 quality | — | do. |
| 161 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 162 | 2,000 ,, Cotton Lining | — | do. |
| 163 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 164 | 500 Brown ,, 68 × 90 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before June 30, 1921 | — | do. |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 544 | Supply of Steel Girders for North Szechuen Road Bridge over Soochow Creek | — | August 20, Noon |
| 545 | Construction of Highway Bridge over the Soochow Creek at Szechuen Road | Tls. 50 | August 25, Noon |
| 547 | Supply of Tools, etc. | — | September 18, Noon |
| 552 | Supply of Bass Brooms | — | October 16, Noon |
| 557 | Erection of Dog Kennels at Yangtszepoo Police Station | — | August 20, Noon |
| 563 | Painting at Gordon Road Police Station | — | August 20, Noon |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 561

Iron Stairway to Tower at Yangtszepoo Fire Station

| | |
|---|---|
| Way Cheong & Co., Ld. | Tls. 1,620 |
| Mar Yuen Zung | 965 |
| *Soy Chong | 822 |

*Accepted

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## TENDERS RECEIVED *(Contd.)*

### ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 201

83 Miles Bare Copper Cable

| | |
|---|---|
| *Scott, Harding & Co. | £17,265 12 2 |
| China Electric Co. | 17,992 0 0 |
| Takata & Co. | 18 053 10 11 |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | 18,166 0 4 |
| Sumitomo Yoko | 18 709 18 0 |
| Furukawa & Co. | 18-587 17 11 |
| East Asiatic Co., Ld. | 19,129 0 0 |
| Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha | 20,420 15 1 |
| China Commercial Co. | 21,181 10 0 |
| Harrisons, King & Irwin | 34,150 0 0 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | G. $69 726.80 |
| Middleton & Co. | G. $70,080.00 |

### ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 202

33 Miles Weatherproof Copper Wire

| | |
|---|---|
| *Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha | £3,953 12 1 |
| Sumitomo Yoko | 3,982 19 3 |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | 4,062 5 7 |
| Furukawa & Co. | 4,068 9 5 |
| Takata & Co. | 4,092 6 3 |
| China Electric Co. | 4,639 0 0 |
| Scott, Harding & Co. | 4,802 9 0 |
| Harrisons, King & Irwin | 5,161 0 0 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | G $16,138 10 |
| Middleton & Co. | G. $19,310.00 |

Tender No. 203

16 Miles Vulcanised Cable

| | |
|---|---|
| *Scott, Harding & Co. | £1,225 10 6 |
| Furukawa & Co. | 1 253 14 11 |
| Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | 1,278 13 4 |
| Sumitomo Yoko | 1,278 15 9 |
| Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha | 1,329 12 0 |
| Takata & Co. | 1,434 14 10 |
| China Electric Co. | 1,523 0 0 |
| Harrisons, King & Irwin | 1,591 15 1 |
| British Electrical & Engineering Co. | 1,660 0 0 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | G. $6,383.30 |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2702.**
**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**
**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2715.**
**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**
**Amount £750,000**
**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2745.**
**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**
**Amount £750,000.**
**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan, particulars of which are contained in Municipal Notification No. 2715, will remain open until September 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the list on any day prior to that date.

The first payment of interest on subscriptions received on or after September 1, 1920, will be made on June 30, 1921.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 26, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2740.**
**DANGEROUS DRIVING OF MOTOR CARS.**

TRAFFIC conditions in Shanghai are of an exceedingly complex character. It is therefore the more incumbent on drivers of motor vehicles—the fastest type of vehicle on the streets,—to take particular care in observing the Traffic Regulations and in adjusting their speed at all times so as not to endanger life or limb. The public safety must have first consideration, and those who drive in such a manner as to endanger the public safety will be prosecuted with the utmost rigour of the law.

The Council earnestly requests the co-operation of all motor vehicle owners in seeing that this warning be brought to the particular attention of their chauffeurs so that excessive speed and dangerous driving may cease.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 5, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2744.**
**TRAFFIC REGULATION.**

TO facilitate the control of traffic in the Nanking Road, the following additional regulation will come into force from September 1, viz:—

In the section of the Bubbling Well and Nanking Roads between Mohawk Road and the Bund, no motor vehicle shall pass another in motion, proceeding in the same direction.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL.
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 26, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2741.**
**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHINESE**
*(Translation.)*

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the Winter term on Wednesday, September 8, at 9 a.m.

Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.

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Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads.

Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.

Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25 except for the Public School for Chinese and the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $35 and $20, respectively, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Monday, September 6, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Tuesday, September 7, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive and examine new pupils.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 7, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2743.

### PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FOREIGN CHILDREN.

THE schools will reopen on Wednesday, September 8, at 8.30 a.m.

The attention of parents is directed to the following scale of monthly fees:—

*Public School for Boys.*
200 North Szechuen Road.
Boys over 10 years of age $12
Boys under 10 years of age 8
Extra Subject:—
Shorthand 2

*Public School for Girls.*
28 Boone Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten 5
Extra Subject:—
Piano 6
24 Kungping Road.
Children under 8 years of age $8
Kindergarten children 5
88 Avenue Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten children 5

Admission to the Avenue Road School is restricted to girls under 15 years of age and to boys under 8 years of age. Admission to the Kungping Road School is restricted to girls and boys under 8 years of age.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*
63 Haskell Road.
Boarders $30
Day Scholars 9

*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*
15 Boone Road.
Upper School, Boarders $20
Upper School, Day Scholars 6
Lower School, Boarders 18
Lower School, Day Scholars 5

Kindergarten children in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls will be charged the same rates as for the Lower School.

The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions:—

| For a family of | Public Schools | Thomas Hanbury Schools for Boys | Thomas Hanbury School for Girls |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2 children | 20% | $1.80 | $1.20 |
| 3 or more children | 33⅓% | 3.00 | 2.00 |

Children of non-resident parents, unless already in attendance at the schools, will not be admitted. The term *non-resident* implies residence in Shanghai of less than six months.

Forms for the admission of new pupils may be obtained on application at the several schools, and should be presented by the new pupils themselves, when attending at the Schools for examination and admission on Friday, September 3, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., except in the case of the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys for which the hour of attendance will be Wednesday, September 8, at 9 a.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 19, 1920.

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AT the special meeting of the Council held on Friday, August 20, 1920, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent:*
Mr. H. H. Girardet

The meeting adjourned at 1.10 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Monday, August 23, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Mr. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
Lieut.-Col. Hayley Bell, D.S.O.
Messrs. A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
A. C. Hynes
W. P. Lambe
W. L. Merriman

*Absent:*
Messrs. C. G. Humphrys
D. McColl
W. C. Sprague

The meeting adjourned at 6.55 p.m.

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### Public Band.

By arrangement with the stewards of the Race Club, a series of three performances will be given by the Band in the Race Club Enclosure at 9 p.m. on Mondays August 30 and September 6 and 13, weather permitting. The Race Club Enclosure will be thrown open to the public on these occasions.

### Water Supply.

With reference to the correspondence published in the Gazette of March 30, the following interchange of letters with the Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld., on the subject of the exceptionally high bacterial content of the water during the month of June is published hereunder for purposes of record:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, July 29, 1920.

SIR,—In my reply of February 25 last to your memorandum that the drought and the consequent condition of the silt in the river had made it impossible to filter the water sufficiently quickly to cope with the demand, and that the pressure had therefore been low for a part of the day, reference was made to the unsatisfactory character of the report and analysis of water made by the Health Officer in January last, I am now directed to call your attention to the report and analysis attached to the Health Officer's report for June published in the Municipal Gazette of July 22, and to request that you may kindly favour the Council with an explanation as to the causes of the exceptionally high bacterial content, since it would appear that the condition of the water supply is such as to constitute a serious danger to public health.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

A. P. WOOD, Esq.,
Engineer-in-Chief & Secretary,
Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld.

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Shanghai, August 4, 1920.

SIR,—I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 29th ulto. with regard to the Health Officer's report for June published in the "Municipal Gazette" of July 22.

As explained in my letter of March 12 last, considerable difficulty was experienced in February last in filtration of raw water owing to the unprecedented increase in the silt content of the river water, the difficulty being accentuated by the fineness of the silt and the absence of any warning of the increase.

In view of a possible recurrence of this high silt content at any moment, the Company has, since February, experimented with purification otherwise than by plain sedimentation and slow sand filtration.

In these experiments clarification has been obtained by settlement in conjunction with a coagulant, the time of settlement and quantity of precipitant being varied from time to time in order to ascertain the best results with the constantly varying qualities of raw river water to be dealt with. The clarified water has been sterilised by means of chlorination and the resultant treated water has been analysed periodically.

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On the discovery of the abnormal increase in bacterial content (it was discovered by the Company's chemist prior to receipt of the Health Officer's analysis), investigations were at once made to ascertain the cause, the entrance of some extraneous polluting matter being at first suspected, but the increase was eventually found to be due to algae having passed through the experimental system and to the development of algal growths in the filtered water reservoir, these growths contributing towards the multiplication of bacteria.

During the time that investigations were being made—and in consequence of bacteriological analysis of water requiring a considerable time delay is inevitable—the whole of the Company's mains were flushed out and practically the whole of the supply chlorinated.

The reservoir referred to has been emptied and thoroughly cleaned, and the necessary steps taken to prevent any recurrence of algal growths, also more bacteriological work is being undertaken in the Company's laboratory, the filtered water being tested at several points in the Station and in town so as to prevent the possibility of a recurrence.

The exceptionally high bacterial content lasted for only a short period and, I am satisfied, was remedied in the shortest time possible. The Health Officer's analysis of July 27, kindly sent to the Company on the 31st idem., is, as you are doubtless aware, satisfactory in every way.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. P. WOOD,
*Secretary & Engineer-in-Chief,*
*Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

## Municipal Loans 1920.

### 6% Sterling Loan Issued at 100%.

SUBSCRIPTIONS AS ON AUGUST 24, £520,900

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on August 24:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 96,300 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 35,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 12,000 | | |
| One " | 11,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 404,300 | |
| 159 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 306,100 | |
| 173 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 710,400 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 25 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 58,000 | |
| 27 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 81,000 |
| | | | Total Tls. 791,400 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

## Land Assessment.

The following are the values placed on lots in the Eastern District, by Messrs. Halse and Sparke, as a basis for taxation. The usual notices to lot-owners are being distributed, allowing for protests within 30 days:—

| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. |
| 1 | 40,000 | 45 | 15,000 |
| 5 | 10,000 | 46 | 15,000 |
| 9 | 14,000 | 47 | 11,000 |
| 17 | 40,000 | 54 | 12,000 |
| 20 | 37,000 | 57 | 15,000 |
| 31 | 38,000 | 60 | 11,500 |
| 32 | 14,000 | 61 | 10,500 |
| 35 | 9,000 | 62 | 10,500 |
| 37 | 9,000 | 63 | 6,500 |
| 38 | 9,500 | 65 | 10,000 |
| 39 | 9,500 | 66 | 11,000 |
| 69 | 10,500 | 120 | 10,000 |
| 70 | 11,000 | 123 | 9,000 |
| 71 | 10,000 | 131 | 8,300 |
| 76 | 10,500 | 135 | 9,000 |
| 79 | 10,000 | 137 | 9,500 |
| 80 | 7,000 | 140 | 9,000 |
| 81 | 6,500 | 142 | 7,000 |
| 83 | 10,500 | 145 | 12,000 |
| 98 | 10,500 | 149 | 9,000 |
| 99 | 10,500 | 162 | 6,000 |
| 101 | 9,000 | 163 | 6,000 |
| 102 | 9,000 | 180 | 2,000 |
| 103 | 6,000 | 183 | 7,000 |
| 106 | 8,000 | 184 | 6,800 |
| 107 | 10,500 | 185 | 6,400 |
| 108 | 10,500 | 186 | 7,000 |
| 110 | 10,000 | 187 | 5,300 |
| 115 | 10,000 | 188 | 8,000 |
| 116 | 8,500 | 190 | 4,000 |
| 118 | 8,500 | 191 | 5,000 |
| 192 | 6,500 | 372 | 1,200 |
| 193 | 4,000 | 373 | 2,700 |
| 195 | 6,000 | 375 | 2,300 |
| 200 | 6,500 | 376 | 1,000 |
| 203 | 6,500 | 377 | 1,000 |
| 206 | 6,500 | 378 | 1,000 |
| 210 | 4,500 | 379 | 1,000 |
| 213 | 3,500 | 380 | 2,500 |
| 214 | 3,800 | 381 | 2,500 |
| 215 | 3,500 | 418 | 3,600 |
| 216 | 3,500 | 418A | 3,600 |
| 217 | 3,500 | 420 | 3,500 |
| 218 | 3,500 | 427 | 4,200 |
| 219 | 3,500 | 431 | 3,700 |
| 220 | 3,200 | 432 | 3,700 |
| 221 | 3,000 | 433 | 3,500 |
| 222 | 3,000 | 435 | 3,700 |
| 225 | 2,400 | 436 | 3,600 |
| 227 | 3,000 | 437 | 3,300 |
| 228 | 3,000 | 438 | 3,300 |
| 229 | 3,000 | 439 | 3,700 |
| 230 | 5,000 | 450 | 3,000 |
| 231 | 4,000 | 451 | 3,500 |
| 234 | 3,700 | 452 | 2,300 |
| 238 | 2,500 | 455 | 700 |
| 239 | 2,500 | 458 | 3,000 |
| 240 | 4,300 | 460 | 2,300 |
| 242 | 2,500 | 470 | 2,600 |
| 243 | 4,700 | 474 | 1,800 |
| 244 | 8,000 | 476 | 3,000 |
| 244A | 8,000 | 477 | 2,000 |
| 245 | 8,000 | 478 | 2,000 |
| 246 | 8,000 | 479 | 3,700 |
| 247 | 4,500 | 480 | 2,000 |
| 250 | 4,000 | 481 | 2,500 |
| 251 | 3,000 | 482 | 3,500 |
| 253 | 4,000 | 483 | 4,200 |
| 258 | 7,000 | 484 | 4,000 |
| 259 | 7,500 | 485 | 4,200 |
| 265 | 7,000 | 505 | 11,000 |
| 266 | 7,000 | 510 | 12,000 |
| 269 | 6,000 | 520 | 36,000 |
| 271 | 7,000 | 550 | 9,500 |
| 272 | 7,000 | 554 | 8,700 |
| 273 | 7,000 | 558 | 8,800 |
| 274 | 7,000 | 564 | 10,500 |
| 275 | 3,000 | 566 | 14,000 |
| 278 | 6,000 | 570 | 12,000 |
| 279 | 7,000 | 571 | 9,000 |
| 280 | 6,000 | 572 | 8,300 |
| 283 | 6,000 | 573 | 9,300 |
| 300 | 4,700 | 574 | 6,300 |
| 301 | 3,500 | 575 | 6,800 |
| 302 | 3,500 | 579 | 7,500 |
| 303 | 5,000 | 581 | 6,500 |
| 305 | 3,500 | 583 | 7,500 |
| 309 | 3,500 | 584 | 9,000 |
| 310 | 3,500 | 590 | 10,000 |
| 311 | 3,500 | 592 | 8,500 |
| 315 | 3,600 | 593 | 8,500 |
| 316 | 5,000 | 594 | 8,500 |
| 318 | 3,000 | 596 | 6,500 |
| 320 | 5,500 | 597 | 8,500 |
| 330 | 5,500 | 598 | 8,500 |
| 331 | 5,000 | 599 | 9,500 |
| 333 | 2,000 | 600 | 9,000 |
| 334 | 2,000 | 601 | 9,000 |
| 336 | 3,300 | 602 | 9,000 |
| 337 | 3,300 | 605 | 8,500 |
| 340 | 5,000 | 610 | 8,500 |
| 345 | 4,000 | 612 | 8,000 |
| 348 | 3,500 | 615 | 8,000 |
| 350 | 3,500 | 620 | 8,000 |
| 361 | 2,700 | 626 | 7,500 |
| 366 | 2,700 | 627 | 5,000 |
| 371 | 4,500 | 628 | 8,500 |

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| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|
| | Tls. |
| 629 | 5,000 |
| 630 | 4,800 |
| 631 | 4,800 |
| 636 | 8,000 |
| 638 | 5,800 |
| 646 | 7,500 |
| 647A | 7,500 |
| 647B | 7,500 |
| 648 | 7,500 |
| 649 | 7,800 |
| 650 | 7,000 |
| 651 | 6,000 |
| 652 | 3,500 |
| 653 | 6,000 |
| 654 | 7,300 |
| 655 | 6,000 |
| 657 | 2,500 |
| 658 | 3,500 |
| 660 | 3,000 |
| 662 | 3,500 |
| 667 | 7,200 |
| 670 | 7,000 |
| 677 | 7,500 |
| 680 | 8,000 |
| 683 | 5,000 |
| 685 | 5,300 |
| 695 | 8,300 |
| 699 | 6,000 |
| 713 | 8,700 |
| 720 | 6,200 |
| 725 | 6,200 |
| 728 | 6,000 |
| 730 | 5,800 |
| 731 | 5,600 |
| 732 | 6,000 |
| 733 | 3,000 |
| 734 | 5,000 |
| 737 | 3,000 |
| 738 | 4,800 |
| 740 | 5,000 |
| 741 | 4,500 |
| 743 | 3,800 |
| 746 | 3,900 |
| 751 | 4,000 |
| 752 | 2,000 |
| 753 | 3,200 |
| 756 | 4,000 |
| 757 | 3,500 |
| 801 | 2,000 |
| 803 | 2,400 |
| 805 | 2,800 |
| 806 | 2,300 |
| 814 | 1,700 |
| 818 | 2,600 |
| 820 | 1,700 |
| 821 | 3,500 |
| 822 | 3,500 |
| 823 | 2,200 |
| 824 | 3,500 |
| 825 | 2,200 |
| 827 | 1,500 |
| 828 | 2,000 |
| 829 | 1,500 |
| 830 | 1,500 |
| 832 | 2,500 |
| 835 | 1,500 |
| 840 | 1,500 |
| 844 | 3,200 |
| 845 | 3,500 |
| 846 | 2,700 |
| 850 | 1,300 |
| 852 | 1,300 |
| 853 | 3,800 |
| 854 | 1,500 |
| 855 | 3,000 |
| 856 | 1,500 |

| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|
| | Tls. |
| 857 | 1,200 |
| 858 | 3,300 |
| 859 | 1,500 |
| 860 | 3,300 |
| 862 | 3,000 |
| 871 | 2,000 |
| 874 | 2,200 |
| 875 | 2,100 |
| 878 | 500 |
| 885 | 1,800 |
| 890 | 1,400 |
| 892 | 1,400 |
| 893 | 500 |
| 894 | 600 |
| 895 | 600 |
| 896 | 1,100 |
| 898 | 500 |
| 915 | 1,800 |
| 916 | 1,500 |
| 917 | 800 |
| 918 | 1,200 |
| 920 | 900 |
| 921 | 1,600 |
| 922 | 2,000 |
| 925 | 1,600 |
| 926 | 1,800 |
| 927 | 800 |
| 930 | 1,000 |
| 932 | 1,000 |
| 833 | 600 |
| 934 | 1,000 |
| 935 | 1,000 |
| 936 | 600 |
| 937 | 1,000 |
| 938 | 1,000 |
| 939 | 600 |
| 940 | 700 |
| 946 | 1,800 |
| 947 | 2,400 |
| 948 | 2,200 |
| 950 | 2,000 |
| 951 | 1,000 |
| 954 | 500 |
| 955 | 500 |
| 956 | 500 |
| 960 | 500 |
| 970 | 750 |
| 974 | 400 |
| 976 | 600 |
| 977 | 600 |
| 978 | 600 |
| 979 | 600 |
| 980 | 600 |
| 981 | 700 |
| 982 | 600 |
| 983 | 400 |
| 984 | 500 |
| 985 | 450 |
| 986 | 400 |
| 987 | 400 |
| 990 | 600 |
| 991 | 450 |
| 992 | 450 |
| 995 | 500 |
| 997 | 500 |
| 998 | 450 |
| 999 | 400 |
| 1000 | 30,000 |
| 1019 | 28,000 |
| 1037 | 25,000 |
| 1050 | 6,000 |
| 1056 | 5,500 |
| 1060 | 5,500 |
| 1065 | 6,000 |
| 1070 | 6,800 |
| 1075 | 8,000 |

| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|
| | Tls. |
| 1077 | 7,000 |
| 1080 | 7,500 |
| 1083 | 7,000 |
| 1087 | 7,400 |
| 1088 | 9,500 |
| 1090 | 7,500 |
| 1091 | 7,500 |
| 1093 | 5,000 |
| 1095 | 7,500 |
| 1098 | 6,500 |
| 1100 | 7,100 |
| 1104 | 7,100 |
| 1108 | 6,000 |
| 1110 | 6,700 |
| 1117 | 6,700 |
| 1118 | 5,700 |
| 1120 | 6,200 |
| 1124 | 4,200 |
| 1126 | 6,200 |
| 1132 | 5,300 |
| 1137 | 5,000 |
| 1138 | 4,000 |
| 1139 | 4,400 |
| 1143 | 6,000 |
| 1145 | 4,000 |
| 1147 | 4,000 |
| 1148 | 2,500 |
| 1150 | 3,500 |
| 1157 | 5,300 |
| 1158 | 5,000 |
| 1164 | 6,000 |
| 1165 | 5,500 |
| 1167 | 6,500 |
| 1168 | 7,500 |
| 1169 | 5,300 |
| 1176 | 7,500 |
| 1177 | 6,500 |
| 1180 | 3,500 |
| 1181 | 3,500 |
| 1182 | 3,500 |
| 1183 | 3,500 |
| 1184 | 3,500 |
| 1185 | 3,500 |
| 1186 | 3,500 |
| 1187 | 3,500 |
| 1190 | 7,500 |
| 1193 | 7,500 |
| 1194 | 6,000 |
| 1196 | 3,500 |
| 1197 | 5,000 |
| 1198 | 5,500 |
| 1199 | 4,500 |
| 1212 | 3,800 |
| 1213 | 4,000 |
| 1214 | 3,800 |
| 1215 | 2,800 |
| 1216 | 3,500 |
| 1220 | 2,000 |
| 1223 | 2,000 |
| 1227 | 1,800 |
| 1235 | 3,200 |
| 1238 | 1,500 |
| 1242 | 3,500 |
| 1244 | 3,700 |
| 1245 | 2,100 |
| 1246 | 2,300 |
| 1249 | 1,000 |
| 1259 | 1,600 |
| 1260 | 1,000 |
| 1261 | 600 |
| 1270 | 2,800 |
| 1275 | 2,800 |
| 1317 | 900 |
| 1318 | 1,100 |
| 1318A | 600 |
| 1319 | 600 |

| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|
| | Tls. |
| 1320 | 600 |
| 1329 | 600 |
| 1330 | 600 |
| 1332 | 600 |
| 1334 | 600 |
| 1340 | 600 |
| 1341 | 600 |
| 1344 | 450 |
| 1348 | 500 |
| 1349 | 450 |
| 1350 | 400 |
| 1365 | 500 |
| 1381 | 400 |
| 1387 | 450 |
| 1400 | 600 |
| 1401 | 600 |
| 1402 | 600 |
| 1403 | 600 |
| 1405 | 600 |
| 1406 | 600 |
| 1410 | 1,600 |
| 1414 | 1,500 |
| 1415 | 1,000 |
| 1416 | 1,300 |
| 1417 | 1,500 |
| 1420 | 600 |
| 1421 | 500 |
| 1423 | 1,000 |
| 1425 | 600 |
| 1426 | 600 |
| 1427 | 400 |
| 1428 | 500 |
| 1429 | 600 |
| 1433 | 1,000 |
| 1434 | 600 |
| 1446 | 600 |
| 1447 | 1,000 |
| 1448 | 600 |
| 1450 | 600 |
| 1451 | 600 |
| 1452 | 600 |
| 1453 | 600 |
| 1454 | 600 |
| 1455 | 500 |
| 1456 | 500 |
| 1457 | 600 |
| 1458 | 600 |
| 1469 | 600 |
| 1470 | 500 |
| 1480 | 500 |
| 1481 | 500 |
| 1483 | 500 |
| 1484 | 500 |
| 1485 | 500 |
| 1486 | 500 |
| 1494 | 1,000 |
| 1530 | 700 |
| 1532 | 600 |
| 1533 | 800 |
| 1534 | 700 |
| 1535 | 900 |
| 1537 | 700 |
| 1540 | 900 |
| 1541 | 1,000 |
| 1546 | 500 |
| 1547 | 500 |
| 1550 | 900 |
| 1551 | 900 |
| 1552 | 900 |
| 1554 | 900 |
| 1559 | 1,000 |
| 1561 | 1,000 |
| 1562 | 1,300 |
| 1563 | 1,300 |
| 1564 | 1,300 |
| 1565 | 1,300 |

| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|
| | Tls. |
| 1566 | 1,200 |
| 1568 | 500 |
| 1569 | 1,200 |
| 1571 | 1,500 |
| 1572 | 1,500 |
| 1575 | 2,000 |
| 1576 | 1,800 |
| 1579 | 1,800 |
| 1580 | 2,200 |
| 1583 | 700 |
| 1584 | 2,300 |
| 1585 | 2,400 |
| 1586 | 2,200 |
| 1588 | 700 |
| 1590 | 2,300 |
| 1591 | 2,500 |
| 1592 | 2,500 |
| 1597 | 700 |
| 1598 | 700 |
| 1603 | 4,000 |
| 1604 | 4,000 |
| 1620 | 3,200 |
| 1623 | 3,300 |
| 1630 | 1,800 |
| 1631 | 1,500 |
| 1634 | 1,700 |
| 1637 | 1,600 |
| 1638 | 1,700 |
| 1641 | 1,600 |
| 1642 | 1,300 |
| 1643 | 1,300 |
| 1644 | 1,300 |
| 1646 | 1,100 |
| 1650 | 1,100 |
| 1657 | 1,200 |
| 1658 | 800 |
| 1660 | 1,200 |
| 1661 | 800 |
| 1662 | 1,200 |
| 1670 | 750 |
| 1680 | 900 |
| 1688 | 500 |
| 1689 | 850 |
| 1691 | 850 |
| 1692 | 1,000 |
| 1700 | 750 |
| 1707 | 800 |
| 1708 | 1,000 |
| 1709 | 800 |
| 1711 | 1,100 |
| 1712 | 500 |
| 1719 | 700 |
| 1720 | 800 |
| 1721 | 700 |
| 1722 | 800 |
| 1723 | 800 |
| 1724 | 800 |
| 1726 | 700 |
| 1727 | 600 |
| 1728 | 600 |
| 1729 | 600 |
| 1730 | 800 |
| 1733 | 700 |
| 1738 | 500 |
| 1739 | 500 |
| 1800 | 800 |
| 1813 | 400 |
| 1815 | 400 |
| 1818 | 400 |
| 1830 | 1,200 |
| 1838 | 1,000 |
| 1839 | 1,000 |
| 1843 | 500 |
| 1845 | 900 |
| 1848 | 900 |
| 1849 | 900 |

| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|
| 1850 | [illegible] |
| 1851 | [illegible] |
| 1852 | 900 |
| 1855 | 1,000 |
| 1859 | 500 |
| 1860 | 500 |
| 1863 | 500 |
| 1870 | 1,100 |
| 1872 | 1,000 |
| 1892 | 1,100 |
| 1893 | 1,100 |
| 1894 | 500 |
| 1896 | 1,100 |
| 1897 | 1,300 |
| 1900 | 1,200 |
| 1901 | 1,200 |
| 1906 | 1,300 |
| 1910 | 1,200 |
| 1922 | 1,000 |
| 1923 | 1,600 |
| 1924 | 1,000 |
| 1926 | 1,100 |
| 1927 | 1,100 |
| 1928 | 1,000 |
| 1929 | 1,100 |
| 1940 | 2,500 |
| 1943 | 2,000 |
| 1944 | 2,500 |
| 1945 | 2,500 |
| 1948 | 2,300 |
| 1954 | 1,000 |
| 1956 | 500 |
| 1959 | 2,500 |
| 1960 | 2,300 |
| 1970 | 3,000 |
| 1973 | 3,500 |
| 1974 | 3,200 |
| 1984 | 3,000 |
| 1985 | 3,300 |
| 1988 | 3,300 |
| 1990 | 4,300 |
| 1991 | 3,000 |
| 1992 | 3,500 |
| 1993 | 4,500 |
| 1994 | 4,500 |
| 1995 | 4,500 |
| 1997 | 4,500 |
| 1999 | 5,100 |
| 2000 | 5,000 |
| 2005 | 3,600 |
| 2006 | 3,600 |
| 2008 | 5,500 |
| 2016 | 2,000 |
| 2020 | 2,800 |
| 2023 | 2,700 |
| 2024 | 3,600 |
| 2025 | 3,600 |
| 2026 | 2,400 |
| 2032 | 3,500 |
| 2035 | 1,000 |
| 2037 | 2,800 |
| 2040 | 2,000 |
| 2041 | 1,000 |
| 2042 | 2,400 |
| 2044 | 2,500 |
| 2050 | 3,000 |
| 2060 | 2,200 |
| 2061 | 3,000 |
| 2062 | 3,000 |
| 2064 | 1,000 |
| 2065 | 2,200 |
| 2067 | 2,300 |
| 2079 | 1,900 |
| 2080 | 1,900 |
| 2081 | 1,100 |
| 2082 | 2,000 |
| 2083 | 1,400 |

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| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| 2085 | 1,400 | 2360 | 5,500 | 2725 | 900 | 3214 | 1,800 | 3700 | 900 | 4060 | 1,300 |
| 2090 | 1,700 | 2361 | 6.000 | 2726 | 2,000 | 3215 | 1,700 | 3720 | 1,000 | 4200 | 2,700 |
| 2091 | 1,100 | 2362 | 3,300 | 2727 | 1,600 | 3216 | 1,900 | 3721 | 700 | 4202 | 1,300 |
| 2116 | 1,400 | 2372 | 18,000 | 2728 | 800 | 3217 | 1,900 | 3722 | 1,000 | 4209 | 2,700 |
| 2117 | 1,200 | 2377 | 18,000 | 2729 | 1,500 | 3218 | 1,700 | 3723 | 1,000 | 4210 | 2,900 |
| 2120 | 1,800 | 2382 | 17,000 | 2730 | 1,600 | 3219 | 1,700 | 3725 | 700 | 4213 | 2,000 |
| 2126 | 1,200 | 2390 | 5,000 | 2731 | 1,800 | 3220 | 1,700 | 3750 | 700 | 4215 | 2,100 |
| 2127 | 1,100 | 2391 | 20,000 | 2733 | 1,000 | 3221 | 1,900 | 3751 | 900 | 4220 | 2,700 |
| 2128 | 600 | 2400 | 14,000 | 2736 | 2,500 | 3222 | 1,900 | 3780 | 600 | 4223 | 2,700 |
| 2129 | 900 | 2410 | 3,500 | 2740 | 2,000 | 3223 | 1,900 | 3802 | 700 | 4224 | 1,500 |
| 2130 | 1,100 | 2427 | 8,000 | 2743 | 2,000 | 3224 | 1,900 | 3803 | 1,000 | 4225 | 2,600 |
| 2136 | 1,000 | 2435 | 3,500 | 2750 | 1,700 | 3225 | 1,700 | 3804 | 1,100 | 4226 | 800 |
| 2137 | 1,000 | 2445 | 3,000 | 2757 | 3,500 | 3226 | 1,700 | 3805 | 1,000 | 4227 | 800 |
| 2138 | 1,000 | 2446 | 10,000 | 2758 | 2,200 | 3227 | 1,700 | 3808 | 650 | 4228 | 1,200 |
| 2146 | 1,000 | 2460 | 6,000 | 2760 | 2,600 | 3228 | 1,700 | 3810 | 700 | 4229 | 1,000 |
| 2147 | 600 | 2465 | 8,000 | 2763 | 2,600 | 3229 | 1,700 | 3811 | 500 | 4230 | 900 |
| 2148 | 1,000 | 2470 | 8,000 | 2764 | 3,500 | 3235 | 900 | 3812 | 400 | 4240 | 600 |
| 2149 | 1,000 | 2480 | 7,000 | 2768 | 3,000 | 3237 | 900 | 3813 | 700 | 4241 | 600 |
| 2150 | 1,000 | 2510 | 7,000 | 2769 | 2,500 | 3239 | 900 | 3814 | 500 | 4244 | 600 |
| 2155 | 1,000 | 2530 | 6,000 | 2770 | 3,000 | 3273 | 1,300 | 3815 | 600 | 4246 | 1,000 |
| 2157 | 1,000 | 2540 | 5,000 | 2774 | 3,200 | 3274 | 2,000 | 3816 | 400 | 4300 | 800 |
| 2158 | 800 | 2545 | 4,000 | 2784 | 3,000 | 3275 | 1,900 | 3817 | 400 | 4310 | 700 |
| 2159 | 600 | 2555 | 6,000 | 2785 | 3,100 | 3276 | 1,800 | 3820 | 600 | 5020 | 2,700 |
| 2160 | 1,000 | 2560 | 2,700 | 2786 | 3,000 | 3277 | 1,000 | 3821 | 600 | 5021 | 1,200 |
| 2165 | 1,100 | 2570 | 3,000 | 2787 | 3,300 | 3278 | 900 | 3822 | 500 | 5027 | 2,200 |
| 2231 | 2,000 | 2600 | 5,500 | 2788 | 3,300 | 3279 | 1,800 | 3823 | 400 | 5028 | 2,600 |
| 2232 | 1,000 | 2605 | 3,200 | 2789 | 3,300 | 3280 | 1,400 | 3824 | 500 | 5037 | 3,000 |
| 2234 | 800 | 2610 | 2,200 | 2892 | 2,400 | 3281 | 900 | 3825 | 400 | 5039 | 1,800 |
| 2235 | 1,000 | 2612 | 2,400 | 2893 | 1,000 | 3282 | 2,000 | 3826 | 400 | 5050 | 1,800 |
| 2236 | 1,000 | 2619 | 3,200 | 2907 | 2,000 | 3283 | 2,000 | 3827 | 400 | 5077 | 1,000 |
| 2237 | 1,500 | 2620 | 3,200 | 2908 | 1,500 | 3284 | 1,800 | 3828 | 400 | 5078 | 1,000 |
| 2238 | 1,000 | 2630 | 2,400 | 2909 | 2,500 | 3285 | 2,000 | 3829 | 500 | 5079 | 600 |
| 2239 | 1,000 | 2634 | 2,400 | 2910 | 2,700 | 3286 | 1,700 | 3830 | 400 | 5080 | 800 |
| 2240 | 1,000 | 2637 | 2,400 | 2922 | 2,000 | 3289 | 1,300 | 3831 | 400 | 5082 | 800 |
| 2242 | 1,800 | 2639 | 2,700 | 2945 | 3,900 | 3290 | 1,300 | 3832 | 400 | 5105 | 1,800 |
| 2245 | 1,500 | 2640 | 2,400 | 2970 | 2,000 | 3313 | 1,100 | 3833 | 400 | 5106 | 1,800 |
| 2250 | 2,200 | 2641 | 2,400 | 2971 | 2,000 | 3314 | 900 | 3834 | 400 | 5109 | 800 |
| 2251 | 1,800 | 2642 | 2,800 | 2981 | 1,800 | 3315 | 1,100 | 3838 | 500 | 5110 | 800 |
| 2253 | 1,800 | 2645 | 3,000 | 2983 | 1,800 | 3316 | 1,000 | 3839 | 800 | 5149 | 800 |
| 2255 | 1,800 | 2649 | 3,200 | 2984 | 800 | 3317 | 1,500 | 3840 | 700 | 5150 | 500 |
| 2260 | 1,200 | 2650 | 2,400 | 2985 | 2,000 | 3429 | 1,400 | 3841 | 600 | 5155 | 900 |
| 2270 | 2,200 | 2653 | 3,000 | 2986 | 1,000 | 3431 | 1,300 | 3842 | 700 | 5180 | 900 |
| 2277 | 2,200 | 2654 | 2,500 | 2987 | 1,200 | 3432 | 1,000 | 3843 | 800 | 5200 | 650 |
| 2280 | 1,600 | 2655 | 2,800 | 2988 | 1,800 | 3540 | 500 | 3847 | 600 | 5250 | 800 |
| 2280A | 1,600 | 2660 | 2,800 | 2989 | 1,800 | 3541 | 500 | 3848 | 700 | 5258 | 1,500 |
| 2281 | 2,200 | 2668 | 2,400 | 2990 | 1,100 | 3542 | 800 | 3849 | 600 | 5299 | 800 |
| 2282 | 1,800 | 2670 | 1,800 | 3114 | 1,800 | 3546 | 500 | 3850 | 550 | 5300 | 500 |
| 2283 | 2,200 | 2679 | 1,700 | 3115 | 1,200 | 3548 | 750 | 3851 | 550 | 5360 | 600 |
| 2284 | 2,200 | 2680 | 2,000 | 3120 | 2,000 | 3565 | 800 | 3853 | 500 | 5365 | 700 |
| 2285 | 2,600 | 2681 | 2,000 | 3158 | 2,000 | 3572 | 600 | 3859 | 500 | 5366 | 650 |
| 2286 | 2,600 | 2685 | 1,800 | 3159 | 1,900 | 3575 | 1,200 | 3860 | 600 | 5370 | 1,700 |
| 2290 | 1,600 | 2687 | 2,500 | 3162 | 2,000 | 3584 | 1,000 | 3865 | 700 | 5400 | 800 |
| 2291 | 1,700 | 2688 | 2,500 | 3164 | 2,000 | 3585 | 600 | 3870 | 500 | 5417 | 700 |
| 2300 | 2,800 | 2689 | 2,400 | 3175 | 2,000 | 3586 | 600 | 3880 | 800 | 5420 | 700 |
| 2317 | 2,600 | 2690 | 1,200 | 3180 | 2,000 | 3587 | 500 | 3894 | 700 | 5421 | 800 |
| 2318 | 2,700 | 2692 | 1,500 | 3183 | 600 | 3588 | 500 | 3896 | 500 | 5424 | 900 |
| 2319 | 2,000 | 2693 | 2,400 | 3184 | 1,000 | 3595 | 500 | 3899 | 900 | 5425 | 900 |
| 2320 | 3,000 | 2694 | 1,500 | 3185 | 1,000 | 3596 | 800 | 3919 | 400 | 5427 | 900 |
| 2326 | 2,600 | 2696 | 2,400 | 3186 | 1,000 | 3609 | 900 | 3920 | 800 | 5430 | 700 |
| 2327 | 2,700 | 2697 | 2,700 | 3187 | 1,000 | 3610 | 1,200 | 3922 | 900 | 5435 | 700 |
| 2328 | 2,600 | 2699 | 2,300 | 3188 | 850 | 3611 | 1,100 | 3923 | 500 | 5440 | 450 |
| 2329 | 2,900 | 2700 | 2,000 | 3189 | 850 | 3612 | 500 | 3930 | 500 | 5444 | 450 |
| 2330 | 2,700 | 2706 | 1,800 | 3190 | 1,000 | 3613 | 800 | 3940 | 800 | 5470 | 600 |
| 2332 | 3,000 | 2707 | 1,800 | 3191 | 800 | 3618 | 900 | 3942 | 400 | 5500 | 700 |
| 2334 | 3,000 | 2708 | 1,700 | 3200 | 1,600 | 3619 | 700 | 3943 | 800 | 5502 | 750 |
| 2335 | 2,700 | 2710 | 1,600 | 3202 | 1,300 | 3620 | 900 | 3960 | 1,000 | 5519 | 750 |
| 2337 | 2,600 | 2711 | 1,100 | 3203 | 1,900 | 3621 | 900 | 3970 | 900 | 5520 | 750 |
| 2340 | 3,000 | 2712 | 1,900 | 3204 | 1,900 | 3622 | 800 | 3973 | 1,000 | 5523 | 750 |
| 2345 | 3,200 | 2713 | 1,600 | 3205 | 1,900 | 3625 | 500 | 3980 | 900 | 5524 | 750 |
| 2351 | 3,500 | 2714 | 1,700 | 3206 | 1,900 | 3627 | 800 | 3982 | 500 | 5542 | 700 |
| 2352 | 2,200 | 2715 | 1,800 | 3207 | 1,900 | 3631 | 800 | 4000 | 500 | 5543 | 600 |
| 2353 | 3,500 | 2716 | 1,600 | 3208 | 1,800 | 3632 | 850 | 4045 | 1,000 | 5544 | 500 |
| 2354 | 2,200 | 2717 | 1,900 | 3209 | 1,800 | 3636 | 900 | 4050 | 700 | 5546 | 700 |
| 2356 | 5,800 | 2718 | 2,200 | 3210 | 1,700 | 3637 | 900 | 4051 | 700 | 5547 | 1,500 |
| 2357 | 23,000 | 2719 | 2,200 | 3211 | 1,700 | 3640 | 1,100 | 4070 | 800 | 5548 | 500 |
| 2358 | 3,200 | 2720 | 2,000 | 3212 | 1,900 | 3641 | 1,100 | 4071 | 800 | 5555 | 1,500 |
| 2359 | 2,200 | 2721 | 1,700 | 3213 | 1,900 | 3642 | 800 | 4072 | 1,600 | 5560 | 700 |

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| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| 5580 | 500 | 6449 | 900 | 6920 | 250 | 7500 | 300 |
| 5581 | 500 | 6450 | 1,000 | 6921 | 200 | 7511 | 300 |
| 5615 | 500 | 6451 | 1,000 | 6925 | 400 | 7512 | 300 |
| 5680 | 450 | 6453 | 1,000 | 6927 | 500 | 7515 | 450 |
| 5685 | 600 | 6454 | 250 | 6930 | 600 | 7516 | 250 |
| 5690 | 700 | 6455 | 600 | 7005 | 500 | 7518 | 400 |
| 5696 | 700 | 6456 | 300 | 7006 | 300 | 7520 | 400 |
| 5730 | 500 | 6457 | 300 | 7007 | 500 | 7530 | 600 |
| 5731 | 600 | 6464 | 300 | 7008 | 350 | 7531 | 600 |
| 5733 | 550 | 6475 | 250 | 7075 | 150 | 7533 | 400 |
| 5734 | 600 | 4690 | 500 | 7082 | 150 | 7534 | 600 |
| 5735 | 700 | 6491 | 350 | 7084 | 150 | 7539 | 400 |
| 5738 | 700 | 6500 | 500 | 7085 | 200 | 7540 | 1,700 |
| 5740 | 600 | 6504 | 350 | 7088 | 500 | 7541 | 600 |
| 5743 | 550 | 6510 | 350 | 7089 | 200 | 7542 | 400 |
| 5745 | 800 | 6513 | 350 | 7090 | 400 | 7544 | 600 |
| 5749 | 550 | 6520 | 500 | 7094 | 400 | 7546 | 600 |
| 5750 | 450 | 6530 | 200 | 7098 | 550 | 7547 | 500 |
| 5751 | 450 | 6540 | 300 | 7100 | 450 | 7550 | 400 |
| 5760 | 1,100 | 6560 | 300 | 7101 | 400 | 7562 | 2,400 |
| 5775 | 500 | 6585 | 150 | 7104 | 450 | 7563 | 2,300 |
| 5780 | 500 | 6590 | 200 | 7110 | 400 | 7566 | 2,400 |
| 5781 | 600 | 6593 | 200 | 7165 | 200 | 7571 | 600 |
| 5900 | 400 | 6600 | 150 | 7168 | 200 | 7572 | 2,000 |
| 5910 | 500 | 6644 | 700 | 7169 | 200 | 7573 | 2,500 |
| 5940 | 400 | 6646 | 1,200 | 7170 | 200 | 7574 | 2,700 |
| 5945 | 500 | 6648 | 1,200 | 7171 | 200 | 7576 | 500 |
| 5950 | 400 | 6649 | 1,200 | 7180 | 500 | 7600 | 300 |
| 5999 | 400 | 6650 | 800 | 7181 | 500 | 7677 | 2,500 |
| 6000 | 6,000 | 6651 | 700 | 7182 | 500 | 7678 | 2,500 |
| 6001 | 5,500 | 6652 | 900 | 7201 | 600 | 7681 | 2,300 |
| 6002 | 2,700 | 6653 | 900 | 7206 | 500 | 7682 | 2,000 |
| 6003 | 5,500 | 6656 | 1,000 | 7207 | 500 | 7685 | 2,400 |
| 6004 | 2,400 | 6657 | 1,700 | 7209 | 500 | 7690 | 1,000 |
| 6012 | 5,000 | 6660 | 200 | 7220 | 500 | 7721 | 600 |
| 6013 | 5,000 | 6670 | 200 | 7225 | 600 | 7850 | 700 |
| 6015 | 4,500 | 6675 | 200 | 7230 | 1,000 | 7893 | 800 |
| 6020 | 4,000 | 6676 | 400 | 7240 | 500 | 7894 | 450 |
| 6022 | 4,000 | 6680 | 500 | 7248 | 250 | 7895 | 600 |
| 6023 | 4,000 | 6685 | 500 | 7249 | 250 | 7896 | 550 |
| 6024 | 4,000 | 6690 | 400 | 7250 | 250 | 7897 | 500 |
| 6025 | 4,000 | 6691 | 200 | 7260 | 350 | 7898 | 700 |
| 6026 | 4,000 | 6692 | 400 | 7271 | 500 | 7899 | 550 |
| 6027 | 4,000 | 6695 | 200 | 7272 | 300 | 8000 | 500 |
| 6037 | 4,000 | 6696 | 200 | 7281 | 1,000 | 8001 | 500 |
| 6043 | 3,500 | 6753 | 300 | 7290 | 1,200 | 8002 | 700 |
| 6044 | 4,000 | 6808 | 400 | 7291 | 300 | 8003 | 500 |
| 6054 | 4,000 | 6809 | 400 | 7293 | 1,500 | 8004 | 600 |
| 6058 | 3,500 | 6812 | 400 | 7301 | 500 | 8005 | 700 |
| 6060 | 3,800 | 6813 | 400 | 7310 | 500 | 8006 | 600 |
| 6063 | 800 | 6814 | 400 | 7350 | 1,500 | 8007 | 1,750 |
| 6065 | 3,500 | 6816 | 350 | 7460 | 1,700 | 8008 | 1,700 |
| 6066 | 3,000 | 6818 | 250 | 7478 | 600 | 8010 | 700 |
| 6067 | 2,500 | 6821 | 250 | 7479 | 1,000 | 8011 | 1,700 |
| 6068 | 2,000 | 6827 | 600 | 7480 | 1,600 | 8012 | 500 |
| 6070 | 700 | 6835 | 1,700 | 7481 | 600 | 8015 | 500 |
| 6079 | 200 | 6837 | 1,500 | 7484 | 1,500 | 8019 | 1,600 |
| 6080 | 1,500 | 6838 | 1,500 | 7485 | 350 | 8024 | 450 |
| 6081 | 1,800 | 6842 | 1,500 | 7490 | 600 | 8031 | 1,500 |
| 6083 | 1,600 | 6843 | 1,500 | 7491 | 500 | 8033 | 3,000 |
| 6086 | 200 | 6848 | 1,600 | 7498 | 450 | 8036 | 2,700 |
| 6112 | 600 | 6854 | 1,800 | | | | |
| 6113 | 600 | 6855 | 1,500 | | | | |
| 6122 | 700 | 6856 | 1,700 | | | | |
| 6126 | 600 | 6858 | 2,000 | | | | |
| 6221 | 800 | 6860 | 2,300 | | | | |
| 6260 | 600 | 6863 | 2.300 | | | | |
| 6318 | 700 | 6865 | 2,000 | | | | |
| 6319 | 700 | 6866 | 2,300 | | | | |
| 6320 | 700 | 6867 | 2,300 | | | | |
| 6330 | 300 | 6868 | 600 | | | | |
| 6340 | 300 | 6869 | 2,300 | | | | |
| 6440 | 200 | 6870 | 700 | | | | |
| 6443 | 500 | 6872 | 600 | | | | |
| 6445 | 800 | 6873 | 600 | | | | |
| 6446 | 800 | 6880 | 600 | | | | |
| 6448 | 1,000 | 6900 | 600 | | | | |

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, AUGUST 21.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Sergeant A. J. Emery from August 23.

Constable F. J. Lovell, returned from War Service, resumed duty on August 15.

The following are appointed Constables on probation from August 18:—

Shin Sawada, Asagiro Takewa, Riyohachi Furukawa, Saini Maki, Kennosuke Nanafuji, Kumaichi Morimoto, Yesaku Watashima, Fumihede Wakabayashi, Chuichi Matsubara, Takeshi Hayashida, Naonori Nakashima, Masaichi Kawanishi, Menoru Tabata, Nobuyoshi Shinmen, Kengiro Kaeda, Shintaro Fukui, Yoshitaka Meyamae, Ikishi Mezoguchi, Takeo Kaneyasu, Shuichiro Yoshida.

*Health Department.*—Miss K. B. Coombes and Miss B. M. Graham are appointed Nurses from August 15.

The Council has learnt with deep regret of the death on August 24 of Inspector G. B. Haines.

*Educational Department.*—The Council has learnt with deep regret of the death on August 23 of Mr. J. G. Moore, Assistant Master in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 83 | Off Kiangse | Exchange Bank of China | | | altns. |
| 83 | " | " | | | water closet |
| 164A | Off Kiangse & Nanking | Moorhead & Halse | | | altns. |
| 372 | Tientsin | Soy Tai | | | strong room |
| 28 | Yuenming-yuen | Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. | | | altns. & addns. to godown |
| 447 | Off North Honan | Ming Cheong & Co., Ld. | | | latrine |
| 1019 | Off Broadway East | T. H. Harris | | | altns. to 2 godowns |
| 3980 | Off Whashing | C. Luthy | | | school |
| 2985 | " | Moorhead & Halse | 6 | | |
| 2470 | " | C. L. Nieh | | | water closet |
| 2985 | " | Laou Kung Mow Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. | | | " |
| 142 | Avenue | G. R. Grove & Co. | | | staircase & gatehouse |
| 6335 | Ferry and Wuting Extension | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | printing works |
| 4744 4745 | Gordon & Ichang | Sin Jin Kee | | | 3 boundary walls |
| 4744 4745 & 4750 | " | Palmer & Turner | | | spinning & weaving mill |
| 2398 | Off Weihaiwei | S. E. Toeg | | | water closet |
| 3580 | Off Wuting | K. T. James Pugh | | | chimney |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 186 & 188 | E. Hanbury & Arthur Extension | Sze Teh Kung Sze | 12 | | |
| W of 6590 | Wayside | Koo Tsung Kee | | | 3 bungalows |
| N of 3102 | Medhurst | Sah Yue Kee | | | 4 bungalows |
| W of 6020 | Penang & Hart | Seng Chang Dah | | | 3 bungalows |

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**Public Band.**

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. Aug. | 30 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| ,, ,, | 30 | 9.00 ,, | Race Club Enclosure |
| Tues. ,, | 31 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. Sept. | 1 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. ,, | 2 | 5.30 ,, | ,, ,, |
| Fri. ,, | 3 | 9.00 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. ,, | 4 | 4.30 ,, | Public Recreation Ground |
| ,, ,, | 4 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |

**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, August 22, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 1 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 2 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 28 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 5 |
| Acute Diarrhoea | — | 12 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 5 | 189 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Mixed Court Report for July.**

Mr. P. Grant Jones who sat for the first time on April 7, 1913 proceeded on leave on July 11, 1920. His position as Senior British Assessor has been taken by Mr. A. D. Blackburn, while Mr. J. C. Hutchison is sitting as Assistant British Assessor in criminal cases.

The undermentioned foreigners who are not recognized by any Consulates in Shanghai were before the Court on criminal charges:—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| A. L. Brenan | British | Vagrancy | Cautioned |
| B. Johnson | British | Larceny | 6 months' impt. |
| Aarm Hokma | Bagdad Jew | Begging | 6 months' impt. and warned that on repetition of similar offence he will be expelled |
| F. Reichman | German | Unlicensed dogs | Fined $3.00 |
| Mrs. C. F. Tinan | German | do. | Fined $3.00 |
| Mrs. A. Z. Sorms | German | do. | Fined $3.00 |

During the month a case was tried where a house coolie was charged with rape on a young foreign girl, the daughter of his employer, and was sentenced to 15 years imprisonment.

A good deal of the Court's time was occupied in the hearing of private criminal prosecutions in connexion with which 27 warrants were issued. These cases are usually somewhat involved as the Bench has to decide whether they are criminal actions or whether they should be transferred to the Civil Court; the dividing line between the two is at times hard to determine without going into the case very closely.

Of the 26 Foreign Civil Cases on the hearing list, 15 have not yet been before the Court. The difference between the number of summonses issued and served is accounted for by the fact that in the 16 Japanese cases filed the plaintiffs have only been able to locate the defendants in two instances.

Since the beginning of the summer vacation on July 16 only one session in Chinese Civil Cases was held so that the number of cases awaiting a first hearing has increased ever last month's return by 13 to the total of 59.

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with; Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

F. L. WAINWRIGHT,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
K. J. McEUEN,
Commissioner of Police.

OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| 1.—Offences Against the Person:— | |
| Abductions | 8 |
| Assaults | 76 |
| Attempted Suicide | 4 |
| Cruelty to Children | 2 |
| Intimidations | 11 |
| Malicious prosecution | 1 |
| Manslaughter | 3 |
| Murders | 2 |
| Rape | 1 |
| Wounding (Causing grievous bodily harm) | 6 |
| 2.—Offences Against Property:— | |
| Arson (or Criminal Negligence) | 2 |
| Burglaries | 20 |
| Cruelty to animals | 11 |
| Embezzlement | 4 |
| Extortion (obtaining money by threats) | 19 |
| False Pretences | 4 |
| Forgery | 5 |
| Fraud | 6 |
| Godown-breaking | 2 |
| House-breaking | 3 |
| Larcenies | 249 |
| Malicious Damage | 4 |
| Receiving stolen property | 12 |
| Robberies | 6 |
| 3.—Offences of a Public Nature:— | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 29 |
| Carts | 58 |
| Club | 1 |
| Dairies | 3 |
| Dogs | 41 |
| Foodshops | 21 |
| Hawkers | 54 |
| Laundries | 4 |
| Motor cars | 74 |
| Opium | 71 |
| Pawnshops | 4 |
| Ricshas | 1,272 |
| Tea-shops | 2 |
| Wheel-barrows | 69 |
| Wine-shops | 9 |
| Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| Arms | 6 |
| Fireworks | 2 |
| House refuse | 66 |
| Indecent Advertisement | 1 |
| Kerosene Oil | 1 |
| Lotteries | 1 |
| Nuisances | 1,248 |
| Prostitutes | 26 |
| Traffic | 3 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 7 |
| Contempt of Court | 2 |
| Functioning as Police | 1 |
| Gambling | 26 |
| Loitering with intent | 18 |
| Obstructing the Police | 2 |
| Returning after expulsion | 15 |
| Vagrancy | 2 |
| 4.—Miscellaneous Cases | 11 |
| TOTAL | 3,611 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2,393 |
| Cases withdrawn | 2 |
| Cautioned | 59 |
| Compensation | 2 |
| Dismissed | 75 |
| Expulsion | 11 |
| Fined | 698 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 1 |
| Imprisonment | 274 |
| ,, and expulsion | 77 |
| Reformatory | 2 |
| Released on Security | 3 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 1 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 12 |
| Sent to French Police | 1 |
| TOTAL | 3,611 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On July 1 | 67 |
| Received | 48 |
| Released | 46 |
| On July 31 | 69 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 316 |
| ,, served | 267 |
| Warrants issued | 48 |
| ,, executed | 9 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 37 |
| ,, served | 10 |
| ,, withdrawn | 6 |
| Persons summoned | 10 |
| Sealing orders issued | 54 |
| ,, ,, executed | 3 |
| ,, ,, not executed (claim settled) | 43 |
| ,, ,, withdrawn | 3 |
| Reopening orders executed | 7 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 118 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 50 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 76 |
| ,, heard | 65 |
| ,, in course of hearing | 34 |
| ,, concluded | 57 |
| ,, awaiting first hearing on July 31 | 59 |
| Summonses issued | 102 |
| ,, served | 72 |
| ,, withdrawn | 9 |
| Warrants issued | 30 |
| ,, executed | 12 |
| ,, withdrawn | 3 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 12 |
| ,, summoned | 39 |
| ,, failed to appear on first summons | 52 |
| Sealing orders issued | 25 |
| ,, ,, executed | 1 |
| ,, ,, not executed (claim settled) | 20 |
| ,, ,, withdrawn | 2 |
| Sealing orders pending | 2 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 3 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 100 |
| Bonds accepted | 57 |
| ,, rejected | 15 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On July 1 | 52 |
| Received | 19 |
| Released | 22 |
| On July 31 | 49 |

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SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Olga Koltsoff | Russian | Vera Mayer | Rbls. 21,000 and $4,300 | For plaintiff for $3,360.01 Rbls. 21,000 and $4,000 |
| Lydia Rozovenko | Russian | X. Bittel | | Proceeding |
| M. I. Szyrngowski | Russian | Vong Zae-ching | $175 | For plaintiff $115 |
| Wong Kwei Chuh | Portuguese | Yang Li-zu | Tls. 16,000 | Proceeding |
| William Katz | American | Ka Kyung-sing | Tls. 21,174.48 | For plaintiff for Tls. 10,344.48 |
| Frazar & Co. | American | Ng Vung-yoen *et al* | Tls. 6,001 | Proceeding |
| Viloudaki & Co. | American | Hyui Ping-kyi | Tls. 207,885 | For plaintiffs |
| F. S. Aboitiz | Spanish | Wong Pau-hsiang | Tls. 500 and $139 | Proceeding |
| Hans Foyn | Norwegian | Zah Yong-gee | $1,411 | Reserved |

## Report of the Commissioner of Public Works for July.

The Bund reclamation and widening scheme is now well advanced and the new road on the east side will be opened to vehicular traffic very shortly, between the Customs Examination Shed and the Public Gardens.

In the first place it is intended to confine all handcarts and wheelbarrows to the new road, leaving the present carriageway for the faster traffic. When the new road has been opened the existing footpath under the trees on the east side of the Bund, will be converted into a motor car rank. The rate of progress on this work has been entirely limited by the amount of labour available, and although higher rates have been paid for this particular job it has not been possible to obtain nearly as much labour as could be advantageously employed.

The strike of the coolies employed on the mud roads in the Western District referred to in my report for June has now terminated, the coolies having returned to work without having obtained the increase of wages they sought.

*Roads.*—The widenings of Bubbling Well Road west of Myburgh Road and west of Seymour Road have been completed with the exception of laying the footpath west of Myburgh Road.

A useful widening has been effected in Jessfied Road at the corner of Connaught Road.

The ballasting and metalling of Thibet Road over the line of the old Defence Creek, has been completed between Peking Road and Soochow Road.

The lowering of the various mains and cables at the junction of Thibet Road and Peking Road having been completed, work has been resumed on the lowering of the road at this point.

Asphaltic concrete has been laid in Museum Road, Tientsin Road from Kiangse Road to Honan Road and Hongkong Road from Szechuen Road to Kiangse Road.

*Drainage.*—The laying of the 3-ft. diameter culvert in Avenue Road, has been completed, and the side ditch filled in.

200-ft. of 2-ft. 3-in. by 1-ft. 6-in. sewer has been laid in Yangtszepoo Road at the junction with Linching Road, replacing an old brick culvert.

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

*Administration Building.*—Good progress has been made with the internal joinery work and with the laying of mosaic floor in the corridors, and certain portions of the building are nearly ready for occupation.

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—Tenders are being called for the heating and cold water systems. The internal plaster work is proceeding well, and good progress is being made with the internal joinery work. The Tower is now about 70-ft. high.

*Painting.*—Tenders have been invited for various Schools, Police Stations, and Fire Stations, and the work is in hand.

ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

*Administration Building Substation.*—The mezzanine floor has been completed, and the reinforcement for the roof is in place.

*Tonquin Road Substation.*—Minor alterations and extensions for the accommodation of switch gear are under construction and nearly complete.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—2,450 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month. The average number of coolies employed was 192.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | | *Total* |
|---|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected | cartloads | 4,611 |
| Ashes | ,, | 269 |
| Used for raising land | | 404 |
| Water used for street watering | | 7,366,000 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 3,415 |
| Artisans | 489 |
| Foremen | 232 |
| Mafoos | 156 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

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|---|---|
| Hand made | 6,934 pieces |
| Machine made | 4,220 ,, |
| Total | 11,154 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 79 admissions during the month and 207 bundles of wood chopped.

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 86 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates issued | 31 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 40 |
| New lots put under taxation | 4 |
| Assessed value of the land placed under taxation | Tls. 17,255 |
| Official plans prepared | 39 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 90 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 115 |
| Surveys made in connexion with road widenings and/or extensions | 52 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 86 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Eastern District | 22 |
| Western ,, | 11 |
| Outside Limits | 2 |

*New Buildings.*

| | |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 349 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 90 |
| Plans approved | 73 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,883 |
| Boundary walls erected<br>Carpenter sheds erected<br>Repairs to buildings effected<br>New shop fronts inserted<br>Shop fronts, etc., painted<br>Alterations effected<br>Fences erected<br>Sign-boards erected<br>Drying stages erected<br>Temporary mat sunshades erected | 442 |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadway | 14 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 198 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 6 |
| Encroachments rectified and reported | 1 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 34 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 71 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by P.W.D. | 6 |
| First intimation notices issued | 6 |
| Total | 6 |

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

## Decorations.

The Council's stock of flags may be hired for decorative purposes; the scale of charges as below is in force, with a minimum charge of $5. Applications should be made and delivery taken at the Public Works Department, 7A The Bund;

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two days' notice of requirements should be given. Any flags lost or damaged will be charged for.

*4 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*
Union Jack, Australia, Canada, India, United States of America, Belgium, France, Italy, Russia, Portugal, Japan, China, Servia, Roumania, Montenegro $0.40 each

*3 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*
Union Jack, Red, White and Blue Ensigns, Australia, Canada, Ceylon, Hongkong, India, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, New Zealand, Queensland, Straits Settlements, South Australia, New South Wales and Western Australia. United States of America, Belgium, Denmark, France, Holland, Italy, Japan, China, Mexico, Montenegro, Norway, Portugal, Russia, Servia, Spain, and Sweden $0.25 each

*2 yd. British, Colonial, and National Flags—*
Union Jack, Red, White and Blue Ensigns, St. George's, St. Andrew's and St. Patrick's Crosses, Australia, Canada, India, Ireland, New South Wales, New Zealand, Queensland, Scotland, Victoria and Wales. United States of America, France, Belgium, Italy, Portugal, Russia, Japan, China, Servia, Montenegro $0.10 each

*Banners*, 9-ft. by 3-ft., fitted with pole, ornament and cord $0.15 each

*Banners*, 5-ft. by 3-ft., fitted with stick $0.10 each

*8-ft. Pennants* on lines $0.05 for ten

**Summary of Revenue for July.**

| Description | Estimate for 1920 | 1920 | | | 1919 | | | 1918 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 |
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,055,000 | — | 111,835.46 | 635,672.78 | — | 184,917.05 | 627,105.34 | — | 149,197.40 | 576,366.38 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 861,000 | — | 90,163.85 | 503,786.76 | — | 72,680.69 | 401,615.62 | — | 79,331.23 | 392,814.45 |
| Chinese | 1,285,000 | — | 175,916.48 | 807,415.72 | — | 17,756.53 | 525,293.81 | — | 130,719.22 | 618,886.69 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | 190.75 | 1,415.13 | — | 215.90 | 1,290.80 | — | 11.80 | 1,283.40 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 350,000 | — | — | 174,244.37 | — | — | 110,335.46 | — | — | 91,870.55 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | 56 | 3,860.00 | 11,718.50 | 53 | 3,569.00 | 11,294.00 | 56 | 3,714.00 | 12,180.00 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 25,000 | 88 | 6,550.00 | 19,725.00 | 80 | 5,900.00 | 18,087.50 | 77 | 5,725.00 | 17,475.00 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 600 | 18 | 162.00 | 456.00 | 17 | 141.00 | 424.00 | 21 | 96.00 | 296.00 |
| Eating House | 10,000 | 219 | 1,157.48 | 5,926.40 | 750 | 2,214.38 | 6,563.55 | 288 | 976.89 | 5,354.40 |
| Chinese Club | 5,100 | 40 | 1,000.00 | 3,475.05 | 51 | 1,275.00 | 3,716.70 | 39 | 975.00 | 2,941.70 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13,000 | 281 | 2,571.00 | 8,309.70 | 804 | 2,954.00 | 9,025.50 | 317 | 3,083.00 | 9,473.00 |
| Foreign Lodging-house | — | 90 | 96.14 | 159.53 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36,000 | 173 | 1,696.00 | 16,681.40 | 1,131 | 8,642.00 | 26,454.50 | 402 | 3,080.00 | 20,970.70 |
| Tea-shop | 17,000 | 624 | 1,335.50 | 9,452.50 | 643 | 1,365.50 | 9,744.00 | 670 | 1,297.00 | 9,275.00 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 7,000 | 48 | 348.83 | 3,852.69 | 249 | 1,830.68 | 5,127.31 | 218 | 1,561.24 | 4,439.35 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,500 | 17 | 678.00 | 3,835.50 | 11 | 450.00 | 3,403.00 | 8 | 315.00 | 2,340.00 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 21 | 769.00 | 5,213.00 | 19 | 729.00 | 4,943.00 | 13 | 580.00 | 4,510.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 3,200 | 22 | 272.00 | 1,599.00 | 14 | 290.00 | 1,304.00 | 11 | 154.00 | 1,266.00 |
| Brothel | — | 520 | 377.48 | 462.04 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 33,000 | — | — | 15,598.90 | — | — | 15,982.77 | — | — | 15,601.21 |
| Exchange Shop | 9,000 | 467 | 1,141.00 | 3,402.75 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tobacco Shop | 15,000 | 756 | 1,903.50 | 6,037.25 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,700 | 1,012 | 592.60 | 3,694.90 | 998 | 623.72 | 3,690.29 | 1,075 | 559.12 | 3,663.02 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,200 | 65 | 94.25 | 649.62 | 61 | 89.06 | 654.68 | 64 | 91.65 | 663.48 |
| Launch | 3,500 | 350 | 886.00 | 2,871.00 | 292 | 770.00 | 2,559.00 | 279 | 711.00 | 2,277.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,705 | 405.75 | 2,696.90 | 1,807 | 433.98 | 2,486.30 | 1,608 | 373.36 | 2,383.86 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 142 | 103.10 | 607.42 | 141 | 103.60 | 563.28 | 138 | 99.08 | 554.34 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 10,000 | P. 530 C. 487 | 2,168.55 | 7,337.72 | P. 574 C. 547 | 2,452.61 | 7,766.87 | P. 618 C. 583 | 2,553.27 | 8,445.95 |
| Livery Stable | 11,000 | P. 323 C. 301 | 1,108.61 | 6,864.19 | P. 406 C. 254 | 1,049.59 | 7,320.77 | P. 411 C. 260 | 1,043.95 | 7,016.21 |
| Motor Vehicles | 70,000 | V. 1707 D. 377 | 18,641.63 | 53,523.42 | 1,255 | 11,979.03 | 34,371.14 | 981 | 10,432.34 | 28,322.80 |
| Cart | 37,000 | 2,622 | 3,691.50 | 24,528.50 | 2,146 | 3,079.00 | 20,879.00 | 1,956 | 2,840.00 | 18,542.00 |
| Private Ricsha | 70,000 | 7,124 | 20,710.92 | 51,448.42 | 6,465 | 14,315.32 | 41,333.26 | 5,902 | 12,745.03 | 38,119.27 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,584.25 | 81,508.85 | 8,000 | 11,867.45 | 81,251.90 | 8,000 | 11,534.22 | 80,676.92 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 7 | 15.25 | 66.33 | 9 | 19.90 | 83.45 | 10 | 21.55 | 91.72 |
| Wheel-barrow | 53,000 | 8,301 | 4,152.43 | 32,237.32 | 7,936 | 3,972.78 | 29,172.52 | 7,767 | 3,883.58 | 28,200.17 |
| Firearms | 500 | 1 | 10.00 | 180.00 | — | — | 150.00 | — | — | 150.00 |
| Dog | 8,000 | 400 | 1,451.56 | 5,787.68 | 390 | 1,431.95 | 4,433.05 | 115 | 165.12 | 3,016.73 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 118,840 | 6,360 | 10,001 26 | 67,172.28 | 6,132 | 9,790.09 | 63,564 34 | 6,008 | 9,360.22 | 61,748.05 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | 130.00 | 1,130.00 | — | — | 410.00 | — | — | 390.00 |
| Firemen's Quarters | — | — | — | — | — | — | 805.50 | — | 216.00 | 1,371.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 6,000 | — | 415.00 | 2,841.55 | — | 429.52 | 3,177.58 | — | 415.00 | 3,155.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 35.00 | 1,128.32 | — | 42.00 | 1,160.39 | — | 397.00 | 1,153.29 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 26,800 | — | 9,880.00 | 27,522.86 | — | 9,075.00 | 25,816.10 | — | 10,492.04 | 32,362.34 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | — | 500.00 | — | — | 500.00 | — | — | 500.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co., Ld. | 7,330 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 7,331.50 |
| Electric Construction Co. Ld | 62,000 | — | — | 31,577.99 | — | — | 26,759.81 | — | — | 22,947.40 |
| Electricity Department | 309,000 | — | — | 309,000.00 | — | — | 242,000.00 | — | — | 364,000.00 |
| Convict Labour | 7,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concreteware Manufactory | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 8,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,742,870 | | 488,102.13 | 2,960,646.74 | | 376,455.33 | 2,390,451.59 | | 448,755.31 | 2,504,407.88 |

F. A. SAMPSON, *Acting Commissioner of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承擔全份贏利

二 幾有份承攬局自有權局承認

三 未有係本局是極低

四 所有承攬價必如亦有

五 行定必准用款承辦本局

六 擇定之後該承目雖局

人到局之後該承攬價

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本局將錢付人知之

所有因登記付

後明所收之錢付

目說明清單若須

所有其說明書在單內登

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一 所有份承攬各項本局承擔全份贏利

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幾有份承攬局自有權局承認

所有承攬各項本局承擔全份贏利

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **GENERAL** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Revenue Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 1 | (*a*) Printing 500 Land Assessment Schedules each Central, Northern, Eastern and Western Districts | — | August 31, Noon |
| | (*b*) Printing 600 Land Assessment Plans each Central, Northern, Eastern (2 sections) and Western Districts | — | August 31, Noon |
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 154 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern, Ankle Boots | — | October 1, Noon |
| | { 1,000 pairs, to be delivered on or before January 31, 1921 | | |
| | { 2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, March 31, 1921 | | |
| 155 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31, Noon |
| 156 | 150 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 157 | 2,400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 ,, | — | do. |
| 158 | 1,200 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 4 ,, | — | do. |
| 159 | 7,000 ,, ,, Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 160 | 900 ,, Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 quality | — | do. |
| 161 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 162 | 2,000 ,, Cotton Lining | — | do. |
| 163 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 164 | 500 Brown ,, 68 × 90 5-lb. each | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before June 30, 1921 | | |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 547 | Supply of Tools, etc. | — | September 18, Noon |
| 552 | Supply of Bass Brooms | — | October 16, Noon |
| *562 | Erection of Workshops for Public Works Department, Yochow Road | — | September 6, Noon |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 544

Supply of Steel Girders for North Szechuen Road Bridge over Soochow Creek

| | |
|---|---|
| Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld. | G. $12,326 |
| The Shanghai Dock & Engineering Co., Ld. | Tls. 15,000 |
| Societe Franco-Chinoise de Constructions Metalliques et Mecaniques | 11,900 |
| Way Cheong & Co., Ld. | 11,250 |
| *The Yangtsze Engineering Works, Ld. | 9,400 |

*Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2702.**
**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**
**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2715.**
**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**
**Amount £750,000**
**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2745.**
**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**
**Amount £750,000.**
**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan, particulars of which are contained in Municipal Notification No. 2715, will remain open until September 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the list on any day prior to that date.

The first payment of interest on subscriptions received on or after September 1, 1920, will be made on June 30, 1921.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 26, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2740.**
**DANGEROUS DRIVING OF MOTOR CARS.**

TRAFFIC conditions in Shanghai are of an exceedingly complex character. It is therefore the more incumbent on drivers of motor vehicles—the fastest type of vehicle on the streets,—to take particular care in observing the Traffic Regulations and in adjusting their speed at all times so as not to endanger life or limb. The public safety must have first consideration, and those who drive in such a manner as to endanger the public safety will be prosecuted with the utmost rigour of the law.

The Council earnestly requests the co-operation of all motor vehicle owners in seeing that this warning be brought to the particular attention of their chauffeurs so that excessive speed and dangerous driving may cease.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 5, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2744.**
**TRAFFIC REGULATION.**

TO facilitate the control of traffic in the Nanking Road, the following additional regulation will come into force from September 1, viz:—

In the section of the Bubbling Well and Nanking Roads between Mohawk Road and the Bund, no motor vehicle shall pass another in motion, proceeding in the same direction.

By order,
N. O LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 26, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2741.**
**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHINESE**
*(Translation.)*

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the Winter term on Wednesday, September 8, at 9 a.m.

Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.

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Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads.

Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.

Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25 except for the Public School for Chinese and the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $35 and $20, respectively, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Monday, September 6, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Tuesday, September 7, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive and examine new pupils.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 7, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 2743.

### PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FOREIGN CHILDREN.

THE schools will reopen on Wednesday, September 8, at 8.30 a.m.

The attention of parents is directed to the following scale of monthly fees:—

*Public School for Boys.*

200 North Szechuen Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Boys over 10 years of age | $12 |
| Boys under 10 years of age | 8 |
| Extra Subject:— | |
| Shorthand | 2 |

*Public School for Girls.*

28 Boone Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Girls over 10 years of age | $12 |
| Girls under 10 years of age | 8 |
| Boys under 8 years of age | 8 |
| Kindergarten | 5 |
| Extra Subject:— | |
| Piano | 6 |

24 Kungping Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Children under 8 years of age | $8 |
| Kindergarten children | 5 |

88 Avenue Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Girls over 10 years of age | $12 |
| Girls under 10 years of age | 8 |
| Boys under 8 years of age | 8 |
| Kindergarten children | 5 |

Admission to the Avenue Road School is restricted to girls under 15 years of age and to boys under 8 years of age. Admission to the Kungping Road School is restricted to girls and boys under 8 years of age.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*

63 Haskell Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Boarders | $30 |
| Day Scholars | 9 |

*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*

15 Boone Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Upper School, Boarders | $20 |
| Upper School, Day Scholars | 6 |
| Lower School, Boarders | 18 |
| Lower School, Day Scholars | 5 |

Kindergarten children in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls will be charged the same rates as for the Lower School.

The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions:—

| For a family of | Public Schools | Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | Thomas Hanbury School for Girls |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2 children | 20% | $1.80 | $1.20 |
| 3 or more children | 33⅓% | 3.00 | 2.00 |

Children of non-resident parents, unless already in attendance at the schools, will not be admitted. The term *non-resident* implies residence in Shanghai of less than six months.

Forms for the admission of new pupils may be obtained on application at the several schools, and should be presented by the new pupils themselves, when attending at the Schools for examination and admission on Friday, September 3, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., except in the case of the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys for which the hour of attendance will be Wednesday, September 8, at 9 a.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 19, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 2742.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sale of hen pheasants and of pheasants denuded of their feathers, will be prohibited for a period of three years, commencing on October 1, 1920. During the close season, February 17 to September 30 inclusive, the sale of pheasants is absolutely prohibited.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 12, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, August 27, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Mr. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
Lieut.-Col. Hayley Bell, D.S.O.
Messrs. A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
A. C. Hynes
W. P. Lambe
W. L. Merriman

*Absent:*

Messrs. C. G. Humphrys
D. McColl
W. C. Sprague

The meeting adjourned at 6.15 p.m.

AT the meeting of the War Memorial Committee held on Tuesday, August 31, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
A. W. Burkill
R. Fano
L. Straetmans
Sung Han Chang

*Absent:*

Messrs. G. A. Bena
J. Beudin
J. H. Botelho
A. Drachenfels
K. Kodama
F. R. Sites

The meeting adjourned at 5.15 p.m.

### Commissioner of Customs.

A letter from Mr. L. A. Lyall, Commissioner of Customs, informs the Council that he has resumed charge of the Shanghai Customs with effect from August 30.

### Police Force.

*Sikh Branch.*—A letter from H.M. Acting Consul-General, informs the Council that H.M. Legation at Peking has been notified that the title of Sardar Sahib has been conferred on Jemadar Veryam Singh.

*Foreign Branch. Quarters.*—Additional accommodation has been provided by arrangement with the Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. for a lease of No. 168A Dixwell Road for a period of three years terminating on September 30, 1923.

### Public Band.

By arrangement with the stewards of the Race Club, performances will be given by the Band in the Race Club Enclosure at 9 p.m. on Mondays September 6 and 13, weather permitting. The Race Club Enclosure will be thrown open to the public on these occasions.

### Hongkong Local Examinations.

The results achieved by pupils from the Council's schools, in the examinations held in July, are as follows:—

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys:*—

Senior Local Examination:—
Pass: *W. Naughton.
V. Viccajee.
*Distinction in Arithmetic.

*Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese:*—

Matriculation Examination:—
Pass: Sun Bacon (孫培根).

Senior Local Examination:—
Pass: Zung Bih (程弼).
†Nyee Ching-bae (嚴敬培)
†Distinction in Drawing.

### Road Nomenclature.

Interchange of letters with the French Municipal Council on the subject of the renaming of the Great Western and Siccawei Roads:—

*Translation of letter from the French Municipal Council, dated July 21, 1920.*

SIR,—At its last meeting, the Council was called upon to give consideration to the question of new names for certain roads in the French Settlement.

It also considered it a duty of national gratitude to give to a road in the Settlement the name of Marshal Foch.

It seemed to the members that no thoroughfare was more appropriate to receive this great name than Great Western Road, which forms the boundary between our two Settlements.

It was thought as well that it was its duty to associate with the name of the illustrious generalissimo of the Allied Armies, that of Marshal

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Haig, the glorious Chief of the British Armies, and for this reason it suggested that Siccawei Road should henceforth bear his name.

The Council is convinced in advance that these suggestions will receive the approval of the Municipal Council.

In the same way for a length of more than six miles, without interruption, the name of the great Sovereign Edward VII and those of the illustrious Marshals of the Great War, will serve to perpetuate, in this far off country, the remembrance of a friendship and of an Anglo-French alliance hereafter unchangeable.

I am, Sir, etc..,
P. LE BRIS,
*Chairman,*
*French Municipal Council.*

A. BROOKE SMITH, Esq.,
Chairman, Shanghai Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, August 27, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to refer to your letter of July 21, on the subject of the re-naming of the Great Western and Siccawei Roads, and in reply to inform you that my colleagues and myself readily endorse your suggestion that these two roads, so far as they form the boundary between the French Settlement and this Settlement, should hereafter be known as "Avenue Foch" and "Avenue Haig" respectively, thus identifying them with the great French and British Military leaders of these names, as also serving, as you so happily express it, to perpetuate in this far off country, the remembrance of a friendship and alliance hereafter unchangeable.

I have the honour to add that the Council will apply the name "Avenue Haig" to the whole length of the Siccawei Road from its junction with Bubbling Well Road to Siccawei.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
WM. P. LAMBE,
*Acting Chairman.*

The CHAIRMAN,
French Municipal Council.

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**Sewage Disposal.**

The following report by the Commissioner of Public Works on his visit to India and Burmah is published in continuation of the documents published in the Gazettes of July 12, 1918, February 14, August 22 and December 25, 1919:—

Shanghai, July 9, 1920.

The Council's instructions to me were to

1. Examine certain Activated Sludge Installations in the United States.
2. To visit one or other of the cities in India and Burmah mentioned in Professor Fowler's Report, in order to examine ejector systems in operation.

The first portion of these instructions was dealt with in my report of July 30, 1919, published in the "Municipal Gazette" of August 22, 1919. The present report therefore, deals only with the second portion of my instructions.

I left Shanghai on March 4, and visited Singapore, Calcutta, Bombay, Poona, Bangalore, Madras, and Rangoon, at each of which places I was most courteously received by the Engineers to the various Municipalities.

I much regret that I arrived at Bombay some six weeks too late to see Mr. J. D. Watson, who had been called in by the Municipality to advise on the question of sewage disposal, as the views of such an eminent authority on sewage disposal in the situation in Shanghai would have been of the greatest interest.

With the exception of Bangalore, where ample gradients are available, sewage at all the other towns I visited, has to be pumped to its destination by one means or another. The three methods most generally adopted are:—

Plunger force pumps,
Centrifugal pumps,
Pneumatic ejectors.

By means of the "Plunger Pump" the liquid to be pumped is fed into a cylinder, from which it is forced by means of a plunger or solid piston.

A "Centrifugal Pump" is one in which a high velocity is given to the water by the blades of a rapidly rotating fan. This fan is contained in a circular casing, provided with inlets at the centre and a wide outlet at the circumference running in a tangential direction. The water fills the casing and is set in rotation by the blades; centrifugal force drives it outward, and it flows through the discharge pipe in a steady stream, while fresh liquid is continually drawn into the casing through the inlet pipe. A centrifugal pump is not suited for very high lifts, and it only works with its maximum efficiency at the one lift for which it is designed.

A "Pneumatic Ejector" is of a totally different type from either of the foregoing. It may be described as a vessel or container into which the liquid flows, and from which, when it is full, it is ejected or forced out by compressed air. The air may be compressed at one large central station and delivered to the ejectors by air mains, or each ejector may be supplied from a smaller compressor in close proximity to the ejector, thus obviating losses from friction and leaks in long mains.

Comparing the relative merits of the three types of machines, it is evident that the plunger pump is best suited for forcing liquids to a considerable height or for long distances under such conditions as pumping water from the Waterworks at Yangtszepoo to the water towers in Kiangse and Sinza Roads.

The question of one long pressure main for Shanghai is one, however, which may require further consideration, as the tendency in most recent engineering practice is to utilize gravitation as far as possible, and to employ a number of short lifts at relays, rather than one long pressure main. This method would be quite applicable to Shanghai, and there would be the added advantage of being able to connect with other installations en route which it would be impracticable to couple up with a main under pressure.

It will, I think, be readily understood that pumping sewage is made difficult owing to the uncertainty of the rate of flow or the quantity to be pumped. It is absolutely essential that whatever system is adopted it should be automatic in its working, thus a centrifugal pump raising liquid from a tank, would cease working when the liquid in the tank has fallen to a certain low level, or would commence working when the liquid reached a certain high level.

In the case of a Pneumatic Ejector, the compressed air is brought into operation and the sewage ejected as soon as the ejector is full.

For lifting sewage in Shanghai there is, in my opinion, little to choose between the Centrifugal Pump and Pneumatic Ejector.

Now when treating sewage by the Activated Sludge process, it is very important that solids should be removed or broken up as much as possible, and for that reason the sewage is generally passed through fine screens before treatment. When in Singapore I was shown an installation of centrifugal pumps which is designed not only to lift the sewage, but also to disintegrate it to such an extent that screening is unnecessary. On his arrival in England the Deputy Commissioner of Public Works will investigate further the working of this type of pump.

Pneumatic ejectors are in use for a small section of Bombay and practically the whole of Rangoon. From the opinions of those of experience they may be adopted with advantage under certain conditions in Shanghai, but long lengths of compressed air mains are apt to cause trouble, and for this reason I am led to recommend that where pneumatic ejectors are adopted in Shanghai, they should each be operated direct from air compressors driven by electrical power or gas engines. Loss of power from any leakage is thus reduced to a minimum. This contingency has been anticipated when preparing the scheme for the propulsion of sewage from the Eastern portion of the Central District, so that no modifications in that respect are necessary.

As would be gathered from Professor Fowler's Report of June 17, 1918, the Activated Sludge Process consists of forcing air in a state of fine division through the sewage.

The Sheffield experiments are based on the idea that by agitating the sewage by means of paddles, it

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may be brought sufficiently into contact with the air to purify it in the same way as if air were forced through it. My latest information from England, dated May 26, 1920, is to the effect that the effluent from both processes was very good, colourless and odourless, so that if an equally good result can be obtained without the use of compressed air and its attendant expense, the agitation system is one which should not be overlooked I am arranging to be kept informed as to the progress of these experiments.

In the matter of water flushed latrines and night soil dumps, there was a good deal to be learned in India, and their adoption in Shanghai should lead to a considerable improvement in sanitary conditions of the Settlement, provided the prejudices of the Chinese can be overcome. These can be introduced as part of any drainage scheme for any district, and without any appreciable increase in cost. The danger from flies in the present non-fly proofed latrines would practically disappear, as would also nuisance from smells. A recommendation as to the construction of one for experimental purposes has already been made to the Council.

At Madras my attention was drawn to the deleterious effects of sewer gas on concrete pipes. It was also noticeable on the covering of a sewage conduit at the outfall works at Madras, where complete sections of the covering had collapsed.

Professor Fowler informs me that this is probably due to the oxidation of sulphuretted hydrogen ($H_2S$ to $H_2SO_4$). I am informed that this action had been experienced at Colombo, and I have written asking for particulars. As far as I am aware no trouble has so far been experienced in concrete sewers in Shanghai, although our sewers do not carry such concentrated sewage as those which will require to be laid. The matter is of great importance, and will require to be gone thoroughly into before any new sewers are laid.

My acknowledgements are due to the following gentlemen for their courtesy in placing information at my disposal:—

*Calcutta.*—Mr. J. R. Coats, B.Sc. M.Inst.C.E., Chief Engineer.

*Bombay.*—Mr. J. E. Mackison, B.Sc., M.Inst.C.E., Executive Engineer.

*Poona.*—Mr. R. A. Collett, Assoc. M.Inst.C.E., Municipal Engineer.

*Bangalore.*—Mr. W. R. Murphy, Municipal Engineer.

*Madras.*—Mr. J. W. Madeley, M.A., M.Inst.C.E., Special Works Engineer.

*Rangoon.*—Col. H. L. Pearson, D.S.O., M.Inst.C.E., Acting Municipal Engineer.

*Singapore.*—Mr. B. Ball, M.Inst. C.E., Municipal Engineer.

Chas. H. Godfrey,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

## Municipal Loans 1920.

### 6% Sterling Loan Issued at 100%.

Subscriptions as on August 31, £5'9,550

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on August 31:—

Foreign Investors.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 96,300 | | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 35,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,000 | | |
| Noel. Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 20 000 | | |
| One ,, | 16,300 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14 000 | | |
| One Investor of | 12,000 | | |
| One ,, | 11,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 476,000 | |
| 166 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 314,700 | |
| 182 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 790,700 |

Chinese Investors.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 25 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 58,000 | |
| 27 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 81,000 |
| | | | Total Tls. 871,700 |

E. F. Goodale,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, August 29, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 3 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 | 16 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 6 | 7 |
| Acute Diarrhoea | — | 17 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 199 |

Arthur Stanley,
*Health Officer.*

## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | Sept. | 6 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| ,, | ,, | 6 | 9.00 ,, | Race Club Enclosure |
| Tues. | ,, | 7 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | ,, | 8 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | ,, | 9 | 5.30 ,, | ,, ,, |
| Fri. | ,, | 10 | 9.00 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. | Sept. | 11 | 4.30 p.m. | Public Recreation Ground |
| ,, | ,, | 11 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | *Foreign* |
| 12 | Balfour | P. Tilley | | | altns. to godown |
| 26 | Bund & Jinkee | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | altns. & addns. |
| 274 | Foochow & Shantung | ,, | | | altns. to shop |
| 164 | Off Kiukiang & Kiangse | David Sassoon & Co., Ld. | | | water closet |
| 6454 | Off Haichow | Midland Packking Co. | | | factory |
| 6043 | Tengyueh | Amos Bird Co. | | | cold storage bldg. boiler house & engine room |
| 1215 | Off Tongshan | Woo Yung Seng | | | godown |
| 3860 | Off Ward | Lin Tai & Co. | | | factory |
| 3190 | Yangchow | Zoo May Doo | | | foundry |
| 3200 | | | | | |
| N of 729 | Zee Ka Pang | Kang Zung Shing | | | thoughings |
| 6309 | Ferry | Yao Chin Kee | | | garage |
| 444 | Off Robison | Graham-Brown & Wingrove | | | factory |
| S of 706 | Off Stone Bridge | King Nee School | | | shed |
| | | | | | *Chinese* |
| 272 | Foochow | China Realty Co., Ld. | | | altns. to 1 house |
| 225 | Honan & Tientsin | Ching Shun Chow | | | altns. to hong |
| W of 67 | Off Purdon | Lian Shun Chee | 2 | | |
| 352 | Markham | Yu Sung Hung Kee | | | hong |
| 583 | Off Sinza | Chu Lang Fah | | | [illegible] |

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## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, AUGUST 28.

*Health Department.*—Probationary Inspector W. P. Galvin is permitted to terminate his service on August 31.

*Electricity Department.*—The appointments of the following are confirmed under agreements, terminable at three months' notice, from the dates specified:—

C. A. King, Charge Engineer, from April 13.

F. R. Anderson, Charge Engineer, from April 29.

R. Knox, Charge Engineer, from May 10.

C. J. Curtis, Yard Foreman, from February 2.

L. Kennedy, Meter Inspector, from March 16.

J. Withers, Storekeeper, from January 2.

Mr. C. Underwood, probationary Assistant Foreman Mechanic, was permitted to terminate his service on July 31.

*Educational Department.*—Mr. C. N. de Trafford, Assistant Master in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, is permitted to terminate his service on August 31.

## Fire Brigade Report for July.

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 14, as against 8 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 5,295 (Foreign Tls. 2,025: Chinese Tls. 3,270), as against Tls. 200 (Foreign Nil: Chinese Tls. 200) during July 1919. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 520,000 (Foreign Tls. 480,000: Chinese Tls. 40,000), as against Tls. 30,000 (Foreign Nil: Chinese Tls. 30,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 11, Watch Towers 2, and Police 1. The district call was given on one occasion, the remaining 13 being station calls. These calls proved to be 9 small fires, 2 chimney fires, 2 false alarms, and 1 fire outside the Settlement.

The principal supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—Arson, fusing of electric wires, dropped match or cigarette end, spontaneous combustion, defective flue, etc.

The premises affected were:—Foreign Buildings 4, Chinese Buildings 6. Of these 2 buildings were more or less damaged by fire, smoke and water.

The Brigade was occupied 81 hours and 50 minutes at fires or supposed fires.

There were two rather nasty outbreaks in the Central District during the month, which were fortunately extinguished with little damage. P 79/81 Nanking Road July 2, 4.07 a.m., when a cashier set fire to the small office at the back of the main chemist's shop to destroy the books to cover his embezzlement, and thus jeopardized the lives of the persons residing above, and the surrounding property. The outbreak was fortunately extinguished by the Police and inmates, and little remained for the Brigade to do.

The cashier was charged at the French Court and sentenced to 5 years imprisonment, and to refund the amount of his shortage $868.

On July 4 at 1.29 p.m. a fire occurred in a paper store on the third floor of the Commercial Press, Honan Road. The Press staff had got a number of private hydrants to work, but the appliances were in such a condition that they were useless, and had it not been for the prompt arrival of the Central Division, who shut off the valves, considerable water damage would have been done. As it was the Department covered up as much as possible, and laid sawdust to prevent the water from getting to the store below. The actual outbreak was confined to the store room where it originated.

This fire clearly illustrated the necessity for the periodical inspection of private fire appliances by this Department.

The water supply during the month continued to be low, and was a source of anxiety. Special precautions were taken by the Department, and it is particularly desirable that no time should be wasted in submitting a call on the slightest evidence of a fire.

During the month the improvised workshop at Soochow Road was vacated, and the new one at Hongkew Station occupied.

Rather an incorrect idea appears to exist in the minds of some of the public with regard to the work of the Brigade, in that they would appear to be under the impression that the extinction of fires constitutes the bulk of the work performed. This is not so. A considerable amount of useful work of an advisory nature, including the carrying out of inspections of property, is now being performed by the Brigade staff and at least seven-eighths of their time is occupied in fire protection and prevention work, which, since the reorganization of the Brigade, has been carried out on similar lines to those of large Fire Departments elsewhere. As a new departure in Shanghai, the value of this important work is not always appreciated and difficulties in its being properly carried out exist. At the same time it is essential that every reasonable precaution should be taken in such a large city as this, to prevent fire and to afford protection to life and property.

Anyone wishing to obtain information, or to have premises inspected, should apply to Brigade Headquarters, and everything possible will be done.

Over 1,000 inspections have been made since May 1, 1920.

Chaotic conditions are found, especially in factories, and it is evident that Regulations framed on the lines of Factory Acts, enforced elsewhere, should be put into effect in Shanghai, for as mentioned from time to time in my Annual Reports, premises are made reasonably safe but such measures are rendered useless in a very short time, by no attention being paid to keep the premises safe.

M. W. Pett,
*Chief Officer.*

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call | | Alarm given | Locality | District | | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Time of | How received | | | Municipal | Fire | | | Hours | Minutes | |
| July 2 | 4.07 a.m. | Police | Station | P 79-81 Nanking Road | Central | 4 | Foreign Chemists | | 1 | | |
| 4 | 1.29 p.m. | Telephone | District | C 453 Honan Road | " | 4 | Foreign Store | | 30 | | |
| 5 | 3.23 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | Station | 477 Arthur Rd. | Eastern | 1 | | | | 25 | False alarm |
| 10 | 11.44 p.m. | Telephone | " | 32A Nanking Road | Central | 4 | Foreign Offices | | | 15 | " |
| 11 | 11.23 p.m. | " | " | K 917 Boone Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Shop | | 7 | | |
| 12 | 10.54 p.m. | Sinza Tower | " | J 570 Chengtu Road | Western | 7 | " | 1 damaged | 16 | | |
| 16 | 12.54 a.m. | Telephone | " | North Szechuen Rd. Extension | Outside | | | | 1 | | |
| 17 | 9.24 p.m. | " | " | E 102 Shanse Road | Central | 3 | Chinese Shop | | 3 | | Chimney fire |
| 17 | 11.14 p.m. | " | " | 167 Bubbling Well Road | Western | 7 | Foreign Residence | | | 20 | " |
| 19 | 5.13 a.m. | " | " | 177 " | " | 7 | | | | 40 | Open space |
| 24 | 7.50 p.m. | " | " | L 278 Chekiang Road | Central | 6 | Chinese Chemists | | | 15 | |
| 27 | 5.38 p.m. | " | " | Markham / Connaught Roads | Western | 7 | Chinese Contractor's Yard | | 21 | | " |
| 27 | 6.58 p.m. | " | " | L 331 Chekiang Road | Central | 6 | Chinese Printers | | | 25 | |
| 29 | 11.30 a.m. | " | " | 16 Seward Road | Eastern | 1 | Foreign Boarding House | 1 damaged | | 30 | |

M. W. Pett, *Chief Officer.*

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# FINANCIAL STATEMENT

COMPARING

ESTIMATED INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1920,

WITH

ACTUAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1920.

| | Estimated | | | Actual | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Expenditure | | Income | Expenditure | | Income |
| | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. |
| **Ordinary Income:—** | | | | | | |
| Land Tax | | | 1,055,000 | | | 528,862.95 |
| General Municipal Rate | | | | | | |
| Foreign | | | 820 000 | | | 408,328.90 |
| Chinese | | | 1,277,500 | | | 631,694.77 |
| Special Rate, Foreign | | | 41,000 | | | 14,710.94 |
| " " Chinese | | | 7,500 | | | 2.776.75 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | | | 1,500 | | | 1,224.38 |
| Wharfage Dues | | | 350,000 | | | 174,244.37 |
| Licence Fees | | | 622,400 | | | 300,974.45 |
| Rent of Municipal Properties | | | 127,340 | | | 61,820.89 |
| Revenue from Public and Municipal Undertakings | | | 440,630 | | | 375,932.35 |
| **Ordinary Expenditure:—** | | | | | | |
| Volunteer Corps | | 64,290 | | | 26,614.87 | |
| Fire Brigade | | 155,720 | | | 72,310.55 | |
| Police Force | | 1,492,510 | | | 782,669.82 | |
| Health Department | | | | | | |
| Office | 101,300 | | | 72,374.08 | | |
| Hospitals | | | | | | |
| Victoria Nursing Home | 41,200 | | | 28,711.67 | | |
| Isolation Hospital | 62,900 | | | 28,365.18 | | |
| do. for Chinese | 8,320 | | | 5,288.04 | | |
| Police Hospital Indians | 1,745 | | | 1 365.46 | | |
| do. Chinese | 7,855 | | | 4,943.01 | | |
| Sanatorium | 9,150 | | | 5,556.79 | | |
| Private Nursing Service | 7,570 | | | 6,370.46 | | |
| Ambulance Service | 750 | | | *Cr.* 18.62 | | |
| Cemeteries, etc. | *Cr.* 330 | | | *Cr.* 227.89 | | |
| Swimming Bath | 330 | | | 179.32 | | |
| Extra-Departmental | 84,000 | | | 45,212.00 | | |
| | | 324,790 | | | 198,119.50 | |
| Public Works Department | | | | | | |
| General | 340,220 | | | 198,182.94 | | |
| Buildings | 93,120 | | | 35,071.53 | | |
| Creeks and River | 52,220 | | | 30,428.12 | | |
| Drainage | 35,430 | | | 19,082.12 | | |
| Roads | | | | | | |
| Maintenance | 335,900 | | | 171,975.37 | | |
| Cleansing | 117,740 | | | 58,335.36 | | |
| Lighting | 144,100 | | | 70.152.56 | | |
| Parks and Open Spaces | 70,380 | | | 34,793.59 | | |
| | | 1,189,110 | | | 618,021.59 | |
| Public Band | | 69,720 | | | 37,916.51 | |
| Public Library | | 3,430 | | | 1,829.65 | |
| Educational Department | | | | | | |
| Public School for Boys | 56,460 | | | 29,856.45 | | |
| do. Girls | 60,830 | | | 30,413.16 | | |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | 56,740 | | | 31,799.40 | | |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Girls | 37,370 | | | 19,026.82 | | |
| Public School for Chinese | 27,300 | | | 14,949.34 | | |
| Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese | 25,980 | | | 14,124.95 | | |
| Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese | 24,620 | | | 12,305.62 | | |
| Polytechnic Public School for Chinese | 9,620 | | | 5,919.24 | | |
| Grants-in-Aid | 8,300 | | | 4,150.00 | | |
| | | 307,220 | | | 162,544.98 | |
| Finance Department | | | | | | |
| Treasurer and Comptrollers Office | 112,310 | | | 66,779.06 | | |
| Compradore's Office | 11,740 | | | 6,362.08 | | |
| | | 124,050 | | | 73,141.14 | |
| *Carried forward* | | 3,730,840 | 4,742,870 | | 1,973,168.61 | 2,500,570.75 |

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| | Estimated | | | Actual | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Expenditure | | Income | Expenditure | | Income |
| | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. | Tls. |
| *Brought forward* | | 3,730,840 | 4,742.870 | | 1,973,168.61 | 2,500,570.75 |
| Secretariat | | | | | | |
| Secretary's Office | 113,630 | | | 62,365.30 | | |
| Revenue Office | 152,340 | | | 83,103.73 | | |
| | | 265,970 | | | 145,469.03 | |
| General Charges | | 127,780 | | | 68,206.85 | |
| Interest, Brokerage, etc. | | 255,450 | | | 136,555.49 | |
| Redemption of Debentures | | 194,400 | | | 31,700.00 | |
| Stock and Stores:— | | | | | | |
| Volunteer Corps | 21,050 | | | 17,051.39 | | |
| Fire Brigade | 47,400 | | | 27,924.90 | | |
| Police Force | 106,930 | | | 70,913.37 | | |
| Health Department | 35,200 | | | 17,359.79 | | |
| Public Works Dept. | 334,350 | | | 189,440.27 | | |
| Public Band | | | | 103.06 | | |
| Public Library | | | | 55.00 | | |
| Public School for Boys | 440 | | | 880.97 | | |
| do. Girls | 1,420 | | | 1,889.90 | | |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | 740 | | | 91.93 | | |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Girls | 200 | | | 53.84 | | |
| Public School for Chinese | 900 | | | 519.89 | | |
| Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese | 100 | | | 68.81 | | |
| Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese | 200 | | | 73.43 | | |
| Polytechnic Public School for Chinese | 200 | | | 16.53 | | |
| Finance Department | 1,000 | | | 152.00 | | |
| Secretariat | 1,680 | | | 1,116.52 | | |
| | 551,810 | | | 327,711,60 | | |
| *Less* — Stores issued, etc. | | | | | | |
| Volunteer Corps | 17,000 | | | 3,235.63 | | |
| Police Force | 94,000 | | | 33,661.94 | | |
| Public Works Dept. | 300,000 | | | 139,449.28 | | |
| | | 140,810 | | | 151,364.75 | |
| | 411,000 | | | 176,346.85 | | |
| | | 4,715,250 | 4,742,870 | | 2,506,464.73 | 2,500,570.75 |
| **Surplus or Deficit on Ordinary Budget, carried to Extraordinary Income** | | 27,620 | | | | 5,893.98 |
| | | 4.742,870 | 4,742,870 | | 2,506,464.73 | 2,506,464.73 |
| **Extraordinary Income** | | | | | | |
| Surplus or Deficit on Ordinary Budget | | | 27,620 | | 5,893.98 | |
| Miscellaneous | | | 10,000 | | | 18,190.55 |
| Loan 1919, debentures issued during period 1/1/20 to 12/3/20 | | | 325,200 | | | 308,940.00 |
| Amount recommended to be raised by debentures | | | | | | |
| General Purposes | | | 2,000,000 | | | 418,747.50 |
| Electricity Department | | | 2,800,000 | | | 1,407,879.70 |
| **Extraordinary Expenditure** | | | | | | |
| Deficit from 1919 | | 753,122 | | | 753,121.58 | |
| Bridges | | 30,000 | | | 30.00 | |
| Bundings | | 36,000 | | | 20,722.46 | |
| Drainage | | 61,400 | | | 23,671.85 | |
| Landing Stages | | 19,900 | | | 260 91 | |
| Land | | 310,700 | | | 6,791 47 | |
| Buildings | | 701,000 | | | 141,220.41 | |
| Roads | | 375,000 | | | 196,308.97 | |
| S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. 741 Shares | | 76,490 | | | 76,490.32 | |
| Loan to Electricity Dept. | | 2,800,000 | | | 1,716,819 70 | |
| | | 5,163,612 | 5,162,820 | | 2,941,331.65 | 2,153,757.75 |
| **Deficit** | | | 792 | | | 787,573.90 |
| | | 5.163,612 | 5,163.612 | | 2,941,331.65 | 2.941.331.65 |

We have audited the foregoing Summary of Income and Expenditure for the half-year ended June 30, 1920, and certify the same to be correct.

G. H. & N. THOMSON, *Chartered Accountants, Auditors.*

August 24, 1920.

E. F. GOODALE, A.C.A., *Treasurer and Comptroller.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承辦全份係本局自有權利

二 所有承攬價目極是低本局壽必准認承辦人自行估價之款本局亦不認付

三 擬定之後該承攬人到局保其遵照合同辦理

四 所有承攬各人之信及承攬之價目以後登入本局公佈人知悉

五 所有取閱說明清單須付錢則

本局將取必將閱說明清單若干錢散在此諸單內錢登

明所收之錢其散在此諸單內錢登

後仍將該款一律退還

六 所有承攬信章其封面寫明承攬信應加蓋火漆

所有承攬信應用工料等物必蓋於信內

所有承攬信必須在上午十二時以前送來

工部局辦公處江西路二十號工部局之總辦至迄期須在定期二十四小時內送來

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

此次概免交清單費

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## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 154 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern, Ankle Boots<br>{ 1 000 pairs, to be delivered on or before January 31, 1921<br>{ 2,000 „ „ „ „ March 31, 1921 | — | October 1, Noon |
| 155 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31, Noon |
| 156 | 150 „ „ „ „ „ 2 „ | — | do. |
| 157 | 2,400 „ „ „ „ „ 3 „ | — | do. |
| 158 | 1,200 „ „ „ „ „ 4 „ | — | do. |
| 159 | 7,000 „ „ Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 160 | 900 „ Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 quality | — | do. |
| 161 | 400 „ „ „ „ „ 2 „ | — | do. |
| 162 | 2,000 „ Cotton Lining | — | do. |
| 163 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 164 | 500 Brown „ 68 × 90 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before June 30, 1921 | — | do. |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 547 | Supply of Tools, etc. | — | September 18, Noon |
| 5[illegible]2 | Supply of Bass Brooms | — | October 16, Noon |
| 562 | Erection of Workshops for Public Works Department, Yochow Road | — | September 6, Noon |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2702.**
**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**
**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2715.**
**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**
**Amount £750,000**
**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2745.**
**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**
**Amount £750,000.**
**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan, particulars of which are contained in Municipal Notification No. 2715, will remain open until September 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the list on any day prior to that date.

The first payment of interest on subscriptions received on or after September 1, 1920, will be made on June 30, 1921.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 26, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2744.**
**TRAFFIC REGULATION.**

TO facilitate the control of traffic in the Nanking Road, the following additional regulation will come into force from September 1, viz:—

In the section of the Bubbling Well and Nanking Roads between Mohawk Road and the Bund, no motor vehicle shall pass another in motion, proceeding in the same direction.

By order,
N. O LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 26, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2746.**
(*Translation*)
**BROTHELS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that under the authority of Resolution XV passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, and in pursuance of the recommendation contained in the report of the Special Vice Committee published in the Municipal Gazette of March 19, one-fifth of the brothel licences, selected by lot, will be withdrawn on April 1, 1921. A public drawing will take place at the Town Hall on Wednesday, December 15, at 3 o'clock p.m., when the brothels to be closed will be determined. The drawings will be public and all interested are invited to be present.

Tickets of admission may be obtained on application to The Revenue Office, No. 7A the Bund, and a list of the licensed brothels will be exhibited at the Police Stations and at the Revenue Office from Thursday, November 25.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 9, 1920.

### Library Committee.

The Very Rev. Dean C. J. F. Symons, M.A., has accepted the Council's invitation to fill the vacancy in the Committee caused by the resignation of Mr. F. C. Kendall.

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## Municipal Loans 1920.

### 6% Sterling Loan Issued at 100%.

SUBSCRIPTIONS AS ON SEPTEMBER 7, £545,900

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on September 7:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 96,300 | | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 35,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 20.000 | | |
| One ,, | 16,300 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14.000 | | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | | |
| One ,, | 12,000 | | |
| One ,, | 11,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 490,000 | |
| 167 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 315,400 | |
| 184 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 805,400 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 25 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 58,000 | |
| 27 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 81,000 |
| | | | Total Tls. 886,400 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. | Sept. 13 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| ,, | ,, 13 | 9.00 ,, | Race Club Enclosure |
| Tues. | ,, 14 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. | ,, 15 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. | ,, 16 | 5.30 ,, | ,, ,, |
| Fri. | ,, 17 | 9.00 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. | ,, 18 | 4.30 ,, | Public Recreation Ground |
| ,, | ,, 18 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, September 5, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign-resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 1 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 18 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 6 | 5 |
| Acute Diarrhoea | — | 9 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 159 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 66 | Off Hongkong | Moorhead, Halse & Robinson | | | addns. |
| 37 | Off Kiukiang | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | altns. |
| E of 757 | Off Chaoufoong | Wong Kor Sung | | | school |
| 5200 | Off Pingliang | Dong Kee & Co. | | | steel chimney |
| N of 7082 | Off Ward | Luke Yung | | | boiler house |
| 3618 | ,, | Inshallah Dairy Farm | | | bull pen & fodder room |
| N of 2300 | Wayside and Macgregor | Yao Ning Kee | | | factory |
| 2465 | Whashing | The Pacific Trading Co. | | | mill |
| 2893 | Avenue | Percy Tilley | | | addns. |
| W of 1027 | Off Chengtu | King Kiang Kung Soo | | | wall |
| 4744 | Gordon and Ichang | Y. Hirano | | | 2 godowns |
| 5232 | Off Ichang | Naigai Wata Kaisha | 10 | | wall |
| 1457 | ,, Mohawk | Davies & Brooke | | | altns. |
| 4381 | Moji Extension | Naigai Wata Kaisha | 14 | | wall |
| 2411 | Off Seymour | Joe Ming Kee | | | addns. |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 148 | Honan and Ningpo | Ma Lan Fang | 8 | 3 | 2 gatehouses |
| 247A | Nanking | S. A. Hardoon | | | altns. |
| 1012 | Off Broadway | Brandt & Rodgers | 77 | | 2 gatehouses |
| 1065 | Off Broadway East | Kwang Chang | | | 4 bungalows |
| 376 | Off E. Yalu | King Ming San | | 1 | |
| 3186 | Yangchow | Shun Kee | | | addns. |
| 6865 | Off Yangtszepoo | Tsai Tsun Kee | 4 | | |
| 6308 | Off Ferry | Lien Shun Kee | | | 10 bungalows |

## Public Band.

By arrangement with the stewards of the Race Club a performance will be given by the Band in the Race Club Enclosure at 9 p.m. on Monday, September 13, weather permitting. The Race Club Enclosure will be thrown open to the public on this occasion.

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4.

*Police Force.*—Constable J. U. J. Langridge is invalided from August 31.

Sikh Constable No. 331, Badan Singh, is discharged, invalided, from September 1.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Sanitary Overseer G. Mingozzi from October 1.

*Public Works Department.*—The appointment of Assistant Inspector W. A. Watson is confirmed under an agreement from March 1, terminable at three months' notice.

## Health Officer's Report for August.

During August there was an increased mortality as compared with the abnormally low mortality of July but scarcely above the normal for August.

The Chinese press reported epidemics from choleraic diarrhœa from many parts of China, with a high mortality; but generally, except in Szechuen province, the mortality was less than last year and this was markedly so in the Shanghai Foreign Settlement where there is a distinct factor of immunity both among foreigners and Chinese attributable to general sanitation and some measure of health education among both foreign and Chinese communities.

The Joint Council on Public Health Education of the Medical Missionary Association and the China National Medical Association are usefully developing for the rest of China the issue of health notices and booklets initiated by the Municipal Health Office. These publications are most valuable means of disseminating knowledge of the way of preventing diseases that are specially prevalent in China.

The Chinese Y.M.C.A. boys conducted a most praiseworthy, useful and much appreciated effort toward reaching the Chinese people in the Settlement the special dangers from flies, rats, refuse and infested food—fundamentals of local sanitation. By means of a procession carrying models they drew special attention to the objects of their movement, and this was followed by lantern demonstrations in the markets and open air lectures and talks, which cannot but have had very good results. Previous to this the same boys had shown what they could do within a given area in getting people to clean up the immediate surroundings of their houses.

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Intestinal diseases were very prevalent throughout the month, especially Dysentery of a severe type and Choleraic Diarrhœa, in 16 cases of which, occurring within the Settlement, true Cholera vibrios were found. The Red Cross Cholera Hospital, the newly opened Infectious Diseases Hospital and St. Luke's Hospital did good work, especially by giving saline transfusion treatment in severe cases, practically relieving the Municipal Isolation Hospital of attention to these cases. Special attention was given by the sanitary staff to food inspection and a large number of notices, calling attention to the main dangers and showing how they could be avoided, were posted and explained by talks at the Branch Health Offices and other suitable places.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse and a special summary of Plague Prevention work.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign Resident | Foreign Non-resident | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cholera | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Typhoid fever | 1 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 0 | 102 |
| Beri-beri | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Dysentery | 3 | 0 | 22 |
| From all causes | 29 | 10 | 848 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Typhoid Fever | 1 |
| Diphtheria | 3 |
| Scarlet fever | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 |
| Dysentery | 17 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cases admitted — | Diphtheria | 3 | 1 |
| | Scarlet fever | 1 | 6 |
| | Measles | 1 | 0 |
| | Choleraic Diarrhoea | 10 | 13 |
| | Discharged | 15 | 21 |
| | Died | 3 | 4 |
| Remaining last day of month | | 9 | 18 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 1,360 |
| Bacterial " " | 343 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 10 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 718 |
| Analyses | 72 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen ..... | 2,118 | 5 | 2,118 | 4 | 1 |
| Sheep ..... | 2,762 | 0 | 2,762 | 13 | 2 |
| Calves ..... | 493 | 0 | 493 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs..... | 897 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

RABIES OBSERVATION

| | |
|---|---|
| Dogs received for observation | 10 |
| Dogs biting people | 10 |
| Returned to owners | 7 |
| Died of Rabies | 1 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 43 | 4 |
| Surgical | 39 | 0 |
| Maternity | 12 | 2 |
| Mental | 7 | 0 |
| Infectious | 1 | 0 |
| | Total 102 | 6 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK.

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 249 | 588 | 178 | 331 | 1346 |
| Rats plague infected ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation .... | 800 | 1000 | 750 | 400 | 2950 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1059 | 1420 | 796 | 606 | 3881 |
| Poisoned baits laid ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier ..... | 0 | 0 | 214 | 0 | 214 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

LABORATORY REPORT ON WATER.

Sample received September 1, 1920.

Report sent out September 4, 1920.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks' water.

Physical Characters.—Bluish green colour with very slight opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 15.0 |
| Appearance on Ignition—slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 9.0 |
| (a) Temporary | 5.2 |
| (b) Permanent | 3.8 |
| Chlorine | 2.2 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.044 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0018 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0076 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° c. | 0.0333 |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 37° C. for 48 hours showed an average of 25 microbes per c.c.

Nutrient agar plates at 20° C. for 96 hours showed an average of 52 microbes per c.c.

Organisms of the Coli group were present in quantities of 3 c.c.'s and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—The results of analysis show good filtration.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 2 | 16 | 5 | 6 | 29 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease ... ... ... ... | 64 | 130 | 130 | 123 | 447 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease ... ... | 103 | 110 | 808 | 267 | 1,288 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 1134 | 666 | 4,859 | 1,253 | 7,912 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed ... ... ... ... | 17 | 103 | 644 | 89 | 853 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended ... ... ... ... | 0 | 1 | 42 | 0 | 43 |
| Defective drainage amended ... ... ... ... ... | 26 | 20 | 40 | 24 | 110 |
| Proper water supply provided ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected ... ... ... ... | 1 | 7 | 1 | 12 | 21 |
| " " repaired ... ... ... ... | 9 | 29 | 52 | 69 | 159 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy ... | 3 | 8 | 19 | 1 | 31 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 225 | 1,078 | 1,303 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried ... ... | 0 | 5 | 14 | 0 | 19 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Beggar-boats removed ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 16 | 0 | 16 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 48 | 17 | 18 | 40 | 123 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 71 | 45 | 71 | 71 | 258 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Samples taken for analysis... ... ... ... ... ... | 7 | 14 | 21 | 16 | 58 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed ... ... ... ... | 1,600 | 2,721 | 1,140 | 2,100 | 7,561 |
| Outside hawkers licensed ... ... ... ... ... ... | 720 | 852 | 647 | 442 | 2,661 |
| Food prosecutions... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 16 | 68 | 33 | 16 | 133 |
| House refuse prosecutions ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 52 | 31 | 0 | 83 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions ... ... ... ... | 0 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 12 |
| Tons of ordure removed ... ... ... ... ... ... | 3,890 | 6,762 | 2,953 | 3,120 | 16,725 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed ... ... ... | 3,046 | 823 | 299 | 487 | 4,655 |
| Tons of house refuse removed ... ... ... ... ... | 6,748 | 4,425 | 2,483 | 2,875 | 16,531 |

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE MUNICIPAL LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Name of Dairy | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| An Wo | Zung Ah Hoo | 77 Route Dupleix | Abstraction of fat |
| Gordon Road | Tsu Oong Kwhe | Z. 1128 Gordon Road | Abstraction of fat |

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局有權承攬全份或係承攬本局自有辦理之工程

二 未行估價之工程必須承攬人到局之後之准攬目錄辦理

三 挪定後保證該承攬人之信用款本人遵照本局如是極低亦不承認付本局自專

四 所有取登入各人局之報俾須知之保

五 目後公及承辦之價

六 本局將其款一律退還

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

所有承攬人須將其姓名及公司名稱寫在信封內交上海工部局收

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後仍所取之錢得的此實承攬信登明將該之數在驗單內信內

明將該之數在驗單內信內

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 154 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern, Ankle Boots<br>{ 1,000 pairs, to be delivered on or before January 31, 1921<br>{ 2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, March 31, 1921 | — | October 1, Noon |
| 155 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31, Noon |
| 156 | 150 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 157 | 2,400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 ,, | — | do. |
| 158 | 1,200 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 4 ,, | — | do. |
| 159 | 7,000 ,, ,, Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 160 | 900 ,, Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 quality | — | do. |
| 161 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 162 | 2,000 ,, Cotton Lining | — | do. |
| 163 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 164 | 500 Brown ,, 68 × 90 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before June 30, 1921 | — | do. |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 547 | Supply of Tools, etc. | — | September 18, Noon |
| 552 | Supply of Bass Brooms | — | October 16, Noon |
| 565 | Electric Wiring at Louza Police Station | — | ,, 15, Noon |
| 566 | Painting at Hongkew Police Station | — | ,, 17, Noon |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

Tender No. 1

GENERAL

(*a*) Printing 500 Land Assessment Schedules each Central, Northern, Eastern and Western Districts

(*b*) Printing 600 Land Assessment Plans each Central, Northern, Eastern (2 sections) and Western Districts

| | (*a*) | (*b*) |
|---|---|---|
| *Kelly & Walsh, Ld. | $8.25 per page | $279 |

*Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2702.**
**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**
**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2715.**
**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**
**Amount £750,000**
**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500. £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2745.**
**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**
**Amount £750,000.**
**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan, particulars of which are contained in Municipal Notification No. 2715, will remain open until September 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the list on any day prior to that date.

The first payment of interest on subscriptions received on or after September 1, 1920, will be made on June 30, 1921.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 26, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Friday, September 3, 1920, at 4.30 p.m, there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. W. Burkill *(Chairman)*
H. A. Macintyre
C. G. S. Mackie
S. B. Neill

*Absent:*

Mr. M. Benjamin

The meeting adjourned at 5.40 p.m.

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### Volunteer Corps.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, Captain C. D. Pearson, Reserve of Officers, is appointed Engineer Adviser and posted to Corps Headquarters with effect from September 9, 1920.

*Artillery.*—The resignation of Lieut. R. A. Stuart, forwarded by the Commandant, has been accepted by the Council with regret.

*Light Horse.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant an extension of leave from August 31, 1920 until January 31, 1921 has been granted to 2nd Lieut. T. G. Drakeford.

### Chapei-Nantao Telephone Connexions.

Correspondence with the Shanghai Mutual Telephone Co., Ld:—

Shanghai, August 4, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—We have just been asked by the Chinese Government Telephone Administration to rent them the use of lines in our cables running across the Settlement between Chapei and Nantao for the purpose of using them for trunk lines between their exchanges in these districts.

Before granting their request I shall be glad to know if the Municipal Council has any remarks or any objection to our doing so.

Yours faithfully,
PHILIP H. COLE,
*Engineer-in-Chief & Gen. Manager, Shanghai Mutual Telephone Co., Ld.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, August 24, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of August 4, on the subject of the proposed use by the Chinese Government Telephone Administration of lines in your cables between Chapei and Nantao, as trunk lines between its exchanges in these districts.

In reply, I am directed to inform you that the Council has no objection to the use of your cables for this purpose, on the condition that you will immediately disconnect the Administration's lines whenever the Council may consider that circumstances require such disconnexion and notify you accordingly.

I shall be obliged, if you will kindly forward an undertaking to this effect.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

P. H. COLE, Esq.,
Engineer-in-Chief & General Manager, Shanghai Mutual Telephone Co., Ld.

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Shanghai, August 25, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—I am obliged by yours of the 24th instant, and would state that it is, of course, understood that should the Council request us in writing to disconnect these lines I will give the necessary instructions for it to be carried out.

Yours faithfully,
PHILIP H. COLE,
*Engineer-in-Chief & Gen. Manager, Shanghai Mutual Telephone Co., Ld.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, September 12, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 17 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 8 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 172 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Municipal Loans 1920.

### 6% Sterling Loan Issued at 100%.

SUBSCRIPTIONS AS ON SEPTEMBER 14, £552,600

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on September 14:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 96,300 | | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | | |
| One ,, | 35,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | | |
| One ,, | 16,300 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | | |
| One ,, | 12,000 | | |
| One ,, | 11,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 526,600 | |
| 274 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 372,800 | |
| 292 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 899,400 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 41 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 62,200 | |
| 43 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 85,200 |
| | | | Total Tls. 984,600 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 31 | Off The Bund | E. D. Sassoon & Co. | | | water closet |
| 536 | Foochow | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | wall |
| 274 | ,, | Ying Chong | | 1 | |
| 23 | Off Yuenmingyuen | Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. | | | water closet |
| 733 | Off North Szechuen | Chun Wei Ping | | | addns. |
| 6002 | Off Chinsha | Tong Wai Kee | | | carpenter's shed |
| E of 460 | Hailar | King Kee | | | 3 foundries |
| 6015 | Off Kwanghsin | The Shanghai Cotton Manufacturing Co., | | | accumulator foundation |
| 2206 | Off B'bling Well | Brandt & Rodgers | | | conservatory & watchman's house |
| 234 | B'bling Well & Myburgh | Stewardson & Spence | | | wall & gates |
| 1605 & 1607 | Off Mokanshan | Liu Yoen Dar | | | factory & wall |
| 3382 | Off Sinza | The China Engineering Corporation | | | addns. |
| N of 4546 | Tonquin | Municipal Electricity Department | | | extension to substation |
| W of 2056 | Off Yates | Wong King Kee | | | 13 carpenter's sheds |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 650 | Hankow & Kwangse | Hang Ho Ching | | | altns. |
| E of 460 | Hailar | King Kee | | | 5 bungalows |
| E of 2290 | Wayside & Paoting | Tsao Ying Chiao | 2 | | 3 bungalows |
| 1605 & 1607 | Off Mokanshan | Liu Yoen Dar | | | 10 bungalows & wall |
| E of 124 | Off Wenchow | Che Shing Kee | 3 | | |

## Public Band.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mon. Sept. | 20 | 5.30 p.m. | Public Garden |
| Tues. ,, | 21 | 5.30 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Wed. ,, | 22 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |
| Thurs. ,, | 23 | 5.30 ,, | ,, ,, |
| Fri. ,, | 24 | 9.00 ,, | Hongkew Recreation Ground |
| Sat. ,, | 25 | 4.30 ,, | Public Recreation Ground |
| ,, ,, | 25 | 9.00 ,, | Public Garden |

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11.

*Police Force.*—Major F. L. Wainwright, M.C., Cadet in the Police Force, is promoted to be 2nd Assistant Commissioner under agreement from September 1.

Long Leave is granted to the following:—

Inspector E. H. Lynch, from October 1.

Sub-Inspector J. Dee, from October 5.

Sergeant H. Schmidt, from October 5.

*Public Works Department.*—Assistant Inspector P. MacManus was permitted to terminate his service on August 31.

Mr. D. E. Harbottle is re-engaged as Clerk-of-Works under an agreement from September 7, terminable at three months' notice.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. C. J. Passikides, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Chinese, is permitted to terminate her service on November 30.

Mrs. A. J. Heald, temporary Music Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, was permitted to terminate her service on August 31.

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Madame G. Zalsman is appointed temporarily as Music Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls from September 8.

*Finance Department.*—Mr. H. E. Middleton, M.B.E., returned from war service, is re-engaged as Assistant from September 1.

**Report of Commissioner of Police for August.**

**Strength of the Force on August 31.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 212 | |
| Japanese | 47 | |
| Sikhs | 692 | |
| Chinese | 1,448 | |
| | | 2,408 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 97 | |
| Followers | 228 | |
| | | 325 |
| | Total | 2,733 |

*Murder.*—About 10 p.m. on August 18 a Chinese was stabbed to death in a room at No. 894 Chekiang Road. The murdered man was identified by his finger-prints as being known to the Police as a member of a gang of loafers, and from enquiries made it would appear that all the persons implicated are bad characters. Two arrests have been made and warrants issued for the arrest of four others, who are all known to the Police, for being concerned in the murder.

The dead body of an unknown Chinese who had been brutally murdered with an axe or chopper was found lying in a cotton field in the country off Ward Road on August 20. One person has been arrested on suspicion of being concerned in the murder and is at present under remand.

*"Sing Song" Girl Murder.*—Two of the perpetrators of the murder of the "sing song" girl Lien Ying, whose dead body was found in a field off Hungjao Road on June 16, have been brought to justice. The Municipal Police issued over twenty thousand circulars giving a description of the instigator of the murder. He was arrested by the Chinese Authorities at Hsuchoufu and handed over to Municipal detectives who brought him to Shanghai on August 8. A further arrest was effected locally on August 10 and after a trial at the Mixed Court the two men were ordered to be handed over to the Court of the Military Governor on August 26.

A peculiar feature of this case was the employment of chloroform to overcome the resistance of the victim. The culprit affirms that he bought a bottle of chloroform at a certain Chinese dispensary and there is no reason to doubt his word, yet enquiries made at the particular shop show no trace of any such transaction in their books. These shops are thus able to sell the most potent poisons without the slightest restriction, without recording into whose hands the poisons are given or for what purpose they will be used. The importance of licensing all chemist's shops in the Settlement is thus once more emphasized.

*Arrest of man wanted for Murder.*—The alleged principal in the murder of a Chinese at No. 2041 Yangtszepoo Road on July 7, 1919 was tried at the Mixed Court on August 6 and discharged.

*Armed Robbery.*—Only one report of alleged armed highway robbery was received during the month. This occurred in the Louza District and there is strong reason to doubt the truth of the report.

One report of highway robbery in which no arms were used was reported in the Sinza District.

*Armed Highway Robbery and Attempted Murder.*—At about 3 p.m. on August 30 a foreigner entered a curio and jade shop No. 1864 Bubbling Well Road, selected jade jewellery to the value of Tls. 5,000 and requested the proprietor to accompany him to his house for payment, and for this purpose, took public rickshas as far as Great Western Road. Having alighted at Tifeng Road corner they were about to enter the garden of a foreign house when the shop master was shot in the neck by the foreigner who immediately decamped with the jewellery. This case presents many unusual features and fullest inquiries are being made.

*Arson.*—A shopkeeper was charged with setting fire to his premises, a tailor's shop, No. 862 Chekiang Road, on August 11 and was sentenced to two years' imprisonment and expulsion. The fire might have been attended with more serious results as five persons were cut off and injured in effecting their escape.

*Stolen Property.*—274 reports of property stolen were made during the month to the Police. In 96 cases investigations were made with successful results. The return shows a decrease of 28 on the previous month and an increase of 23 on the corresponding month of last year.

*Misappropriation of Motor Cars.*—A peculiar case of the appropriation and improper use of a motor car came to the notice of the Police during the month and makes it important that owners of cars should be in a position to check the movements of their chauffeurs and their cars when not in use by them.

On August 4 three Chinese drove out a private-owned motor car at an early hour in the morning. Their object was to teach others to drive that particular make of car. On return they were arrested by the Police and two of the occupants were found to be licensed chauffeurs. The other was being taught by them in order to obtain a licence. It is probable that more of this is going on in Shanghai than actually comes to notice as the demand for chauffeurs is large and they must of necessity obtain cars to learn the art of driving before passing the necessary examination for a licence. The three men were sentenced to various terms of imprisonment.

***Identification Office.***—During the month 593 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 178 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 147 records were received from the French Police out of which number 48 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For Identification | 740 |
| Identified | 226 |
| Percentage | 30 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 11 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 43 |
| Total | 54 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 23.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 347 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 68 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 67 | *Second offenders.* |
| 30 | *Third offenders.* |
| 7 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 74 | *Habitual offenders* (serious). |
| 593 | |

***Return of Convict Labour for August***

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. | Tls. 2,547.14 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 1,269.74 |
| Total | Tls. 1,277.40 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. 1,277.40 |

Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licenses suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.

K. J. McEuen,
*Commissioner of Police.*

**RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.**

1.—*Offences against the person:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Assault | 4 |
| Sodomy | 1 |

2.—*Offences Against Property:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Larceny | 2 |
| Receiving stolen property | 1 |

3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:—*

*Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dogs | 27 |
| Ice Cream | 1 |
| Motor Cars | 8 |
| Sunshades | 6 |

*Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Arms | 1 |
| Prostitutes | 1 |
| Attempted extortion | 1 |
| Disorderly conduct | 4 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 13 |
| Riding a bicycle after sunset without a light | 2 |
| Vagrancy | 1 |
| Total | 73 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,542 | 1,542 |
| Others | 40 | 1,006 | 1,046 |
| Total | 40 | 2,548 | 2,588 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cautioned | 6 |
| Dismissed | 3 |
| Expulsion or deporation | 1 |
| Fined | 47 |
| Imprisonment | 7 |
| " and expulsion | 1 |
| Remanded | 7 |
| Handed over to American Naval Authorities | 1 |
| Total | 73 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY

on August 31.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 13 |
| Hongkew Station | 14 |
| Harbin Road Station | 4 |
| West Hongkew Station | 4 |
| Wayside Station | 2 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 3 |
| Sinza Station | 22 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 6 |
| Gaol | 1,629 |
| Reformatory | 53 |
| Total | 1,750 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 728 | 312 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 728 | 312 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN

July 31 and August 27.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 30,271.90 |
| Recovered | 17,770.45 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 31/7/20 | 30 | 331 |
| Captured | 301 | |
| Returned | 52 | 331 |
| Killed | 226 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 7 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 46 | |

## Report of the Commissioner of Public Works for August.

As an indication of the extent to which roads outside the Settlement are utilized, a traffic census was taken on Hungjao Road, just west of Siccawei Road, on Saturday and Sunday, August 7 and 8.

The following is an abstract of the returns:—

| | Saturday, 7th 24 hours | Sunday, 8th 24 hours |
|---|---|---|
| Pedestrians | 1,000 | 926 |
| Motor cars | 300 | 504 |
| Bicycles & Motor cycles | 127 | 122 |
| Ponies | 31 | 57 |
| Wheelbarrows | 74 | 90 |

The maximum number of motor cars in any one hour was 67 on the Saturday, and 66 on the Sunday.

The weather was fine on both days.

A census was also taken of the visitors to the various Parks and Open Spaces on Saturday and Sunday, the 21st and 22nd instants, with the following results:—

| | Saturday, 21st | Sunday, 22nd |
|---|---|---|
| Public Garden | 4,018 | 4,360 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 1,313 | 1,469 |
| Bund Foreshore | 1,788 | 1,502 |
| Jessfield Park | 1,650 | 2,135 |
| Quinsan Square | 2,150 | 2,299 |
| Wayside Park | 237 | 298 |
| Bubbling Well Carriage Turn | 1,048 | 813 |
| Brenan Piece | 424 | 514 |
| Total | 12,628 | 13,390 |

To show the changing nature of Shanghai traffic, the following comparison is interesting:—

Census of traffic passing the corner of Nanking and Kiangse Roads for 12 hours, from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. in 1909, 1916, and 1920, including traffic going East and West, and North and South.

| | April 7, 1909 | March 23, 1916 | August 27, 1920 |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pedestrians | Not taken | 35,588 | 40,645 |
| Motor cars | 299 | 1,610 | 3,124 |
| Ricshas | 16,460 | 20,441 | 18,189 |
| Carriages | 1,587 | 1,754 | 765 |
| Tramcars | 490 | 640 | 302 |
| Tramcars with trailers | — | — | 495 |
| Wheelbarrows | 513 | 1,785 | 923 |
| Handcarts | 95 | 341 | 448 |
| Bicycles | 859 | Not taken | 1,033 |
| Motor cycles | Not taken | do. | 161 |
| Motor trucks | do. | do. | 102 |

It is estimated that 151,744 persons passed this corner during the 24 hours from 6 a.m. on August 27 to 6 a.m. on August 28, 1920, as pedestrians, ricshamen, wheelbarrow men, drivers and passengers on the various types of vehicles. This figure is based on an actual census, averages, being taken for the passengers on motor-cars, trams, etc.

The number of motor cars passing between 2 and 3 p.m. was 318.

*Roads.*—Consequent upon the rebuilding of the property, an extensive widening has been effected in Avenue Edward VII, between Yunnan Road and Thibet Road, and the series of islands in the centre of Avenue Edward VII is being completed.

The ballasting and metalling of Tongshan Road, between Singkeipang Road and Dent Road has been completed for half the width of the road.

Asphaltic concrete has been laid in Kiangse Road from Nanking Road to Kiukiang Road, and also South of Canton Road, Kiukiang Road from Honan Road to Kiangse Road, and Siking Road.

The surface treatment of roads with asphaltum is practically complete, all the more important roads having been dealt with.

*Drainage.*—The existing sewer in Hankow Road, between Honan and Kiangse Roads has been removed, as it was too small, and was in a defective condition. It has been replaced by a 1′ 6″ × 1′ sewer.

*Bunding.*—A length of 650 feet of concrete bunding is being constructed along the Soochow Creek, East of Tatung Road, the work being carried out departmentally. A length of 100 feet has been completed to date.

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

*Administration Building.*—Satisfactory progress has been made with the internal joinery work, blind fittings, staining and polishing of woodwork, etc. The heating apparatus is also making steady progress. A waterproofing cover of malthoid has been laid over the whole roof.

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—The centering is now being removed from the concrete roof so that internal partition work can be started. This has already been completed on the lower floors, and the plaster work nearly finished. Work has been started on the heating, and cold water systems, and on the iron stairway to tower.

*Louza Police Station Extension.*—A start on this work has been made.

ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

*Administration Building Substation.*—The roof has been completed, and the building is now ready for the installation of the machinery.

*Tonquin Road Substation.*—Fresh alterations for the accommodation of switch gear are under consideration. Cable trenches are being constructed at the south end of the building, and work has been commenced on the new battery house on the east side.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—1,331 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month. The average number of coolies employed was 184.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected cartloads | 4,769 |
| Ashes " | 496 |
| Used for raising land | 498 |
| Water used for street watering | 8,435,200 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 3,315 |
| Artisans | 352 |
| Foremen | 234 |
| Mafoos | 161 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 5,572 pieces |
| Machine made | 4,030 " |
| Total | 9,602 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 28 admissions during the month and 66 bundles of wood chopped.

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 69 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates issued | 48 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 22 |
| New lots put under taxation | 12 |
| Assessed value of the land placed under taxation | Tls. 8,996 |
| Official plans prepared | 41 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow surveyed | 50 |
| Re-survey of Settlement, mow plotted | 100 |
| Surveys made in connexion with road widenings and/or extensions | 51 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 69 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Northern District | 2 |
| Eastern ,, | 22 |
| Western ,, | 39 |
| Outside Limits | 8 |

*New Buildings.*

| | |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 375 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 1[illegible]0 |
| Plans approved | 83 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 3,280 |
| Boundary walls erected | 456 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadway | 9 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 93 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 1 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 29 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 68 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by P.W.D. | 1 |
| First intimation notices issued | 1 |

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

**Summary of Revenue for August.**

| Description | Estimate for 1920 | 1920 Number | 1920 Amount | 1920 Total from January 1 | 1919 Number | 1919 Amount | 1919 Total from January 1 | 1918 Number | 1918 Amount | 1918 Total from January 1 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,055,000 | — | 174,726.53 | 810,399.31 | — | 146,96[illegible].92 | [illegible]74,073.26 | — | 70,775.11 | 747,141.49 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 861,000 | — | 104,682.60 | 6[illegible]8,469.36 | — | 11,863.63 | 5[illegible]3,479.25 | — | 69,181.79 | 461,996.24 |
| Chinese | 285,000 | — | 94,172.0[illegible] | 901,587.76 | — | 79,22[illegible].6[illegible] | 604,523.48 | — | 80,927.79 | 699,814.48 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | 29.70 | 1,444.83 | — | 1[illegible].20 | 1,302.00 | — | — | 1,283.40 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 350,000 | — | — | 174,244.37 | — | — | 110,335.46 | — | — | 91,870.55 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | 2 | 180.00 | 11,898.50 | 6 | 389.50 | 11,683.50 | 4 | 281.70 | 12,461.70 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 25,000 | 4 | 20[illegible].00 | 19,925.[illegible]0 | 3 | 175.00 | 18,262.50 | 2 | 100.00 | 17,5[illegible]5.00 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 600 | — | — | 456.0[illegible] | — | — | 424.00 | 1 | 3.[illegible]0 | 299.00 |
| Eating House | 10,000 | 502 | 1,340.24 | 7,266.64 | 26 | 2[illegible]9.82 | 6,783.37 | 476 | 1,201.75 | 6,556.15 |
| Chinese Club | 5,100 | 7 | 175.00 | 3,6[illegible]0.05 | 5 | 104.20 | 3,820.90 | 2 | 50.00 | 2,991.70 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13,000 | 13 | 287.00 | 8,696.70 | 1 | 20.00 | 9,045.50 | 1 | 7.00 | 9,480.00 |
| Foreign Lodging-house | — | 29 | 31.44 | 1[illegible]0.97 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36,000 | 630 | 3,765.20 | 20,446.60 | 11 | 70.50 | 26,525.00 | 734 | 5,780.90 | 26,751.60 |
| Tea-shop | 17,000 | 622 | 1,325.50 | 10,778.[illegible]0 | 645 | 1,369.00 | 11,113.00 | 663 | 1,342.50 | 10,617.50 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 7,000 | 202 | 1,446.58 | 5,299.27 | 10 | 47.23 | 5,174.54 | 36 | 237.49 | 4,676.84 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,500 | 16 | 591.00 | 4,426.50 | 12 | 495.00 | 3,898.00 | 11 | 412.50 | 2,752.50 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 21 | 769.00 | 5,982.00 | 19 | 729.00 | 5,672.0[illegible] | 15 | 615.00 | 5,125.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 3,200 | 19 | 275.00 | 1,874.0[illegible] | 14 | 294.00 | 2,098.00 | 14 | 220.00 | 1,486.00 |
| Brothel | — | 1,093 | 789.67 | 1,251.71 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 33,000 | — | — | 15,598.[illegible]0 | — | — | 15,982.77 | — | — | 15,601.21 |
| Exchange Shop | 9,000 | 432 | 1,011.00 | 4,413.75 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tobacco Shop | 15,0[illegible]0 | 790 | 1,771.50 | 7,808.75 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,7[illegible]0 | 894 | 535.26 | 4,230.16 | 834 | 527.48 | 4,217.77 | 757 | 486.40 | 4,149.42 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,200 | 64 | 92.54 | 742.16 | 62 | 90.02 | 744.70 | 63 | 91.10 | 754.58 |
| Launch | 3,500 | 27 | 55.00 | 2,926.00 | 26 | 52.00 | 2,611.00 | 24 | 48.00 | 2,3[illegible]5.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,660 | 392.39 | 3,089.29 | 1,802 | 429.91 | 2,916.21 | 1,524 | 357.67 | 2,741.53 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 97 | [illegible]0.08 | 677.50 | 64 | 46.40 | 609.68 | 55 | 39.57 | 593.91 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 10,000 | P. 14, C. 13 | 45.22 | 7,382.94 | P. 16, C. 14 | 56.01 | 7,822.88 | P. 35, C. 23 | 101.89 | 8,547.84 |
| Livery Stable | 11,000 | P. 316, C. 294 | 1,078.71 | 7,942.90 | P. 401, C. 249 | 1,012.86 | 8,333.63 | P. 410, C. 259 | 1,041.13 | 8,057.34 |
| Motor Vehicles | 70,000 | V. 174, D. 435 | 1,645.73 | 55,169.15 | 139 | 2,198.93 | 36,570.07 | 83 | 606.78 | 28,929.58 |
| Cart | 37,000 | 2,348 | 3,257.50 | 27,786.00 | 2,046 | 2,918.00 | 23,797.00 | 1,842 | 2,474.00 | 20,998.00 |
| Private Ricsha | 70,000 | 199 | 402.55 | 51,850.97 | 494 | 905.94 | 42,239.20 | 420 | 816.45 | 38,935.72 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,562.60 | 93,071.45 | 8,000 | 11,618.00 | 92,869.90 | 8,000 | 11,489.10 | 92,166.02 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 3 | 5.42 | 71.75 | 3 | 7.62 | 91.07 | 3 | 8.65 | 100.37 |
| Wheel-barrow | 53,000 | 8,372 | 4,187.[illegible]4 | 36,424.86 | 8,065 | 4,037.04 | 33,209.56 | 8,231 | 4,119.75 | 32,319.92 |
| Firearms | 500 | 1 | 10.[illegible]0 | 190.00 | — | — | 150.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 225.00 |
| Dog | 8,000 | 211 | 761.73 | 6,549.41 | 259 | 940.40 | 5,373.45 | 144 | 207.77 | 3,224.50 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 118,840 | 6,598 | 10,324.91 | 77,497.19 | 6,171 | 9,675.10 | 73,239.44 | 6,180 | 9,605.73 | 71,353.78 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | — | 1,130.00 | — | — | 410.00 | — | — | 390.00 |
| Firemen's Quarters | — | — | — | — | — | — | 805.50 | — | 291.00 | 1,662.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 6,000 | — | 413.71 | 3,255.26 | — | 315.00 | 3,492.58 | — | 415.00 | 3,570.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 31[illegible].72 | 1,439.04 | — | 313.43 | 1,473.82 | — | 45.28 | 1,198.57 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 26,300 | — | — | 27,522.86 | — | 187.50 | 26,003.60 | — | — | 32,362.34 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | — | 500.00 | — | — | 500.00 | — | — | 500.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co., Ld. | 7,330 | — | — | 7,331.[illegible]0 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 7,331.50 |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 62,000 | — | — | 31,577.99 | — | — | 26,759.81 | — | — | 22,947.40 |
| Electricity Department | 309,000 | — | — | 309,000.00 | — | — | 242,000.00 | — | — | 364,000.00 |
| Convict Labour | 7,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concreteware Manufactory | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 8,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,742,870 | | 422,720.61 | 3,383,367.35 | | 377,317.31 | 2,767,768.90 | | 363,456.80 | 2,867,864.68 |

F. A. SAMPSON, *Acting Commissioner of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 機關各項本局承攬各種物品有權全份或一部份承攬者本局有自由決定之後方准承攬目的是在極力保護本局利益

二 所有行市估價必須用密封信函投交本局辦理如有不承認辦理者本局亦有權取消其承攬資格

三 揀選承攬人之後該承攬人須繳保證金方准簽訂合同

四 所有各人之信函及電報須寄交本局公認之人收啓

五 本局有權取消其承攬資格

六 所有承攬人之姓名及其所承攬之物品或工程須明白寫出其所承攬之物品或工程如有仍須繳納保證金方准簽訂合同

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2702.**
**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**
**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2715.**
**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**
**Amount £750,000.**
**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for Bearer Debentures (with coupons attached) in the 6 per cent. Sterling Loan of 1920, which is issued on the following terms:—

(1) Debentures to Bearer, with Sterling interest coupons attached, will be issued at £100 per cent. in denominations of £1,000, £500, £100 and £50.

(2) The Debentures of this issue will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year by sterling demand draft on London at par or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative coupon. The first payment of interest will be made on December 31, 1920.

(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

The cost of all telegrams involved through payment by Sterling T.T. shall be paid by the applicant.

Payment will be acknowledged by Banker's Receipt pending issue of the Debentures.

In the event of any applicant not being allotted the full amount applied for, the amount over-applied for will be repaid in full, plus interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date payment was received in Shanghai or London to the due date of repayment in Shanghai, as notified to the applicant by special notice from the Council.

(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, No. 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 29, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2745.**
**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL 6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**
**Amount £750,000.**
**Price of Issue £100 per cent.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan, particulars of which are contained in Municipal Notification No. 2715, will remain open until September 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the list on any day prior to that date.

The first payment of interest on subscriptions received on or after September 1, 1920, will be made on June 30, 1921.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 26, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2744.**
**TRAFFIC REGULATION.**

TO facilitate the control of traffic in the Nanking Road, the following additional regulation will come into force from September 1, viz:—

In the section of the Bubbling Well and Nanking Roads between Mohawk Road and the Bund, no motor vehicle shall pass another in motion, proceeding in the same direction.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 26, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2751.**
**BUND FORESHORE.**

WITH a view to dispelling certain doubts that appear to exist in the minds of Bund frontage lot owners and the general public, it is hereby notified that the Council's policy in regard to the Bund Foreshore is to preserve and improve it for the uses to which it is at present put or for such like uses as will not impair or be to the detriment of public rights and the rights of the lot owners concerned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 23, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2747.**
**CLOSE SEASON FOR GAME.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the close season for pheasants, deer, hare and partridges will expire on September 30.

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The sale of hen pheasants and of pheasants denuded of their feathers, is prohibited.

No prohibition attaches to the sale of snipe, quail, woodcock, and wild fowl.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 23, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2748.
### "OFFICE HOURS"

THE public is hereby notified that from October 1, the official office hours in all Departments of the Council's Service, will be from 9 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon, and from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 23, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2749.
### LOSS OF DEBENTURE CERTIFICATES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the debenture certificates hereunder specified have been declared to be lost and the public is warned against their negotiation.

Application has been made for the issue of duplicate certificates, and should no objection be lodged with the Municipal Treasurer and Comptroller within 30 days from date hereof, the application will be complied with and the original certificates will be treated as cancelled.

| Loan | Distinctive Numbers | Value of each Debenture Tls. | Total Value Tls. | Registered in the name of |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1915 | 3009/3018 | 100 | 1,000 | Mrs. Margaret Anne Hill |
| 1916 | 14869/14871 | 1,000 | 3,000 | William Hill |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 23, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2750.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Monday, September 27, 1920.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 23, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, September 22, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent:*

Messrs. M. Benjamin
D. Goh
E. F. Mackay

The meeting adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

### Salaries Commission.

The resignation of Lieut. Col. Hayley Bell, D.S.O., as a member of the Salaries Commission has been accepted with regret.

### Census.

Letter to the French Municipal Council, with reply:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 7, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that the Council has approved the following dates for the Quinquennial Census to be taken this year.

*Distribution of Forms.*—Monday, October 11.

*Taking of the Census.*—Saturday, October 16.

*Collection of Forms.*—Monday, October 18.

The Council hopes that these dates will prove convenient to the French Council, so that the Census may thus proceed simultaneously in both settlements, as on the last occasion.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

MONS. P. LEGENDRE,
Secretary, French Municipal Council.

*Translation of letter from the French Municipal Council dated September 15, 1920.*

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Council has approved the dates fixed in your letter of September 7 for the quinquennial census, and that the necessary instructions have been given in order that the requisite measures shall be carried out in the French Settlement at the same time as in the International Settlement.

I am, Sir, etc.,
P. LEGENDRE,
*Secretary.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

### Educational Department.

*Public Schools for Chinese.*—The Headmasters report the following entries for the winter term:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Public School for Chinese | 433 |
| Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese | 370 |
| Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese | 166 |
| Polytechnic Public School for Chinese | 152 |

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18.

*Fire Brigade.*—Mr. G. Furlan is appointed Motor Mechanic on probation from July 9.

*Police Force.*—The following are discharged, invalided from September 13:—

Havildar No. 354, Kunda Singh.
Sikh Constable No. 110, Sham Singh.
Sikh Constable No. 369, Mangal Singh.
Warder No. 79, Ali Gul.

*Health Department.*—Miss E. A. Shaw is appointed Nurse under an agreement from September 13, terminable at three months' notice.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. J. Dumont, Assistant Land Surveyor, is permitted to terminate his service on October 15.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. N. Bowey, Showroom Engineer, resigned his position on August 31.

Mr. A. C. Chalmers, Clerical Assistant, is permitted to terminate his service on November 30.

Miss A. M. Guttierez, Stenographer and Typist, is permitted to terminate her service on September 30.

The service of Mr. C. G. F. Lloyd, probationary Junior Clerk in the Distribution Department, terminated on September 15.

*Public Band.*—The temporary service of Musician A. Letvin will terminate on September 30.

*Educational Department.*—Long leave has been granted to Mr. A. F. T. Holland, Acting Headmaster in the Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese from November 6.

*Revenue Department.* — Six months' sick leave has been granted to Mr. A. J. Hadley, Clerical Assistant, from September 21, with permission to terminate his service on January 24, 1921, the date of expiry of his agreement.

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 140 | Peking | Mafel & Co. | | | addns. & altns. |
| 489 | Haining & Cunningham | Brandt & Rodgers | | | wall |
| 628 | Off North Szechuen | C. Bianchi | | | latrine |
| 2255 | Off Baikal | Dong Chi Kee | 2 | | |
| 2277 | Dalny | A. Lafuente | | | go-down |
| W of 1410 | Off East Yu-hang | Chun Wei Ping | | | foundry |
| 2654 | Off Ping-liang | Nign Yue Down | 1 | | |
| 7293 | Off Seoul | The Nan Yang Construction Co. | | | shed |
| 7293 | " | " | | | go-down |
| E of 379 | Off Urga | H. M. Cumine | | | workshop |
| 2446 | Off Yang-tszepoo | The New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works, Ld. | | | pump house |
| 12 | Off B'bling Well | H. S. Honigsberg & Co. | | | addns. |
| S of 6130 | Off Kiao-chow | Zee Yun Kee | | | 3 sheds |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| E of 5760 | Off Penang | Wo Shing Kee | | | 5 bungalows |
| W of 1410 | Off East Yu-hang | Chun Wei Ping | | | 3 bungalows |
| W of 5014 | Off Ferry | Naigai Wata Kaisha | 15 | | |
| 4422 | Penang | Zee Heng Tai | | | 28 bungalows |

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## Municipal Loans 1920.

### 6% Sterling Loan Issued at 100%.

SUBSCRIPTIONS AS ON SEPTEMBER 21, £652,850

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on September 21:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **FOREIGN INVESTORS.** | | | |
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 96,300 | | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | | |
| One ,, | 35,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | | |
| Shanghai Silk Spinning Co., Ld. | 16,300 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | | |
| One ,, | 12,000 | | |
| One ,, | 11,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 526,600 | |
| 275 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 373,800 | |
| 293 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 900,400 |
| **CHINESE INVESTORS.** | | | |
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 41 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 62,200 | |
| 43 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 85,200 |
| | | | Total Tls. 985,600 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

## Public Band.

During the month of October the Public performances of the Band will be discontinued as in previous years.

The public performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows:—

Mon. Sept. 27 5.30 p.m. Public Garden
Tues. ,, 28 5.30 ,, Hongkew Recreation Ground
Wed. ,, 29 5.30 ,, Public Garden
Thurs. ,, 30 5.30 ,, ,, ,,

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, September 19, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 20 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 8 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 167 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Land Assessment.

The following are the values placed on lots in the Western District, by Messrs. Halse and Sparke, as a basis for taxation. The usual notices to lot-owners are being distributed, allowing for protests within 30 days:—

| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. |
| 1 | 28,000 | 93 | 11,000 |
| 6 | 24,000 | 94 | 11,000 |
| 10 | 22,000 | 95 | 11,000 |
| 12 | 22,000 | 96 | 7,000 |
| 15 | 24,000 | 97 | 9,000 |
| 20 | 13,000 | 98 | 7,000 |
| 21 | 10,500 | 99 | 12,000 |
| 22 | 11,000 | 100 | 8,500 |
| 30 | 12,000 | 101 | 9,000 |
| 32 | 13,000 | 102 | 8,000 |
| 34 | 10,000 | 103 | 11,000 |
| 35 | 12,000 | 104 | 13,000 |
| 45 | 9,000 | 105 | 12,000 |
| 49 | 9,000 | 106 | 12,000 |
| 51 | 16,000 | 107 | 12,000 |
| 55 | 9,500 | 109 | 9,000 |
| 57 | 9,500 | 111 | 11,000 |
| 58 | 9,500 | 112 | 12,000 |
| 60 | 17,000 | 114 | 13,000 |
| 71 | 17,000 | 115 | 12,000 |
| 73 | 14,000 | 117 | 11,000 |
| 76 | 14,500 | 122 | 7,000 |
| 77 | 14,500 | 124 | 8,000 |
| 78 | 12,500 | 125 | 7,000 |
| 79 | 11,000 | 126 | 9,000 |
| 80 | 10,000 | 127 | 7,000 |
| 81 | 10,000 | 128 | 7,000 |
| 82 | 10,000 | 129 | 9,000 |
| 83 | 11,000 | 130 | 7,000 |
| 85 | 12,000 | 131 | 9,500 |
| 87 | 11,000 | 132 | 9,000 |
| 88 | 9,000 | 136 | 7,000 |
| 89 | 9,000 | 137 | 7,000 |
| 90 | 10,000 | 139 | 10,000 |
| 92 | 10,000 | 140 | 10,000 |
| 142 | 8,500 | 371 | 12,000 |
| 143 | 8,000 | 375 | 12,000 |
| 148 | 7,000 | 377 | 9,000 |
| 149 | 7,000 | 381 | 9,000 |
| 150 | 7,000 | 382 | 9,000 |
| 151 | 7,000 | 383 | 12,000 |
| 152 | 6,500 | 384 | 9,000 |
| 153 | 6,500 | 385 | 11,000 |
| 155 | 10,000 | 386 | 10,000 |
| 158 | 10,000 | 387 | 11,000 |
| 159 | 10,000 | 388 | 11,000 |
| 162 | 9,000 | 390 | 9,000 |
| 164 | 11,500 | 392 | 8,000 |
| 166 | 9,000 | 393 | 9,000 |
| 170 | 9,000 | 394 | 10,000 |
| 171 | 12,500 | 396 | 9,000 |
| 173 | 7,000 | 397 | 10,000 |
| 175 | 7,000 | 400 | 12,500 |
| 176 | 6,500 | 402 | 10,000 |
| 177 | 10,000 | 404 | 9,000 |
| 178 | 10,000 | 406 | 10,000 |
| 180 | 13,000 | 407 | 8,500 |
| 185 | 14,000 | 412 | 10,000 |
| 190 | 12,000 | 416 | 9,000 |
| 195 | 13,000 | 417 | 9,000 |
| 201 | 20,000 | 418 | 9,000 |
| 205 | 16,000 | 420 | 10,000 |
| 210 | 11,000 | 438 | 6,500 |
| 211 | 10,000 | 439 | 6,500 |
| 220 | 7,000 | 440 | 10,000 |
| 231 | 17,000 | 442 | 11,000 |
| 234 | 15,000 | 451 | 8,500 |
| 235 | 9,000 | 452 | 8,500 |
| 236 | 8,500 | 454 | 11,500 |
| 237 | 10,000 | 456 | 11,000 |
| 238 | 11,500 | 458 | 7,500 |
| 241 | 12,000 | 460 | 7,300 |
| 242 | 12,000 | 461 | 7,500 |
| 260 | 7,000 | 462 | 7,000 |
| 261 | 8,000 | 477 | 7,000 |
| 265 | 7,000 | 478 | 7,000 |
| 281 | 7,000 | 479 | 7,000 |
| 291 | 7,000 | 480 | 9,000 |
| 294 | 10,000 | 481 | 10,000 |
| 295 | 7,000 | 483 | 10,000 |
| 298 | 7,000 | 484 | 10,500 |
| 300 | 9,000 | 491 | 9,000 |
| 308 | 12,000 | 492 | 9,000 |
| 317 | 7,000 | 493 | 10,500 |
| 318 | 7,000 | 495 | 10,000 |
| 320 | 7,000 | 497 | 10,000 |
| 321 | 7,000 | 499 | 11,000 |
| 324 | 11,000 | 502 | 9,000 |
| 325 | 11,000 | 505 | 10,500 |
| 326 | 7,000 | 506 | 7,000 |
| 329 | 7,000 | 507 | 7,500 |
| 330 | 11,000 | 510 | 10,000 |
| 331 | 7,000 | 512 | 7,000 |
| 332 | 7,000 | 515 | 8,500 |
| 336 | 8,000 | 520 | 9,000 |
| 338 | 11,500 | 525 | 8,500 |
| 341 | 10,000 | 526 | 8,000 |
| 342 | 9,000 | 527 | 5,000 |
| 343 | 7,000 | 528 | 6,000 |
| 344 | 9,000 | 529 | 6,500 |
| 345 | 8,500 | 530 | 7,000 |
| 346 | 7,000 | 531 | 10,000 |
| 347 | 9,000 | 538 | 5,700 |
| 351 | 8,500 | 542 | 6,000 |
| 353 | 10,000 | 543 | 6,000 |
| 360 | 10,000 | 546 | 6,000 |
| 361 | 6,500 | 547 | 5,300 |
| 362 | 6,500 | 548 | 6,000 |
| 368 | 12,000 | 554 | 6,000 |
| 369 | 12,000 | 558 | 7,000 |
| 370 | 10,000 | 561 | 6,000 |

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| Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow | Cad. No. of Lot | Value per mow |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| 562 | 6,500 | 710 | 6,000 | 973 | 4,500 | 1165 | 5,000 | 1400 | 8,000 | 1649 | 7,500 |
| 563 | 7,000 | 713 | 6,000 | 974 | 6,500 | 1166 | 5,000 | 1405 | 8,000 | 1655 | 4,500 |
| 564 | 5,500 | 720 | 5,500 | 976 | 6,000 | 1167 | 4,500 | 1406 | 8,000 | 1656 | 4,500 |
| 567 | 5,500 | 721 | 5,500 | 977 | 6,500 | 1171 | 6,300 | 1407 | 7,000 | 1669 | 4,000 |
| 570 | 5,500 | 725 | 7,000 | 978 | 4,500 | 1173 | 6,500 | 1408 | 9,000 | 1670 | 4,000 |
| 572 | 6,000 | 731 | 6,000 | 980 | 5,000 | 1174 | 6,000 | 1409 | 7,000 | 1672 | 4,000 |
| 581 | 9,500 | 740 | 6,000 | 981 | 5,000 | 1175 | 7,500 | 1420 | 7,500 | 1674 | 4,000 |
| 582 | 9,000 | 741 | 6,000 | 982 | 4,500 | 1179 | 4,500 | 1425 | 8,500 | 1675 | 4,000 |
| 583 | 6,500 | 742 | 5,000 | 985 | 4,500 | 1180 | 8,000 | 1435 | 6,500 | 1676 | 4,000 |
| 584 | 9,000 | 743 | 5,000 | 986 | 4,500 | 1181 | 8,000 | 1442 | 7,000 | 1678 | 7,000 |
| 591 | 6,500 | 745 | 5,500 | 996 | 6,000 | 1182 | 4,500 | 1443 | 7,000 | 1679 | 5,500 |
| 592 | 6,500 | 750 | 5,500 | 997 | 7,000 | 1185 | 8,000 | 1444 | 6,500 | 1680 | 4,500 |
| 594 | 5,500 | 752 | 5,700 | 998 | 7,000 | 1201 | 4,500 | 1445 | 7,000 | 1681 | 7,000 |
| 595 | 9,000 | 753 | 6,000 | 1000 | 8,000 | 1205 | 5,000 | 1446 | 7,000 | 1684 | 7,000 |
| 956 | 9,000 | 757 | 5,000 | 1001 | 7,700 | 1207 | 8,000 | 1448 | 7,000 | 1685 | 6,000 |
| 597 | 9,000 | 758 | 4,000 | 1021 | 6,500 | 1208 | 7,500 | 1449 | 8,000 | 1687 | 7,500 |
| 598 | 16,000 | 764 | 6,000 | 1025 | 8,500 | 1209 | 4,500 | 1450 | 7,000 | 1688 | 6,000 |
| 599 | 6,000 | 765 | 15,000 | 1027 | 6,500 | 1210 | 8,500 | 1451 | 7,000 | 1689 | 7,500 |
| 600 | 9,000 | 767 | 6,000 | 1032 | 4,500 | 1211 | 9,000 | 1452 | 7,000 | 1690 | 7,000 |
| 601 | 9,000 | 770 | 8,000 | 1033 | 5,000 | 1214 | 4,500 | 1453 | 6,000 | 1695 | 6,500 |
| 603 | 9,000 | 781 | 5,500 | 1035 | 5,000 | 1215 | 4,500 | 1454 | 6,000 | 1697 | 6,500 |
| 605 | 7,000 | 791 | 5,000 | 1036 | 5,000 | 1230 | 7,000 | 1455 | 8,000 | 1698 | 6,500 |
| 607 | 10,000 | 794 | 5,500 | 1037 | 5,000 | 1231 | 8,500 | 1456 | 5,300 | 1699 | 3,500 |
| 610 | 6,500 | 795 | 5,000 | 1038 | 5,000 | 1232 | 8,500 | 1457 | 12,000 | 1700 | 5,500 |
| 612 | 6,500 | 801 | 5,700 | 1040 | 6,500 | 1233 | 10,000 | 1458 | 9,000 | 1703 | 3,500 |
| 613 | 8,000 | 802 | 5,700 | 1043 | 6,000 | 1234 | 9,500 | 1475 | 16,000 | 1707 | 3,500 |
| 615 | 10,000 | 805 | 5,700 | 1044 | 6,000 | 1235 | 8,300 | 1478 | 12,000 | 1708 | 4,000 |
| 616 | 7,000 | 806 | 5,500 | 1046 | 6,000 | 1240 | 9,000 | 1479 | 6,000 | 1711 | 3,500 |
| 617 | 9,000 | 807 | 5,500 | 1050 | 6,000 | 1241 | 9,000 | 1480 | 12,000 | 1712 | 5,000 |
| 618 | 8,500 | 808 | 6,000 | 1051 | 6,000 | 1246 | 8,500 | 1481 | 6,000 | 1714 | 4,000 |
| 620 | 8,500 | 809 | 6,000 | 1052 | 6,000 | 1252 | 7,000 | 1482 | 6,000 | 1716 | 3,500 |
| 621 | 8,500 | 810 | 4,000 | 1057 | 4,700 | 1253 | 7,000 | 1483 | 6,000 | 1718 | 5,000 |
| 623 | 10,000 | 862 | 5,000 | 1070 | 4,300 | 1254 | 7,000 | 1484 | 7,500 | 1719 | 4,500 |
| 624 | 7,000 | 866 | 6,000 | 1073 | 4,300 | 1260 | 9,000 | 1485 | 6,000 | 1720 | 4,500 |
| 625 | 9,500 | 870 | 6,500 | 1076 | 4,500 | 1265 | 11,000 | 1486 | 7,500 | 1724 | 5,000 |
| 627 | 9,000 | 875 | 5,000 | 1084 | 4,300 | 1270 | 9,000 | 1487 | 7,500 | 1725 | 5,000 |
| 628 | 7,000 | 880 | 7,500 | 1085 | 4,500 | 1274 | 7,000 | 1490 | 7,500 | 1739 | 4,500 |
| 629 | 7,000 | 885 | 7,300 | 1086 | 4,500 | 1287 | 7,000 | 1495 | 10,000 | 1740 | 4,500 |
| 631 | 7,000 | 890 | 7,700 | 1088 | 12,000 | 1289 | 9,500 | 1498 | 10,000 | 1741 | 5,500 |
| 633 | 7,500 | 895 | 9,000 | 1089 | 12,000 | 1291 | 9,000 | 1499 | 9,000 | 1743 | 5,500 |
| 634 | 9,000 | 900 | 8,000 | 1090 | 10,000 | 1297 | 9,000 | 1500 | 9,000 | 1744 | 7,000 |
| 635 | 9,000 | 903 | 4,300 | 1092 | 9,500 | 1298 | 11,000 | 1501 | 9,000 | 1745 | 4,000 |
| 644 | 16,000 | 904 | 4,000 | 1095 | 6,000 | 1299 | 14,000 | 1502 | 6,500 | 1747 | 5,000 |
| 645 | 9,000 | 905 | 7,700 | 1100 | 6,000 | 1300 | 30,000 | 1504 | 7,500 | 1752 | 6,500 |
| 647 | 8,000 | 906 | 4,000 | 1101 | 6,500 | 1309 | 14,000 | 1505 | 7,500 | 1755 | 6,000 |
| 650 | 7,000 | 907 | 4,000 | 1102 | 6,500 | 1310 | 12,000 | 1516 | 7,000 | 1756 | 3,500 |
| 652 | 7,000 | 910 | 4,000 | 1105 | 6,000 | 1320 | 15,000 | 1517 | 6,000 | 1757 | 7,000 |
| 655 | 12,500 | 911 | 6,000 | 1107 | 6,000 | 1325 | 14,000 | 1527 | 9,000 | 1758 | 6,500 |
| 658 | 14,000 | 912 | 4,000 | 1108 | 6,500 | 1330 | 12,000 | 1528 | 10,000 | 1759 | 6,500 |
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| 5655 | 800 | 6113 | 600 |
| 5657 | 1,000 | 6118 | 1,000 |
| 5659 | 1,000 | 6120 | 1,000 |
| 5660 | 1,500 | 6121 | 1,000 |
| 5661 | 1,100 | 6122 | 1,000 |
| 5670 | 1,100 | 6123 | 1,000 |
| 5738 | 900 | 6124 | 1,500 |
| 5740 | 600 | 6125 | 1,100 |
| 5760 | 1,000 | 6126 | 1,000 |
| 5761 | 1,000 | 6127 | 1,000 |
| 5765 | 1,000 | 6128 | 2,000 |
| 5769 | 1,100 | 6129 | 1,400 |
| 5778 | 600 | 6130 | 1,400 |
| 5779 | 600 | 6131 | 1,000 |
| 5781 | 600 | 6135 | 1,100 |
| 5782 | 600 | 6139 | 1,400 |
| 5784 | 600 | 6140 | 2,000 |
| 5785 | 900 | 6141 | 2,200 |
| 5790 | 1,000 | 6149 | 1,900 |
| 5800 | 900 | 6150 | 1,900 |
| 5816 | 900 | 6161 | 700 |
| 5818 | 800 | 6165 | 700 |
| 5819 | 1,000 | 6170 | 1,800 |
| 5820 | 900 | 6171 | 1,800 |
| 5840 | 1,000 | 6180 | 1,800 |
| 5850 | 1,100 | 6181 | 2,000 |
| 5855 | 1,100 | 6185 | 1,700 |
| 5860 | 1,400 | 6186 | 1,000 |
| 5865 | 1,100 | 6200 | 1,800 |
| 5899 | 1,300 | 6202 | 1,800 |
| 5900 | 1,200 | 6214 | 1,800 |
| 5901 | 1,200 | 6215 | 1,800 |
| 5920 | 600 | 6220 | 700 |
| 5955 | 1,300 | 6223 | 2,200 |
| 5960 | 1,200 | 6224 | 1,800 |
| 5965 | 700 | 6227 | 800 |
| 5968 | 1,100 | 6229 | 1,800 |
| 5970 | 1,100 | 6230 | 1,800 |
| 6000 | 700 | 6231 | 1,800 |
| 6010 | 1,100 | 6232 | 1,800 |
| 6012 | 600 | 6233 | 1,800 |
| 6018 | 600 | 6234 | 1,800 |
| 6020 | 900 | 6240 | 1,000 |
| 6024 | 1,100 | 6250 | 1,900 |
| 6025 | 1,000 | 6251 | 2,000 |
| 6050 | 1,000 | 6253 | 1,900 |
| 6055 | 1,800 | 6254 | 1,000 |
| 6096 | 1,400 | 6260 | 2,500 |
| 6098 | 1,000 | 6304 | 1,900 |
| 6100 | 1,100 | 6305 | 1,800 |
| 6101 | 1,100 | 6306 | 2,100 |
| 6102 | 1,000 | 6308 | 1,500 |
| 6103 | 800 | 6309 | 1,500 |
| 6104 | 600 | 6330 | 2,500 |
| 6105 | 1,100 | 6334 | 1,100 |
| 6106 | 1,000 | | |

## Mixed Court Report for August.

The undermentioned foreigners, who are not recognized by any Consulate in Shanghai, were before the Court on criminal charges:—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| Vienberg | — | Driving motor car without Driver's license. Motor car failing to stop after an accident | Fined $50.00 and to pay for the repairs to the bicycle |
| J. Hansen | German | Unlicensed dog | Fined $4.00 |
| J. Loglaize | French | Unlicensed dog | Fined $2.00 |

In accordance with instructions received from the Senior Consul, the regulations governing Revenue Stamp Duty were put into force, so that all petitions, appeals, applications for rehearings, and motions filed by, or on behalf of, Chinese must have a Revenue Stamp affixed.

The question as to whether or not a lawyer, knowing that a warrant had been issued against his client, has the right to counsel him to evade arrest, pending a favourable opportunity of surrendering direct to Court without the inconvenience of being detained at a station and having his past record, if any, looked up, was referred to the various Magistrates and Assessors, who decided that this practice was undesirable. The result is that only two of these surrenders took place and in both instances the Court refused to go into the case, but ordered the accused to be taken over by the police pending the carrying out of the usual formalities before trial.

Three Assessors took advantage of the recess in Civil Cases to go away on a short holiday; during their absence one criminal Court only sat on several days with the result that the number of cases remanded or set for special hearings has accumulated, but by the end of September the list should be reduced to normal.

On August 12 a man was arrested for attempting to obtain Tls. 50 from a woman by means of a letter purporting to have been written by a clerk in the civil office. Investigations showed that the accused had previously obtained Tls. 75 from the complainant, alleging that the money was to pay the Court and lawyer's fees, but as no such case had ever been filed, the accused was sentenced to one year's imprisonment.

There were only four sessions for the Chinese Civil Cases but twenty-five cases were concluded, leaving ninety-five which have not been heard.

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with; Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

F. L. WAINWRIGHT,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
K. J. MCEUEN,
Commissioner of Police.

OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| 1.—Offences Against the Person:— | |
| Abductions | 8 |
| Assaults | 67 |
| Attempted Suicide | 8 |
| Cruelty to Children | 1 |
| Intimidations | 3 |
| Malicious prosecution | 1 |
| Manslaughter | 1 |
| Murders | 4 |
| Rape | 2 |
| Wounding (causing grievous bodily harm) | 8 |
| 2.—Offences Against Property:— | |
| Arson (or Criminal Negligence) | 7 |
| Burglaries | 12 |
| Cruelty to animals | 17 |
| Embezzlement | 10 |
| Extortion (obtaining money by threats) | 9 |
| False Pretences | 6 |
| Forgery | 4 |
| Fraud | 3 |
| House-breaking | 2 |
| Larcenies | 262 |
| Receiving stolen property | 13 |
| Robberies | 3 |
| 3.—Offences of a Public Nature:— | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 21 |
| Carts | 71 |
| Dairies | 4 |
| Dogs | 27 |
| Foodshops | 20 |
| Hawkers | 80 |
| Laundry | 1 |
| Motor cars | 57 |
| Opium | 53 |
| Pawnshops | 2 |
| Ricshas | 1,682 |
| Tea-shops | 5 |
| Wheel-barrows | 37 |
| Wine-shops | 5 |
| Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| Arms | 1 |
| Fireworks | 2 |
| House refuse | 69 |
| Indecent Advertisement | 1 |
| Lotteries | 10 |
| Nuisances | 957 |
| Prostitutes | 40 |
| Sunshades | 7 |
| Traffic | 44 |
| Contempt of Court | 9 |
| Disorderly Conduct | 124 |
| Gambling | 46 |
| Loitering with intent | 11 |
| Obstructing the Police | 7 |
| Perjury | 1 |
| Returning after expulsion | 12 |
| Smuggling | 1 |
| Trademarks, Infringement of | 2 |
| Trafficking in Women or Children | 3 |
| Vagrancy | 1 |
| 4.—Miscellaneous Cases | 9 |
| TOTAL | 3,873 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2,731 |
| Cases withdrawn | 4 |
| Cautioned | 51 |
| Dismissed | 68 |
| Expulsion | 4 |
| Fined | 638 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 4 |
| Imprisonment | 264 |
| " and expulsion | 80 |
| Reformatory | 4 |
| Released on Security | 2 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 13 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 6 |
| Pony to be treated by Veterinary Surgeon, accused to pay all fees | 3 |
| Pony confiscated, accused to pay fees | 1 |
| Various | 4 |
| TOTAL | 3,873 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On August 1 | 69 |
| Received | 52 |
| Released | 54 |
| On August 31 | 67 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 276 |
| " served | 282 |
| Warrants issued | 51 |
| " executed | 30 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 8 |
| " executed | 1 |
| " withdrawn | 2 |
| Summonses issued | 32 |
| " served | 13 |
| " withdrawn | 6 |
| Persons apprehended on Warrants | 1 |
| " summoned | 13 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Sealing orders issued | 55 |
| " " executed | 4 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 38 |
| " " withdrawn | 13 |
| Reopening orders executed | 6 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 92 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 40 |
| " rejected | 1 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 82 |
| " heard | 37 |
| " in course of hearing | 55 |
| Cases concluded | 25 |
| " awaiting first hearing on Aug. 31 | 95 |
| Summonses issued | 111 |
| " served | 93 |
| " withdrawn | 9 |
| Warrants issued | 36 |
| " executed | 14 |
| " withdrawn | 4 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 14 |
| " summoned | 105 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 59 |
| Sealing orders issued | 14 |
| " " executed | 3 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 10 |
| Sealing orders withdrawn | 1 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 2 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 108 |
| Bonds accepted | 72 |
| " rejected | 4 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On August 1 | 49 |
| Received | 19 |
| Released | 20 |
| On August 31 | 48 |

SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| G. D. Musso | Italian | Fi Foo-ching | Tls. 1,500 | For plaintiff for Tls. 1,500 |
| F. S. Aboitiz | Spanish | Wong Pau-hsiang | Tls. 500 & $139.40 | For plaintiff for Tls. 500 and $126.80 |
| Transmarina Trading Co. | Netherlands | Zau Kyung-tshing | Tls. 6,752.75 | Proceeding |
| Yui Sing-yau | Portuguese | Tsang Yong-kyi<br>Kaung Yui-kyi | Tls. 15,000 | Proceeding |

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局自有權利

二 凡承攬者必須有殷實之保證

三 行定估定價目後方准承攬

四 所有人擬承攬本局工程者必須辦妥一切手續

五 所有款項應用國幣計算

六 本局有權不承認最低價或任何一項或全部工程

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單送來之前一天至下午二時止

部局將明白承攬者之姓名及其所出之價目

面送到本局公信處

滿期後本局仍有權取消其承攬資格

其有款項須在一星期內繳清

本局有權將其款項沒收

所有人須在公信處內繳納保證金

目前已經登報公布

後來者仍有權承攬

本局有權將其保證金沒收

本局有權將其保證金沒收

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 154 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern, Ankle Boots<br>{1.000 pairs, to be delivered on or before January 31, 1921<br>{2,000 " " " " March 31, 1921 | — | October 1, Noon |
| 155 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31, Noon |
| 156 | 150 " " " " " 2 " | — | do. |
| 157 | 2,400 " " " " " 3 " | — | do. |
| 158 | 1,200 " " " " " 4 " | — | do. |
| 159 | 7,000 " " Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 160 | 900 " Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 quality | — | do. |
| 161 | 400 " " " " " 2 " | — | do. |
| 162 | 2,000 " Cotton Lining | — | do. |
| 163 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 164 | 500 Brown " 68 × 90 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before June 30, 1921 | — | do. |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 552 | Supply of Bass Brooms | — | October 16, Noon |
| 566 | Painting at Hongkew Police Station | — | September 23, " |
| 567 | Japanese Marble to Wall Surfaces, Floors and Staircase to Main Entrance, Administration Building | — | " 27, " |
| 568 | Painting at Mixed Court | — | October 8, " |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 547

Supply of Tools, etc.

| | |
|---|---|
| Yut Sae Chang & Co. | Tls. 4,638.20 |
| Representation for British Manufacturers, Ld. | 3,177.00 |
| *Shewan Tomes & Co. | 3,158.00 |

*Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2758.**

**6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**£750,000.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan has been closed, the Loan having been fully subscribed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2747.**

**CLOSE SEASON FOR GAME.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the close season for pheasants, deer, hare and partridges will expire on September 30.

The sale of hen pheasants and of pheasants denuded of their feathers, is prohibited.

No prohibition attaches to the sale of snipe, quail, woodcock, and wild fowl.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 23, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2752.**

**CENSUS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the usual Quinquennial Census of the Foreign and Chinese population of Shanghai, will be taken on Saturday, October 16, and that Forms are being distributed to all Householders within the Settlement.

The Collection of these Forms will be commenced on Monday, October 18, and the assistance and co-operation of Householders is requested in furnishing the requisite information.

Any Householder who does not receive a copy of the Census Form before Friday, October 15, is requested to communicate with the Acting Commissioner of Revenue, No. 7A The Bund.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2753.**

**THOMAS HANBURY SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the following appointments:—

Assistant Mistress to take Physical Exercises from 10 a.m. to 12 noon daily and games for one afternoon a week. Pay at the rate of Tls. 100 per mensem.

Assistant Mistress to take Class Singing from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. daily. Pay at the rate of Tls. 50 per mensem.

Applications should state age, qualifications, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2754.**

**"OFFICE HOURS."**

THE public is hereby notified that from October 1, the official office hours will be:—

Volunteer Corps Headquarters 8.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily.

All other Departments 9 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon, and 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., Saturdays 9 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2755.**

**FOREIGN PRINTER—GAOL.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications from foreigners for appointment as Printer at the Gaol Printing Works. Pay Tls. 200 per mensem.

Appointment will be made on three months probation merging in a three years agreement if services are satisfactory.

Applicant required, preferably a jobbing printer with knowledge of paper.

Applications should state age, qualifications, experience, etc., and should be forwarded together with copies of testimonials to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2756.**

**FINANCE DEPARTMENT OFFICES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, on and after Monday, October 4, 1920, the Offices of the Finance Department will be in the Administration Building, Hankow Road (2nd Floor). Entrance at the corner of Hankow and Honan Roads.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2757.**

THE Council requires a furnished or unfurnished house in the Western District, or Western District Extension for a period of 5½ to 6 months as a temporary residence for the Commandant of the Volunteer Corps. Particulars of accommodation, rent, etc., should be addressed to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, September 29, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent:*

Messrs. M. Benjamin
D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 5.35 p.m.

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### Consular Body.

A letter from Sir Everard Fraser, K.C.M.G., H.M. Consul General, informs the Council that he has taken over the duties of Senior Consul from Mr. D. Siffert, Consul General for Belgium, with effect from September 25.

A letter from Mr. D. Siffert, Consul-General for Belgium, informs the Council that he has handed over charge of the Consulate-General to Mr. Ch. Feguenne, Vice-Consul for Belgium, with effect from September 25.

A letter from Mr. Edwin S. Cunningham, Consul-General for the United States of America, informs the Council that during his temporary absence from Shanghai he has handed over charge of the Consulate-General to Mr. M. F. Perkins, Consul-in-Charge, with effect from September 25.

### Volunteer Corps.

*American Company.*—Leave is granted to 2nd. Lieut J. W. Baldwin from September 25, 1920 to March 24, 1921

### Public Band.

During the month of October the Public performances of the Band will be discontinued as in previous years.

### Electricity Department.

COMPARATIVE TABLE FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDING JUNE, 1920.

| | 1919. | 1920. |
|---|---|---|
| Total lamps connected (equiv. 30 watts) | 732,852 | 810,299 |
| Lamps connected during 6 months (Lighting) | 39,828 | 32,723 |
| Lamps connected during six months (Heating) | —47,586 | —66,915 |
| House service connexions during 6 months | 1,405 | 1,398 |
| Motors — horse power to date | 29,508 | 37,389 |
| Units generated | 58,567,296 | 82,584,272 |
| Units sold | 51,140,415 | 71,797,213 |
| Ratio between units generated and sold % | 87.32 | 86.94 |
| Private Lighting | 7,621,171 | 9,563,608 |
| Public Lighting | 580,990 | 629,544 |
| Heating | 556,774 | 873,930 |
| Power | 35,916,019 | 52,160,240 |
| Traction | 1,996,112 | 2,339,365 |
| Units accounted for | 4,469,349 | 6,230,526 |
| Coal tons | 58,269 | 121,343 |
| Coal per unit generated lbs. | 2.53 | 3.29 |
| Coal per unit sold lbs. | 2.9 | 3.78 |
| Oil gallons | 1,798 | 3,657 |
| Water ,, | 9,255,000 | 14,647,000 |

### Municipal Loans 1920.

**6% Sterling Loan Issued at 100%.**

SUBSCRIPTIONS AS ON SEPTEMBER 28, £660,650

**7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.**

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on September 28:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 122,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | | |
| One ,, | 35,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | | |
| Shanghai Silk Spinning Co., Ld. | 16,300 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | | |
| One ,, | 12,000 | | |
| One ,, | 11,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 552,300 | |
| 284 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 389,300 | |
| 302 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 941,600 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 41 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 62,200 | |
| 43 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 85,200 |
| | | | Total Tls. 1,026,800 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, September 26, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 2 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 14 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 6 | 11 |
| | | |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 163 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25.

*Police Force.*—The following are promoted to be 3rd Class Sergeants from October 1:—

1st Class Constable Fumio Yoshida.

1st Class Constable Kisaburo Sugai.

1st Class Constable Umezo Shiraishi.

1st Class Constable Kinoto Ide.

Long leave is granted to Sergeant C. Schooler from October 20.

The service of Mr. G. Honniball, Printer in the Gaol Printing Department on probation, terminated on September 20.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. C. McGillivray is re-engaged temporarily as Assistant Inspector from September 23.

*Electricity Department.*—The services of Collector C. H. Carrott terminated on September 23.

*Educational Department.*—Miss L. Bochcovsky, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, was permitted to terminate her service on September 16.

Miss J. Philip is appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistress in Public School for Boys from September 13.

### Fire Brigade Report for August.

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 21, as against 26 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 15,705 (Foreign, Tls. 610; Chinese, Tls. 15,095), as against Tls. 15,550 (Foreign, Tls. 1,000; Chinese, Tls. 14,550) during August 1919. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 1,140,000 (Foreign, Tls. 1,041,000; Chinese, Tls. 99,000), as against Tls. 645,000 (Foreign, Tls. 500,000; Chinese, Tls. 145,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 16, Watch Towers 3, Staff 1 and Messenger 1. The district call was given on 5

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occasions, the remaining 16 being station calls. These calls proved to be 14 small fires, 2 false alarms (1 of which was malicious) and 5 fires outside the Settlement.

The principal supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—Sparks from stove, lamp upset, overheated oil lamp, smoking in bed, overboiling oil.

Eleven buildings were more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

During the month 367 visits of inspection were made by members of this Department.

*August 11, 12.17 a.m. I 862 Chekiang Road.*—Two separate and distinct fires were found on the above premises, both of which were extinguished with small damage. Two persons were injured by jumping from the verandah, and four slightly burnt by rushing down the staircase. The showcases and other materials on the ground floor were soaked with kerosene, and a watering can, etc., was found containing kerosene. The occupier of the shop was charged with arson and sentenced to two years' imprisonment with expulsion. The same man had previously had a fire at Nantao.

*August 25, 2.07 a.m. 47 Szechuen Road.*—A remarkably good stop was effected for the second time within a few months at the above building, Messrs. Liddell's godown and office block. The fire had obtained a firm hold on the roof, and on some bales of cocoons on the top floor. The outbreak was quickly extinguished, the damage being confined to a few hundred taels.

The month was rather marked on account of the assistance rendered at outside fires as follows:—

*August 14, 12.17 a.m. No. 13 Godown—Butterfield and Swire, French Bund.*—A section of the Central Division rendered valuable assistance to the French Brigade, and were an essential factor in confining the fire to No. 13 godown (which contained a large quantity of wood oil, China grass, hemp, etc., etc.), and the saving of the main office block, which was surrounded by flowing oil from the godown at the back. The Brigade Float did good work at this fire.

*August 24, 5.57 p.m. Kiangnan Dock.*—A party of men under the Chief Officer assisted to extinguish an outbreak in a portion of the moulding shop which was in flames and was endangering practically all the rest of the important shops. The Brigade Float was in attendance and rendered valuable assistance. The City Brigade were present.

*August 28, 8.57 a.m. off Robison Road.*—A large Contractor's yard between Pao Ching Cotton Mills, Nos. 1 and 2, was in flames, endangering both these premises. The Brigade were in difficulties owing to water; the mill supply being quite inadequate, and it was very difficult to get down to the creek. The nearest Settlement hydrant was on the corner of Kiaochow Road. However the fire was surrounded, but it took some time to finally extinguish, owing to the large stacks of lumber being well alight.

At two fires during the month there was comparatively heavy damage.

*August 22, 7.30 p.m. B 1651-2 Sinza Road.*—The upper portion and ground floor back part of the premises were in flames. Simultaneously with fire extinguishing operations the Brigade removed a large quantity of piece goods from the building on the street and shops opposite. Whilst the Brigade were responding to this call, the Light Motor Tender attached to the Sinza Division came into collision with a handcart on the Myburgh Road, injuring a coolie. It is regretted that the man subsequently died. At the inquest the driver of the Brigade machine was exonerated from all blame.

*August 26, 6.29 p.m. JA 1232-3 off Singkeipang Road.*—An ordinary Chinese dwelling had been converted into a cigarette factory, and the whole place was dangerous from a fire point of view.

M. W. Pett,
*Chief Officer.*

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call | | Alarm given | Locality | District | | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Time of | How received | | | Municipal | Fire | | | Hours | Minutes | |
| August 1 | 7.48 p.m. | Telephone | Station | S 642 N. Shanse Road | Northern | 8 | Chinese Shop | | | 15 | |
| 3 | 12.37 p.m. | Messenger | " | E 885 Burkill Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 15 | |
| 5 | 8.26 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | District | 37 Whangpoo Road | Northern | 2 | | | | 20 | Motor car |
| 9 | 2.09 p.m. | Telephone | " | Whangpoo River | Outside | | | | | 20 | |
| 11 | 12.17 a.m. | " | Station | I 862 Chekiang Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Shop | 1 damaged | 36 | | 6 persons injured |
| 11 | 9.55 p.m. | Staff | " | Nanking Road | " | 6 | Chinese Store | | | 25 | |
| 14 | 12.30 a.m. | Telephone | " | French Bund | Outside | | | | 6 | | |
| 17 | 6.09 p.m. | " | " | F 610 Woochang Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Shop | | | 15 | |
| 18 | 6.19 a.m. | " | " | 17 Seymour Rd. | Western | 7 | Foreign Residence | 1 " | | 35 | |
| 18 | 7.44 p.m. | " | " | E 130 Burkill Road | " | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 20 | |
| 20 | 12.30 p.m. | " | " | D 2 4 Shantung Road | Central | 4 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 15 | |
| 20 | 10.47 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | | 35 | |
| 22 | 7.30 p.m. | Telephone | District | B 1651/2 Sinza Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | 6 " | 24 | | |
| 24 | 1.12 p.m. | " | Station | 83 Ward Road | Eastern | 1 | Foreign Factory | | | 30 | |
| 24 | 5.57 p.m. | " | " | Kiangnan Dock | Outside | | | | 30 | | |
| 25 | 2.07 a.m. | " | " | 47 Szechuen Road | Central | 4 | Foreign Office & Godown | 1 " | 16 | | |
| 26 | 6.29 p.m. | " | District | JA 1232/3 Off Singkeipang Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Factory | 2 " | 48 | | |
| 27 | 9.11 p.m. | " | Station | XG 113/4 North Chekiang Rd. | Northern | 8 | Chinese Shop | | | 25 | |
| 28 | 8.57 p.m. | Sinza Tower | District | Off Robi-on Road | Outside | | | | 22 | | |
| 29 | 10.40 p.m. | Telephone | Station | Thibet & Amoy Roads | Central | 6 | | | | 30 | Malicious false alarm |
| 30 | 10.44 p.m. | " | " | Sinza/Wenchow Roads | Western | 7 | | | | 15 | False alarm |

M. W. Pett, *Chief Officer.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承辦事件自有效力

二 未有定准之用款目必須承辦人知會本局公信人辦理付款之憑證

三 行徵信人之資格後保證人之公信及同保證人之名目及其人之姓名及住址

四 目前所有以後承攬人之姓名及住址

五 本局有取後登入各人之信用及保證人之姓名及住址

六 本局有權將其所取之款一律退還

本局必將其所取之款一律退還

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 154 | 3,000 pairs, British Army Pattern, Ankle Boots<br>{ 1,000 pairs, to be delivered on or before January 31, 1921<br>{ 2,000 ,, ,, ,, ,, March 31, 1921 | — | October 1, Noon |
| 155 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | October 31, Noon |
| 156 | 150 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 157 | 2,400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 ,, | — | do. |
| 158 | 1,200 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 4 ,, | — | do. |
| 159 | 7,000 ,, ,, Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 160 | 900 ,, Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 quality | — | do. |
| 161 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 162 | 2,000 ,, Cotton Lining | — | do. |
| 163 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 164 | 500 Brown ,, 68 × 90 5-lb. each<br>To be delivered on or before June 30, 1921 | — | do. |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 552 | Supply of Bass Brooms | — | October 16, Noon |
| 564 | Extensions to Hongkew Police Station | — | ,, 12, ,, |
| 567 | Japanese Marble to Wall Surfaces, Floors and Staircase to Main Entrance, Administration Building | — | ,, 12, ,, |
| 568 | Painting at Mixed Court | — | ,, 8, ,, |
| 569 | Erection of Gymnasium at Gordon Road Police Station | — | ,, 8, ,, |
| | **FIRE BRIGADE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Central Fire Station, 1A Honan Road | | |
| 1 | 2 gross Firemen's Shirts | — | October 7, Noon |
| 2 | 2 ,, ,, Trousers | — | ,, 7, ,, |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 566

Painting at Hongkew Police Station

| | |
|---|---|
| Sing Kee | Tls. 1,090 |
| Lien Yung Kee | 930 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 735 |
| Zung Shing | 722 |
| Woe Lee Kee | 690 |
| Wong Chin Kee | 635 |
| Ngan Zung Lee | 590 |
| *K. Yung Zun | 550 |

*Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2758.**

**6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**£750,000.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan has been closed, the Loan having been fully subscribed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2744.**

**TRAFFIC REGULATION.**

TO facilitate the control of traffic in the Nanking Road, the following additional regulation will come into force from September 1, viz:—

In the section of the Bubbling Well and Nanking Roads between Mohawk Road and the Bund, no motor vehicle shall pass another in motion, proceeding in the same direction.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, August 26, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2749.**

**LOSS OF DEBENTURE CERTIFICATES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the debenture certificates hereunder specified have been declared to be lost and the public is warned against their negotiation.

Application has been made for the issue of duplicate certificates, and should no objection be lodged with the Municipal Treasurer and Comptroller within 30 days from date hereof, the application will be complied with and the original certificates will be treated as cancelled.

| Loan | Distinctive Numbers | Value of each Debenture Tls. | Total Value Tls. | Registered in the name of |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1915 | 3009/3018 | 100 | 1,000 | Mrs. Margaret Anne Hill |
| 1916 | 14869/14871 | 1,000 | 3,000 | William Hill |

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, September 23, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2751.**

**BUND FORESHORE.**

WITH a view to dispelling certain doubts that appear to exist in the minds of Bund frontage lot owners and the general public, it is hereby notified that the Council's policy in regard to the Bund Foreshore is to preserve and improve it for the uses to which it is at present put or for such like uses as will not impair or be to the detriment of public rights and the rights of the lot owners concerned.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, September 23, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2752.**

**CENSUS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the usual Quinquennial Census of the Foreign and Chinese population of Shanghai, will be taken on Saturday, October 16, and that Forms are being distributed to all Householders within the Settlement.

The Collection of these Forms will be commenced on Monday, October 18, and the assistance and co-operation of Householders is requested in furnishing the requisite information.

Any Householder who does not receive a copy of the Census Form before Friday, October 15, is requested to communicate with the Acting Commissioner of Revenue, No. 7A The Bund.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2753.**

**THOMAS HANBURY SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the following appointments:—

Assistant Mistress to take Physical Exercises from 10 a.m. to 12 noon daily and games for one afternoon a week. Pay at the rate of Tls. 100 per mensem.

Assistant Mistress to take Class Singing from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. daily. Pay at the rate of Tls. 50 per mensem.

Applications should state age, qualifications, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2754.**

**"OFFICE HOURS."**

THE public is hereby notified that from October 1, the official office hours will be:—

Volunteer Corps Headquarters 8.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily.

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All other Departments 9 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon, and 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., Saturdays 9 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2755.
### FOREIGN PRINTER—GAOL.

THE Council is prepared to receive applications from foreigners for appointment as Printer at the Gaol Printing Works. Pay Tls. 200 per mensem.

Appointment will be made on three months probation merging in a three years agreement if services are satisfactory.

Applicant required, preferably a jobbing printer with knowledge of paper.

Applications should state age, qualifications, experience, etc., and should be forwarded together with copies of testimonials to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2756.
### FINANCE DEPARTMENT OFFICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on and after Monday, October 4, 1920, the Offices of the Finance Department will be in the Administration Building, Hankow Road (2nd Floor). Entrance at the corner of Hankow and Honan Roads.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2759.
### LICENSED PREMISES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following additional licence condition to be known as No. 1A, will be enforced in the case of all Licensed Premises with effect from October 1.

1-A That the General Municipal Rate payable in respect of the said premises be paid within fourteen days after the date on which it shall become due for payment.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2760.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Monday, October 11, 1920.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 7, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, October 6, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent:*
Messrs. M. Benjamin
D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

### Chinese Educational Committee.

Mr. C. F. Garstin has accepted the Council's invitation to fill the vacancy in the membership of the Committee caused by the resignation of Mr. H. Phillips.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Corps Headquarters.* — Six months leave is granted to Major L. E. Canning, O.B.E., from October 1, 1920.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, the following appointments are authorized:—

Capt. E. H. McMichael is appointed Adjutant, vice Major Canning resigned, with effect from October 1, 1920. He will continue to Command the Light Horse, in addition to his other duties, until further notice.

Capt. A. J. Stewart, Reserve of Officers, is appointed Assistant Adjutant, with effect from October 1, 1920.

Capt. W. J. N. Dyer, late Staff Officer for Reserves, is appointed Orderly Officer, with effect from September 9, 1920.

### Stray Children's Home.

With reference to the note under this heading published in the Municipal Gazette of August 5, an alternative arrangement has been concluded whereby an inclusive fee of Mex. $5 per month will be paid to the Committee of the Anti-Kidnapping Society's Home at Kiangwan for each child received into the Home or the Lunghua Orphanage, instead of the annual grant-in-aid previously contemplated.

### Isolation Hospital.

*Observation Suites.*—It has been decided, upon the recommendation of the Health Committee, to erect three observation suites on the site of the Isolation Hospital, at an estimated cost of Tls. 5,000, for the observation of suspected cases of infectious disease.

### Municipal Properties.

*Market Street and Arthur Road Electricity Sub-Station.*—Acquisition of an area of Mow 0.131 of unregistered land at the corner of these roads from Mr. W. Brandt has been effected at a total cost of Tls. 4,000. Mow 0.076 of this area will be used for the sub-station site and the balance of Mow 0.055 will remain as surplus road land.

## Municipal Loan 1920.

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on October 5:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 122,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | | |
| One ,, | 35,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,000 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | | |
| Shanghai Silk Spinning Co., Ld. | 16,300 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | | |
| One ,, | 12,000 | | |
| One ,, | 11,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 552,300 | |
| 291 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 405,400 | |
| 309 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 957,700 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 41 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 62,200 | |
| 43 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 85,200 |
| | | | Total Tls. 1,042,900 |

E. F. GOODALL,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

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## Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Lungmen Road.*—Arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. Hansons for the surrender of Mow 0.317 of land ex Cadastral Lot 1871 required in connexion with this road, compensation being paid at the assessed value, Tls. 6,000 per mow, plus 10 per cent., or a total of Tls. 2,092 for the required area.

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2.

*Police Force.*—The following promotions are authorized from October 1:—

Senior Warder D. McKenzie to be Assistant Gaoler.

Warder V. G. Westwood to be Senior Warder.

*Health Department.*—Mr. T. Hardon is appointed Inspector on probation from September 27.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. E. W. D. Elmer is appointed Charge Engineer under agreement from September 25.

Mr. G. C. Edmond is appointed Motor Mechanic on three months probation from September 1.

*Educational Department.*—Miss G. Meech is re-engaged temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls from September 8.

Mrs. J. M. Wheeler is re-engaged temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls from September 8.

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, October 3, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 3 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 2 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 | 15 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 5 | 3 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 146 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Public Band.

During the month of October the Public performances of the Band will be discontinued as in previous years.

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 71 | Hongkong | G. O. Wootten | | | addns. |
| 148 | Ningpo & Honan | Ma Lan Fang | | 2 | |
| 140 | Peking | Mafel & Co. | | | " |
| 53 | Off Szechuen | S. F. Zah | | | bridge |
| 1012 | Minghong, Broadway & Whangpoo | Brandt & Rodgers | | 12 | 13 bungalows |
| 2362 | Off Baikal | C. S. Wong | | | garage |
| 7293 | ,, Lay | Hou Sung Cotton Mill | | | latrine |
| N of 5555 | Lay & Wayside | The Nan Yang Construction Co. | | | assembly hall & club house |
| 5200 | Off Pingliang | Sydney J. Powell | | | foundation for boiler |
| 5200 | ,, | ,, | | | water tower |
| 3612 | Off Thorburn | The Shanghai Sanitary Laundry Co., Ld. | | | water closet |
| 7088 | Off Ward | T. Harada | | | chimney |
| 2446 | Off Yangtszepoo | The New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works, Ld. | | | shed & altns. |
| 2460 | ,, | E. J. Muller | | | addns. |
| 2190 | Off B'bling Well | Yu Fah Chien | | | water closet |
| 1979 | Off Chengtu | Dou Zen | | | water closet |
| 6232 | Off Ferry | P. Y. Tsau | | | 2 weaving sheds |
| 4892 | Ichang | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | godown |
| 4381 | Off Moji Ext. | Naigai Wata Kaisha | | | staff quarters |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 247 | Nanking | S. A. Hardoon | | | altns. |
| 234 | Shanse | Van Lee Yuen | | | altns. |
| N of 393 | N. Fokien | Wong Fong Kee | 19 | | |
| 564 | Broadway East | Yu Sung Hung Kee | | 1 | |
| 485 | Dixwell | Ta Zen Kee | | | addns. |
| 123 | East Seward | Ting Pao Kee | | | altns. |
| 823 | Off East Yuhang | Brandt & Rodgers | | | altns. & addns. |
| 135 | Singkeipang | Wing Hap & Co. | 35 | | gate house |
| W of 2146 | Off Wayside | Kung Zung Sing | | | 4 bungalows |
| 984 | Yochow | Tsao Zen Kee | 4 | | |
| 562 | Chengtu & Shanhaikwan | Davies & Brooke | 9 | | |
| E of 3640 | Off Connaught | Dong Seng Tai | | 1 | |
| W of 4381 | Off Haiphong | Dai Tuck Ming | | | bungalow |
| N of 6020 | Off Penang | The Eastern Construction Co. | | | 7 bungalows |
| N of 6020 | Penang | Yue Voon Ding | 4 | | |
| 5779 & S of 5779 | Off Robison | Yao An Kee | 30 | | |
| 3340 | Sinza | Yao Zang Ching | | 1 | 4 bungalows & gate house |

## Concreteware Manufactory.

PRICE LIST

| Size | Length | Description | Price in Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12" | 2'0" | Pipes (machine made) | 0.80 |
| 9" | 2'0" | ,, ,, | 0.60 |
| 6" | 2'0" | ,, ,, | 0.40 |
| 4" | 2'0" | ,, ,, | 0.28 |
| 12" x 9" | 2'0" | Junctions | 1.60 |
| 12" x 6" | 2'0" | ,, | 1.45 |
| 12" x 4" | 2'0" | ,, | 1.35 |
| 9" x 6" | 2'0" | ,, | 1.15 |
| 9" x 4" | 2'0" | ,, | 1.05 |
| 6" x 4" | 2'0" | ,, | 0.80 |
| 6" | | Knuckle Bends 90° | 0.50 |
| 4" | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| 6" | | Bends (long) 45° | 0.50 |
| 4" | | ,, ,, | 0.45 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. A. (without cover) | 0.40 |
| | | Concrete covers (for same) | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers (for same) | 0.20 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. B. (without cover) | 1.25 |
| | | Concrete covers (for same) | 0.25 |
| | | Cast Iron covers (for same) | 0.60 |
| | | Yard Gullies, Fig. C. (without cover) | 0.45 |
| | | Concrete covers (for same) | 0.15 |
| | | Cast Iron covers (for same) | 0.20 |
| | | Revolving Top Gullies incl. C.I. cover | 0.75 |
| 3' 0"x2'0" | 3'0" | Egg-shaped Tubes | 4.40 |
| 2' 3"x1'6" | 3'0" | ,, ,, | 3.10 |
| 1' 6"x1'0" | 3'0" | ,, ,, | 1.70 |
| 3' 0" | 3'0" | Circular Tubes } Price on application | |
| 4' 6" | 4'0" | ,, ,, } Price on application | |
| | 3'0" | Inverts for 12" pipes | 0.80 |
| 3' 0"x2'0" | 3'0" | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 2.20 |
| 2' 3"x1'6" | 3'0" | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 1.75 |
| 1' 6"x1'0" | 3'0" | ,, Egg-shaped Tubes | 0.85 |
| 3' 0" | 3'0" | ,, Circular Tubes | 7.30 |
| 2' 0"x2'0" | 1'0" | Manhole shafts (large) | 2.90 |
| 2' 0"x2'0" | 6" | ,, ,, (small) | 1.80 |
| 1' 5"x1'5" | 6" | ,, Top Frames | 2.55 |
| 3'10"x1'4" | 5¾" | ,, Slabs (large) | 2.00 |
| 3' 0"x1'5" | 2¾" | ,, ,, (small) | 1.60 |
| | | ,, Bricks No. 34a | 0.05½ |
| | | ,, ,, 34b | 0.03½ |
| | | Blind manhole cover (large) | 2.50 |
| | | Blind manhole cover (small) | 1.00 |
| 1' 6"x1'4" | 12" | Street Pot Gullies (bottom) } Street Pot Gullies (top) } | 5.75 |
| 5" x 2" | 4'0" | Kerbs | 1.10 |
| 5" x 4" | 4'0" | Channels | 1.10 |
| 4" x 3" | 3'3" | Pavement Tubes | 1.20 |
| 4" x 3" | 2'3" | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4" x 3" | 2'0" | ,, ,, | 0.90 |
| 4" | 9" | ,, Sockets | 0.38 |
| 3" | 9" | ,, ,, | 0.38 |
| 4'0" x 2'0" | | Kitchen Sinks | 5.25 |
| 2'6" x 2'0" | | ,, ,, | 3.00 |
| 12" x 4" | 3'0" | Boundary Stones | 2.60 |
| | 2'0" | M. C. R. Stones | 0.85 |
| | 4'0" | ,, ,, | 1.00 |
| 4'0" x 1'6" | | Grave Slabs per set of 6 | 8.50 |
| 4'0" x 1'0" | | ,, ,, 2 | 2.00 |
| | 18' | Bearing Pile } Prices on application | |
| | 14' | ,, ,, } Prices on application | |
| | 10' | Sheet Pile } Prices on application | |
| | 7'6" | ,, ,, } Prices on application | |
| | | Fence Post } Prices on application | |
| | | Ridge Tiles | 0.28 |
| | | Square Tile | 0.05½ |
| | 2'5¾" | Sidewalk Slab } Prices on application | |
| | 1'11¾" | ,, ,, } Prices on application | |
| | 0 11¾" | ,, ,, } Prices on application | |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No 2702.**
**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**
**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2758.**
**6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**
**£750,000.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan has been closed, the Loan having been fully subscribed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2749.**
**LOSS OF DEBENTURE CERTIFICATES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the debenture certificates hereunder specified have been declared to be lost and the public is warned against their negotiation.

Application has been made for the issue of duplicate certificates, and should no objection be lodged with the Municipal Treasurer and Comptroller within 30 days from date hereof, the application will be complied with and the original certificates will be treated as cancelled.

| Loan | Distinctive Numbers | Value of each Debenture Tls. | Total Value Tls. | Registered in the name of |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1915 | 3009/3018 | 100 | 1,000 | Mrs. Margaret Anne Hill |
| 1916 | 14869/14871 | 1,000 | 3,000 | William Hill |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 23, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2751.**
**BUND FORESHORE.**

WITH a view to dispelling certain doubts that appear to exist in the minds of Bund frontage lot owners and the general public, it is hereby notified that the Council's policy in regard to the Bund Foreshore is to preserve and improve it for the uses to which it is at present put or for such like uses as will not impair or be to the detriment of public rights and the rights of the lot owners concerned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 23, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2752.**
**CENSUS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the usual Quinquennial Census of the Foreign and Chinese population of Shanghai, will be taken on Saturday, October 16, and that Forms are being distributed to all Householders within the Settlement.

The Collection of these Forms will be commenced on Monday, October 18, and the assistance and co-operation of Householders is requested in furnishing the requisite information.

Any Householder who does not receive a copy of the Census Form before Friday, October 15, is requested to communicate with the Acting Commissioner of Revenue, No. 7A The Bund.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2762.**
**THOMAS HANBURY SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the following appointment:—

Assistant Mistress to take Physical Exercises from 10 a.m. to 12 noon daily and games for one afternoon a week. Pay at the rate of Tls. 100 per mensem.

Applications should state age, qualifications, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 14, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2754.**
**"OFFICE HOURS."**

THE public is hereby notified that from October 1, the official office hours will be:—

Volunteer Corps Headquarters 8.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily.

All other Departments 9 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon, and 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., Saturdays 9 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2755.**
**FOREIGN PRINTER—GAOL.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications from foreigners for appointment as Printer at the Gaol Printing Works. Pay Tls. 200 per mensem.

Appointment will be made on three months probation merging in a three years agreement if services are satisfactory.

Applicant required, preferably a jobbing printer with knowledge of paper.

Applications should state age, qualifications, experience, etc., and should be forwarded together with copies of testimonials to the undersigned forthwith.

By order.
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2756.**
**FINANCE DEPARTMENT OFFICES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, on and after Monday, October 4, 1920, the Offices of the Finance Department will be in the Administration Building, Hankow Road (2nd Floor). Entrance at the corner of Hankow and Honan Roads.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2759.**
**LICENSED PREMISES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the following additional licence condition to be known as No. 1A, will be enforced in the case of all Licensed Premises with effect from October 1.

1-A That the General Municipal Rate payable in respect of the said premises be paid within fourteen days after the date on which it shall become due for payment.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2761.**
**HONGKEW RECREATION GROUND.**

CLUBS desirous of securing playing space within the Hongkew Recreation Ground for the

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coming winter season are requested to make application as soon as possible to the Hon. Secretary, Mr. Ross, Public School for Boys.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 14, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2746** *(Amended.)*
*(Translation)*
**BROTHELS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that under the authority of Resolution XV passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, and in pursuance of the recommendation contained in the report of the Special Vice Committee published in the Municipal Gazette of March 19, one-fifth of the brothel licences, selected by lot, will be withdrawn on April 1, 1921. A public drawing will take place at the Town Hall on Tuesday, December 21, at 3 o'clock p.m., when the brothels to be closed will be determined. The drawings will be public and all interested are invited to be present.

Tickets of admission may be obtained on application to The Revenue Office, No. 7A the Bund, and a list of the licensed brothels will be exhibited at the Police Stations and at the Revenue Office from Thursday, November 25.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 9, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Friday, October 8, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
H. A. Macintyre

*Absent:*
Mr. D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 7 o'clock. p.m.

AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Friday, October 8, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. F. Mackay (*Chairman*)
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent:*
Mr M. Benjamin

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, October 13, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
S. Kessenich
H. H. Girardet
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent:*
Messrs. M. Benjamin
D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 6.05 p.m.

## Municipal Loan 1920.

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on October 12 :—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Foreign Investors.** | | | |
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs Tls. 122,000 | | | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | | |
| One ,, | 35,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | | |
| Shanghai Silk Spinning Co., Ld. | 16,300 | | |
| S. J. Berines | 14,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | | |
| Two Investors Tls. 12,000 | 24,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 11,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 564,300 | |
| 293 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 415,400 | |
| 312 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 979,700 |
| **Chinese Investors.** | | | |
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 41 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 62,200 | |
| 43 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 85,200 |
| | | | Total Tls. 1,064,900 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

## Land Commission.

Mr. S. B. Neill has accepted the Council's invitation to serve as its representative on the Commission in place of Mr. H. E. Campbell, who has resigned owing to his departure for England.

## Edward Ezra Scholarship.

A scholarship at the Hongkong University has been awarded to Mr. Kwok Tah-kum (郭德淦) a pupil in the Public School for Chinese, who passed the Matriculation Examination of the University of Hongkong in December, 1919.

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, October 10, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 634,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 | 18 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 7 | 7 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 162 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 164 | Off Kiangse | Moorhead, Halse and Robinson | | | addns. |
| 141 | ,, | The Mow Sing Flour Mill | | | water closet |
| 162 | Nanking | Palmer & Turner | | | altns. |
| 164A | Off Nanking | The Shanghai Sanitarium | | | water closet |
| 151 | Ningpo | Yu Chang Tai | | 1 | |
| 25 | Off North Soochow | Z. S. Sung | | | addns. |
| 3860 | Off Ward | Lin Tai & Co. | | | factory |
| 2460 | Whashing | E. J. Muller | | | transformer house chimney |
| 1480 | Off B'bling Well | Tsing Kee | | | |
| 4606 | Off Mokanshan | A. Corrit | | | latrine |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 182 | Kiangse | Zee Shan Kee | | | altns. |
| E of 7460 | Off Seoul | Chang Ten Yeu | | | 3 bungalows |
| E of 379 | Urga | Zung Seng Tai | 12 | 6 | |

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9.

*Police Force.*—The following Constables are promoted to be Sergeants from October 1, with seniority from the dates specified :—

W. J. Russell, April 1, 1916.
A. D. Hendry, ,, 1, ,,
C. G. Phillips, ,, 1, ,,
J. F. Lovell, ,, 1, ,,
E. A. Eva, ,, 1, ,,
M. E. Ashley, July 1, 1918.
T. S. Fry, ,, 1, ,,
M. Fitzpatrick, October 1, 1920.

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Probationary Constable Riyohachi Furukawa is discharged, invalided, from October 11.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. W. Palmer, Custodian of the Isolation Hospital from October 14.

*Public Works Department.*—The appointment of Park-keeper C. F. Burdett is confirmed under an agreement from July 1, terminable at three months' notice.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. H. G. Reed, Clerical Assistant, is permitted to terminate his service on October 16.

*Educational Department.* — In addition to the performance of her duties as temporary Music Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, Madame G. Zalsman will temporarily undertake the duties of Music Mistress in the Public School for Girls, from September 8.

Mr. G. E. Matthews is appointed Assistant Master in the Public School for Boys from October 7.

## Report of the Commissioner of Public Works for September.

The question of motor haulage has received exhaustive investigation, and detailed costs and results have been kept for comparison with pony and manual haulage.

The Department has now thirteen motor trucks in operation, excluding three vacuum tank wagons used for the removal of cesspool contents, and broadly speaking, it can be said that the cost of haulage by motor trucks is about equal to the cost of haulage by ponies or coolies.

The financial aspect, although important, is, however, by no means the main factor. From a traffic point of view the advantage of having a few large fast moving vehicles instead of a large number of unwieldy slow moving units is obvious, and there is no doubt but that a given amount of freight moved by motor trucks inflicts less wear and tear on the surface of the road than would be the case if the same amount of freight were moved by handcarts and wheel-barrows.

Another factor is time, and the fact that handcarts and wheel-barrows cannot always be obtained, and moreover, when obtainable, take much longer than motor trucks to haul the same amount of freight.

With motor trucks, facilities for quick loading and unloading are imperative, and for most of the material hauled by this Department in motor trucks, hydraulic or other similar methods of tipping the body of the truck are essential, as the truck must be kept in motion as much as possible.

For hauls of less than one mile, motor trucks are extravagant, on account of the time taken in loading and unloading.

### Roads.

*Lungmen Road.*—A 12-ft. strip of ballasting and metalling has been laid from the end of the existing metalling through to Chengtu Road.

*Bund.*—The widening scheme has been completed as far as Canton Road, and is open to traffic as far as Foochow Road. The stone pitching along the water front has been completed.

*Peking Road.*—The tram rails have been lowered at the junction of Thibet Road and the lowering of the remainder of the carriageway is in hand.

*Chapoo Road.*—Asphaltic concrete has been laid between Tiendong Road and Range Road.

*N. Soochow Road.*—Asphaltic concrete is being laid between Broadway and N. Szechuen Road.

*Scott Road.*—Another 500-ft. has been raised.

*Tongshan Road.*—Ballasting and metalling has been laid for the full width of the road between Singkeipang Road and Chaoufoong Road, and for half the width between Chaoufoong Road and Dent Road.

*Yangtszepoo Road.*—Asphaltum surfacing has been carried out between Baikal Road and the Tramway terminus.

*Drainage. Siccawei Road.* — A 12-in. diameter sewer is being laid between Bubbling Well Road and Great Western Road.

*Hart Road.*—A 4-ft. 6-in. diameter culvert has been laid from the Yung Zeen Pang to the existing culvert in Bubbling Well Road, and a 3-ft. diameter culvert is being laid between Bubbling Well Road and Yu Yuen Road.

*Range Road.*—500-ft. of 1-ft. 6-in. by 1-ft. sewer has been laid East of North Honan Road.

*Kueiyang Road.* — Three 3-ft. diameter cross culverts have been laid and one 1-ft. 6-in. by 1-ft.

### Municipal Properties.

*Administration Building.*—The section of the Building to be used by the Finance Department is now ready for occupation, and attention is being concentrated on completing the offices for occupation of the Electricity Department by the end of the year.

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—The gas and water services are nearly complete, and the laying of the flooring will be begun in a few days. The joinery work is well in hand.

*Louza Police Station Extension.*—The foundations have been piled ready for laying concrete.

*Rifle Range Shelter.*—A new shelter is in course of construction at the 400 yards firing point.

### Electricity Department.

*Administration Building Substation.*—This building is now completed.

*Tonquin Road Substation.*—The minor alterations for the accommodation of switch gear and the cable trenches at the south end of the building have been completed. The construction of a Battery House on the east side has been commenced and is approaching completion. A partition to divide the transformer room is under construction.

*Fingchiao Quarry.*—1,547 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month. The average number of coolies employed was 176.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected cartloads | 4,676 |
| Ashes ,, | 484 |
| Used for raising land | 487 |
| Water used for street watering | 5,496,000 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,884 |
| Artisans | 374 |
| Foremen | 235 |
| Mafoos | 161 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 5,924 pieces |
| Machine made | 2,940 ,, |
| Total | 8,864 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 30 admissions during the month, and 36 bundles of wood chopped.

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 52 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates issued | 28 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 34 |
| New lots put under taxation | 24 |
| Assessed value of land placed under taxation | Tls. 65,046 |
| Official plans prepared | 14 |
| Surveys made in connexion with road widenings and/or extensions | 45 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 52 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follow:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Western District | 23 |

*New Buildings.*

| | |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 408 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 122 |
| Plans approved | 92 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,449 |
| Boundary walls erected | 582 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected over roadway | 2 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 91 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 8 |
| Summonses | 1 |
| Encroachments reported and rectified | 1 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 18 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 54 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by P.W.D. | 2 |
| First intimation notices issued | 2 |
| Second ,, ,, ,, | 6 |
| | 8 |

Chas. H. Godfrey,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

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工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局自有權利

二 投標人須知

三 本局有權取消承攬人之資格

四 所有公信及承攬人之保證金

五 明後仍有效之款項一律退還

六 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單送來最善以便用此次概要交由投標人自行估定價目是否合同辦理付款承辦人認定之後方准承攬人到局領取投標單內所開之價目必須填寫清楚並加蓋信封交還本局審查後方准承攬人付款承辦人亦不承認付款之責任

信封上須註明承攬人姓名及所承辦之項目

信內須寫明承攬人之姓名及所承辦之項目

部局承攬人須在工部局定期二十四小時內送到江西路工務處

面漆所有承攬人之總辦事處

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 155 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality | — | November 1, Noon |
| 156 | 150 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 157 | 2,400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 ,, | — | do. |
| 158 | 1,200 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 4 ,, | — | do. |
| 159 | 7,000 ,, ,, Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 160 | 900 ,, Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 quality | — | do. |
| 161 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 162 | 2,000 ,, Cotton Lining | — | do. |
| 163 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 164 | 500 Brown ,, 68 × 90 5-lb. each | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before June 30, 1921 | | |
| 165 | 1,700 Grey Brown Cotton Blankets 84 × 60 5-lb. each | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before December 31, 1920 | | |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 552 | Supply of Bass Brooms | — | October 16, Noon |
| 570 | Supply of Steel Sheet Piling | — | ,, 18, ,, |
| 571 | Painting at Wayside Police Station | — | ,, 22, ,, |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### FIRE BRIGADE

Tenders Nos. 1 and 2

No. 1 2 gross Firemen's Shirts
2 2 ,, ,, Trousers

| | |
|---|---|
| Dah Fong Hung | $1,080.00 |
| *D. Sing Yung | 979.20 |

### POLICE FORCE.

Tender No. 154

3,000 pairs British Army Pattern Ankle Boots

| | per pair | s. d. |
|---|---|---|
| P. Heath & Co. | | 29/6 |
| | G.$7.50 | |
| Fredk. Large & Co. | | 23/9 |
| G. Tajima | $6.40 | |
| | 6.20 | |
| *Chaung Tai & Co. | 6.20 | |
| | 6.10 | |
| | 6.00 | |
| | *5.90 | |

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 569

Erection of Gymnasium at Gordon Road Police Station

| | |
|---|---|
| Joe Ming Kee | Tls. 7,500 |
| Wong Kor Sung | 7,450 |
| Sing Fah Kee | 6,500 |
| *Sung Kee | 5,800 |

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2758.**

**6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**£750,000.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan has been closed, the Loan having been fully subscribed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2749.**

**LOSS OF DEBENTURE CERTIFICATES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the debenture certificates hereunder specified have been declared to be lost and the public is warned against their negotiation.

Application has been made for the issue of duplicate certificates, and should no objection be lodged with the Municipal Treasurer and Comptroller within 30 days from date hereof, the application will be complied with and the original certificates will be treated as cancelled.

| Loan | Distinctive Numbers | Value of each Debenture Tls. | Total Value Tls. | Registered in the name of |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1915 | 3009/3018 | 100 | 1,000 | Mrs. Margaret Anne Hill |
| 1916 | 14869/14871 | 1,000 | 3,000 | William Hill |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 23, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2759.**

**LICENSED PREMISES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the following additional licence condition to be known as No. 1A, will be enforced in the case of all Licensed Premises with effect from October 1.

1-A That the General Municipal Rate payable in respect of the said premises be paid within fourteen days after the date on which it shall become due for payment.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2746 *(Amended.)***

*(Translation)*

**BROTHELS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that under the authority of Resolution XV passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, and in pursuance of the recommendation contained in the report of the Special Vice Committee published in the Municipal Gazette of March 19, one-fifth of the brothel licences, selected by lot, will be withdrawn on April 1, 1921. A public drawing will take place at the Town Hall on Tuesday, December 21, at 3 o'clock p.m., when the brothels to be closed will be determined. The drawings will be public and all interested are invited to be present.

Tickets of admission may be obtained on application to The Revenue Office. No. 7A the Bund, and a list of the licensed brothels will be exhibited at the Police Stations and at the Revenue Office from Thursday, November 25.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No 2763.**

**PUBLIC RECREATION GROUND.**

CLUBS desirous of securing playing space within the racecourse for the coming winter season are requested to make application to Mr. R. I. Fearon, No. 1 The Bund.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 21, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2764.**

**HONGKEW RECREATION GROUND.**

SECRETARIES of Clubs wishing to use the Hongkew Recreation Ground for football are requested to send in their proposed programmes of fixtures to the Hon. Secretary, Mr. Ross, Public School for Boys, as soon as possible, to enable reservations to be made for the desired dates.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 14, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Monday, October 18, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were :—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphrys
A. C. Hynes
W. P. Lambe
W. L. Merriman

*Absent:*

Mr. D. McColl

The meeting adjourned at 7.40 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, October 20, 1920, at 4.30 p m., there were :—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent:*

Messrs. M. Benjamin
D. Goh

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.

### Commissioner of Customs.

A letter from Mr. L. A. Lyall, informs the Council that he has surrendered charge of the Shanghai Customs to Mr. E. G. Lowder.

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## Volunteer Corps.

*First Reserves.*—Eight months' leave is granted to Lieut. C. H. Ryde from October 16.

*Light Horse.*—The resignation of 2nd Lieut. F. W. Foster has been forwarded by the Commandant and accepted by the Council with regret.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant the following promotions are authorised:—

2nd Lieut. H. G. Robinson to be Lieutenant.

Squadron Sergeant Major A. H. P. Koe to be 2nd Lieut.

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 164 | Kiangse | Moorhead, Halse and Robinson | | | altns. & addns. |
| 84/86 | Kiukiang & Kiangse | The Asia Banking Corporation | | | altns. |
| 86 | Off Kiukiang | The International Banking Corporation | | | water closet |
| 89 | ,, | Moorhead, Halse and Robinson | | | altns. |
| 86 | Off Nanking | Edward Ezra & Co. | | | water closet |
| 162 | ,, | Palmer & Turner | | | electric lift |
| 1707 | Off Kwenming | The Pacific Trading Co. | 1 | | servants quarters & garage |
| 7293 | Off Lay | The Nan Yang Construction Co. | | | godown |
| 3812 | Off Thorburn | The Chinese National Wireless Telegraph Co. | | | factory |
| N of 3980 | Off Whashing | The Hong Yue Cotton Mill Co. | | | school & quarters |
| 2715 | Off Yulin | The Tobacco Products Corporation | | | water closet |
| 88 | ,, Burkill | Brandt & Rodgers | | | altns. |
| E of 1795 | Off Great Western | Kiang Yue Kee | | | shed |
| 2321 | ,, | Wong Chi Ju | | | altns. |
| 6185 | Off Hart | H. M. Cumine | | | addns. |
| 4608 & N of 4608 | Off Mokanshan | Lin Yoen Dai | | | dyeing house & boiler room |
| 2894 | Seymour | The China Realty Co., Ld. | | | altns. |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 1036 E of 5488 | Off Fearon Robison | Zah Suc Kee Lin Yoen Dai | 3 56 | | 4 bungalows |

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16.

*Police Force.*—Constable T. C. O'Donovan is dismissed the Force from October 12.

Miss G. Tsirentschikoff-Segel is appointed Russian Translator on probation from October 1.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to Inspector J. Lamont from October 18.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. F. Langford is appointed Collector from October 14, on three months' probation.

Mr. C. Goodhind is appointed Assistant Inspector from October 14, on three months' probation.

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, October 17, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 2 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 15 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 5 | 5 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 168 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Sanitary Station.

Shanghai, October 14, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to hand you, enclosed, a statement of Receipts and Payments in connexion with the Sanitary Station at Woosung for the September Quarter, 1920.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

The CHAIRMAN, Municipal Council.

| RECEIPTS. | | *Haikwan Taels* |
|---|---|---|
| Balance from June Quarter 1920 | | — |
| Foreign Municipal Council's Contribution | 1,346.50 | |
| French Municipal Council's Contribution | 471.27 | |
| Superintendent's Contribution | 2,893.00 | |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 872.53 | |
| Gain by Exchange | 42.19 | |
| *Interest on Mortgage A/c | 448.84 | |
| | | 5,874.33 |
| Total Receipts | | 5,874.33 |

| EXPENDITURE. | | *Haikwan Taels* |
|---|---|---|
| Salaries, Foreign Staff | 1,975.80 | |
| ,, Chinese ,, | 1,687.00 | |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 520.65 | |
| Maintenance Account | 325.09 | |
| Advertisements, Telegrams, etc. | 72.46 | |
| Coal and Stores for Tender | 798.56 | |
| | 5,379.56 | |
| Balance due on June 30, 1920 | 12,608.55 | |
| Total Expenditure | | 17,988.11 |
| Debit Balance on Sept. 30, 1920 | | 12,113.78 |

*Total interest received to date Hk. Tls. 2,692.98

Prepared by
R. L. WARREN,
*District Accountant.*

L. A. LYALL,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

## Municipal Loan 1920.

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on October 19:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 122,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | | |
| One ,, | 35,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | | |
| Shanghai Silk Spinning Co., Ld. | 16,300 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | | |
| Two Investors Tls. 12,000 | 24,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 11,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 564,300 | |
| 297 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 431,400 | |
| 316 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 995,700 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 41 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 62,200 | |
| 43 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 85,200 |
| | | | Total Tls. 1,080,900 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

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## Mixed Court Report for September.

The undermentioned foreigners who are not recognized by any Consulate in Shanghai were before the Court on various charges:—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| J. Schluter | German | Unlicensed dog | Cautioned |
| Leon Henri Rabichofsky | Russian Jew | Returning from expulsion | Re-expelled |
| E. Helmann | German | Motorcycle no number plate | Fined $3.00 |
| George Pappas | Greek | Accessory after the fact | 3 months' impt. |
| J. Brenan | American | Drunk and Disorderly | Cautioned |

In November 1915 one Ong Zien-tshing (洪泉清), charged with stabbing a man to death, was sentenced, after having made a full confession, to be handed over to the Military Governor to be executed according to law, or should this sentence not be carried out, to be returned to this Court. On December 16, 1915, the Military Governor sent a dispatch stating that the accused had been handed over to the Shanghai Shên P'an T'ing where on November 27, 1915, he had been sentenced to 14 years' imprisonment. This man escaped early this year from the City Gaol and was arrested for creating a disturbance in the Hongkew District. His identity was established and the Court (Messrs. Jacobs and Li) ordered him to be sent back to the Arsenal for the original sentence to be carried out or to be returned to this Court.

Out of a total of 4,870 cases dealt with during the month no less than 2,841 were in connexion with breaches of traffic regulations and of these 110 were for infringements of the motor car license conditions. This is the first time that three figures have been recorded, but, if the number continues to increase as it in all probability will as more and more cars arrive in the Settlement, the desirability of holding a special Court once or twice a week to deal with traffic offences may have to be considered.

Thirteen persons were charged under the new Brothel Licensing Conditions: in most cases a fine was imposed.

Five-sixths of the Foreign Civil Cases set for hearing were postponed for various reasons, so causing an increase to sixteen awaiting a first hearing.

There are now only three instead of four Assessors for Chinese Civil Cases, which means that it will be roughly two months before these cases are reduced to their normal number.

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with; Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

F. L. WAINWRIGHT,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
K. J. MCEUEN,
Commissioner of Police.

### OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| 1.—Offences Against the Person:— | |
| Abductions | 10 |
| Allowing Children in Brothels | 4 |
| Assaults | 57 |
| Attempted Suicides | 6 |
| Cruelty to Children | 1 |
| Kidnapping | 1 |
| Malicious Prosecution | 1 |
| Manslaughter | 2 |
| Murders | 5 |
| Wounding (causing grievous bodily harm) | 2 |
| 2.—Offences Against Property:— | |
| Burglaries | 17 |
| Cruelty to animals | 26 |
| Embezzlement | 5 |
| Extortion (obtaining money by threats) | 1 |
| False Pretences | 3 |
| Fraud | 5 |
| House-breaking | 2 |
| Larceny | 250 |
| Malicious Damage | 3 |
| Receiving stolen property | 9 |
| Robberies | 4 |
| Found on enclosed premises | 2 |
| 3.—Offences of a Public Nature:— | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of Licence Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 23 |
| Carts | 71 |
| Dogs | 11 |
| Foodshops | 34 |
| Hawkers | 18 |
| Laundry | 1 |
| Lodging Houses | 2 |
| Motor cars | 110 |
| Opium | 127 |
| Pawnshops | 3 |
| Ricshas | 2,511 |
| Tea-shops | 5 |
| Wheel-barrows | 77 |
| Wine-shops | 3 |
| Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| Fireworks | 4 |
| House refuse | 72 |
| Indecent Advertisements | 2 |
| Lotteries | 2 |
| Nuisances | 988 |
| Prostitutes | 40 |
| Sunshades | 19 |
| Traffic | 49 |
| Coining | 2 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 7 |
| Disorderly Conduct | 81 |
| Gambling | 114 |
| Loitering with intent | 26 |
| Returning after expulsion | 12 |
| Trademarks, Infringement of | 5 |
| Trafficking in Women or Children | 2 |
| Vagrancy | 2 |
| 4.—Miscellaneous cases | 31 |
| TOTAL | 4,870 |

### SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 3,683 |
| Cases withdrawn | 5 |
| Cautioned | 60 |
| Compensation | 3 |
| Dismissed | 70 |
| Expulsion | 4 |
| Fined | 667 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 65 |
| Imprisonment | 196 |
| " and expulsion | 80 |
| Reformatory | 4 |
| Released on Security | 12 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 9 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 11 |
| Various | 1 |
| TOTAL | 4,870 |

### WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| At September | 67 |
| Received | 50 |
| Released | 49 |
| Remaining September 30 | 68 |

### SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 283 |
| " served | 299 |
| Warrants issued | 40 |
| " executed | 27 |

### FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 4 |
| " executed | 1 |
| " withdrawn | 1 |
| Summonses issued | 29 |
| " served | 16 |
| " withdrawn | 2 |
| Persons apprehended on Warrants | 1 |
| " summoned | 16 |
| Sealing orders issued | 18 |
| " " executed | 1 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 17 |

### CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 106 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 30 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 79 |
| " heard | 64 |
| " in course of hearing | 64 |
| " concluded | 60 |
| " awaiting first hearing on Sept. 30 | 105 |
| Summonses issued | 89 |
| " served | 90 |
| " withdrawn | 10 |
| Warrants issued | 21 |
| " executed | 24 |
| " withdrawn | 8 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 24 |
| " summoned | 110 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 58 |
| Sealing orders issued | 15 |
| " " executed | 5 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 10 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 6 |

### SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 99 |
| Bonds accepted | 55 |
| " rejected | 14 |

### HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On September 1 | 48 |
| Received | 27 |
| Released | 17 |
| On September 30 | 58 |

### SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Transmarina Trading Co. | Netherlands | Zau Kyung-tshing (Sing Yui Hong) | Tls. 6,752.75 | Proceeding. |
| The Ault Wiborg Company | American | Tsong Wo Doo Su Kwan *et al* | $2,886.92 | Judgment for plaintiffs $2,886.92 |

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## Health Officer's Report for September.

The Public Health so far as Shanghai is concerned may perhaps be summed up by saying that we have come through the summer very well. Though Cholera threatened, the incidence of acute diarrhœa of choleraic type has never been more than moderate, and has scarcely caused any abnormal increase in the mortality rate. Latterly there was an increase in Dysentery, of which disease 13 cases and 4 deaths were reported among the resident foreign community.

A fatal foreign case of Anthrax was reported in which the infection appears to have been derived from a shaving brush. The brush in question had no mark indicating its origin; Anthrax was not found on examination, but after using a new brush a few times it is to be expected that anthrax spores may have been washed away. Several such cases have during recent years been reported in Europe as certainly derived from shaving brushes made of horse hair from the Far East. This fatal case will serve as an indication of the danger locally, although the chance of being infected is remote, the present being the first foreign case of Anthrax reported in Shanghai for many years. Shaving brushes should be avoided unless purchased from reputable firms and from good makers. Those of Far Eastern origin should be avoided. It would be advisable, after thorough washing with soap, to immerse any recently purchased shaving brush in 20 per cent. formalin in water for 24 hours.

Preparations are being made to begin a vaccination campaign early in October so as to get the community protected before Smallpox comes. The position as regards Smallpox in Shanghai is that the public generally are well vaccinated, most cases coming in from outside or occurring among recent arrivals both foreign and Chinese.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaugterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### DEATHS.

| | Foreign Resident | Foreign Non-resident | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Typhoid fever | 2 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet fever | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 5 | 0 | 71 |
| Beri-beri | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Dysentery | 4 | 0 | 28 |
| From all causes | 34 | 7 | 709 |

### INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Typhoid fever | 3 |
| Paratyphoid fever | 1 |
| Diphtheria | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 4 |
| Dysentery | 13 |
| Anthrax | 1 |

### ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cases admitted | Diphtheria | 4 | 0 |
| | Scarlet fever | 0 | 4 |
| | Measles | 4 | 1 |
| | Choleraic Diarrhoea | 14 | 6 |
| | Tuberculosis | 5 | 0 |
| | Discharged | 24 | 32 |
| | Died | 1 | 1 |
| Remaining last day of month | | 12 | 18 |

### MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 3,020 |
| Bacterial " " | 85 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 5 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 569 |
| Analyses | 74 |

### RABIES OBSERVATION

| | |
|---|---|
| Dogs received for observation | 5 |
| Dogs biting people | 3 |
| Returned to owners | 1 |
| Sent to lethal chamber | 1 |
| Died of Rabies | 1 |

### VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 45 | 10 |
| Surgical | 26 | 1 |
| Maternity | 16 | 4 |
| Mental | 6 | 0 |
| Infectious | 1 | 0 |
| Total | 94 | 15 |

### SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen ..... | 2,279 | 3 | 2,279 | 1 | 0 |
| Sheep ..... | 2,812 | 0 | 2,812 | 22 | 0 |
| Calves ..... | 475 | 0 | 475 | 1 | 0 |
| Pigs..... | 372 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

### SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK.

| | District: Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 255 | 583 | 176 | 328 | 1341 |
| Rats plague infected ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No of traps in operation .. | 746 | 1000 | 1[illegible]0 | 400 | 3146 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1002 | 1482 | 894 | 683 | 4060 |
| Poisoned baits laid ... .. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier .. .. | 0 | 0 | 204 | 0 | 204 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner.. .... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

### GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District: Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 1 | 18 | 12 | 5 | 36 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease ... ... ... ... | 41 | 88 | 110 | 58 | 297 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease ... ... | 91 | 87 | 466 | 294 | 938 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 1133 | 707 | 2,958 | 1,631 | 6,429 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed ... ... ... ... | 12 | 141 | 558 | 81 | 792 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 62 | 0 | 62 |
| Defective drainage amended ... ... ... ... ... | 34 | 22 | 43 | 32 | 131 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected ... ... ... ... | 4 | 7 | 0 | 9 | 20 |
| " " repaired ... ... ... ... | 51 | 83 | 71 | 79 | 234 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy ... | 3 | 2 | 25 | 3 | 33 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished ... ... ... ... | 0 | 1 | 351 | 1,046 | 1,398 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried ... ... | 0 | 9 | 20 | 0 | 29 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed ... ... ... ... ... | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Offensive trade processes amended ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Beggar-boats removed... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 19 | 0 | 19 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 26 | 18 | 12 | 16 | 72 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 63 | 81 | 70 | 53 | 267 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 3 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 13 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Samples taken for analysis... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 9 | 21 | 23 | 53 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed ... ... ... ... | 100 | 775 | 4,570 | 900 | 6,345 |
| Outside hawkers licensed ... ... ... ... ... ... | 696 | 777 | 664 | 449 | 2,586 |
| Food prosecutions... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 50 | 15 | 2 | 67 |
| House refuse prosecutions ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 58 | 10 | 0 | 68 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions ... ... ... ... | 0 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 12 |
| Tons of ordure removed ... ... ... ... ... ... | 3,765 | 4,247 | 2,894 | 4,470 | 15,376 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed ... ... ... | 3,012 | 830 | 356 | 628 | 4,826 |
| Tons of house refuse removed ... ... ... ... ... | 6,897 | 4,486 | 2,440 | 3,308 | 17,131 |

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LABORATORY REPORT ON WATER.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks' water.

Sample received October 6, 1920.

Report sent out October 9, 1920.

Physical Characters.—Very slight opacity. Bluish green colour. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 15.5 |
| Appearance on Ignition—slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 9.1 |
| (a) Temporary | 5.3 |
| (b) Permanent | 3.8 |
| Chlorine | 2.3 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0430 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0019 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0081 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° c. | 0.0364 |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 20° C. for 72 hours showed an average of 73 microbes per c.c.

Nutrient agar plates at 37° C. for 48 hours showed an average of 25 microbes per c.c.

Organisms of the coli group were present in 5 c.c. and upwards after 48 hours.

Report on Analysis.—The results of analysis show satisfactory purification.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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## Parks Report for August and September

AUGUST.

*Roadside Trees—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of trees fastened | 223 |
| " " " staked | 2 |
| " " " transplanted | 9 |
| " " " pruned | 1,160 |
| " " " top-dressed | 2,638 |
| " " of dead trees removed | 157 |
| " " of tree-borers destroyed | 2,242 |

*Nurseries—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of trees pruned | 20,032 |
| " " of shrubs transplanted | 1,310 |
| " " of seedlings transplanted | 250 |
| Various cuttings inserted | 2,370 |

*Plants Bedded Out at—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Public Gardens | 3,200 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 200 |
| Wayside Park | 870 |
| Ellis Kadoorie School | 130 |
| Hongkew Police Station | 120 |
| | 3,520 |

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,105 |
| Lawn Bowls | 301 |
| Baseball | 630 |
| Tennis (1,126 courts) | 9,352 |
| Total number of Players | 11,388 |
| " " Non-players | 21,372 |
| Visitors | 32,760 |

*Mowed Lawns at—*

Cathedral Compound.
Quinsan Square.
The Point Garden.
Studley Park.
Bund Foreshore.
Soochow Road Foreshore.
Hart Piece.
Yuyuen Piece.
Brenan Piece.
Warren Piece.
Bubbling Well Carriage Turn.
Wayside Carriage Turn.
Isolation Hospital.
Victoria Nursing Home.
Municipal Goal and Reformatory.
Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.
Public School for Boys.
do. " Girls.
do. " Chinese.
Ellis Kadoorie School.
"Nieh Chih Kuei" Public School.
Kungping Road Public School.
Public School for Girls in Western District and Playgrounds.
Connaught Road Police Quarters.
Carter Road Police Quarters.
209 Bubbling Well Road Police Quarters.
76 Yangtszepoo Road Police Quarters.
Sinza Police Station.
Louza do.
Bubbling Well Police Station.
Hongkew do.
Wayside do.
Yangtszepoo do.
Harbin Road do.
Gordon Road do.

SEPTEMBER.

*Road Widenings—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of trees transplanted | 22 |

*Roadside Trees—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of trees pruned | 2,076 |
| " " " fastened | 2,412 |
| " " " staked | 440 |
| " " " top-dressed | 3,811 |

*Nurseries—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of young trees pruned | 8,110 |
| " " of seedlings transplanted | 120 |

*Plants Bedded Out at—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Public Gardens | 850 |
| Reserve Garden | 360 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 5,700 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 1,318 |
| Public School for Chinese | 240 |
| " " " Girls | 120 |
| Wayside Park | 820 |
| Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | 83 |
| | 9,490 |

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Golf | 779 |
| Lawnbowls | 98 |
| Baseball | 90 |
| Tennis (237 courts) | 1,672 |
| Total number of players | 2,639 |
| " " non-players | 13,229 |
| Total number of visitors | 15,868 |

*Mowed Lawns at—*

Cathedral Compound.
Quinsan Square.
The Point Garden.
Studley Park.
Bund Foreshore.
Soochow Road Foreshore.
Bubbling Well Carriage Turn.
Wayside Carriage Turn.
Warren Piece.
Hart Piece.
Yuyuen Piece.
Brenan Piece.
Municipal Goal and Reformatory.
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do. for Girls.
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209 Bubbling Well Road Police Quarters.
78 Yangtszepoo Road Police Quarters.
Sinza Police Station.
Louza do.
Bubbling Well Police Station.
Hongkew do.
Yangtszepoo do.
Wayside do.
Harbin Road do.
Gordon Road do.

D. MACGREGOR,
*Superintendent of Parks and Open Spaces.*

Countersigned:
CHAS. H. GODFREY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 機關有份係承攬本局各項本局有權全部或一部承攬本局之工程所有承攬者必須自有本辦之機器及工具並須有相當之經驗所有投標者必須將其姓名及投標之價目開列於本局之公告內本局有權拒絕任何投標之最低或其他投標之一部或全部本局有權要求中標者提出相當之保證金以保證其履行合同之義務

二 本局有權要求投標者提出相當之保證金以保證其履行合同之義務

三 投標者必須將其姓名及投標之價目開列於本局之公告內本局有權拒絕任何投標之最低或其他投標之一部或全部本局有權要求中標者提出相當之保證金以保證其履行合同之義務

四 所有承攬者必須自有本辦之機器及工具並須有相當之經驗

五 本局有權要求投標者提出相當之保證金以保證其履行合同之義務

六 所有承攬者必須將其姓名及投標之價目開列於本局之公告內本局有權拒絕任何投標之最低或其他投標之一部或全部本局有權要求中標者提出相當之保證金以保證其履行合同之義務

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 155 | 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. quality | — | November 1, Noon |
| 156 | 150 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 157 | 2,400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 ,, | — | do. |
| 158 | 1,200 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 4 ,, | — | do. |
| 159 | 7,000 ,, ,, Indigo Serge | — | do. |
| 160 | 900 ,, Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 quality | — | do. |
| 161 | 400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,, | — | do. |
| 162 | 2,000 ,, Cotton Lining | — | do. |
| 163 | 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each | — | do. |
| 164 | 500 Brown ,, 68 × 90 5-lb. each | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before June 30, 1921 | | |
| 165 | 1,700 Grey Brown Cotton Blankets 84 × 60 5-lb each | — | do. |
| | To be delivered on or before December 31, 1920 | | |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 571 | Painting at Wayside Police Station | — | October 22, Noon |
| 572 | Observation Suites—Isolation Hospital | — | do. 30, ,, |
| 574 | Supply of Portland Cement | — | November 27, ,, |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Acting Engineer-in-Chief and Manager, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 204 | Coal—Riverside | — | November 11, Noon |
| 205 | ,, —Fearon Road | — | do. 11, ,, |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 552

Supply of Bass Brooms

| | |
|---|---|
| A. E. S. Thompson & Co. | Tls. 1,000.00 |
| *Dah Fong Hung | 745,83 |

Tender No. 564

Extensions to Hongkew Police Station

| | |
|---|---|
| Joe Ming Kee | Tls. 35,000 |
| Yue Chang Tai | 34 950 |
| Sing Fah Kee | 33,000 |
| Kaung Yue Kee | 32,700 |
| Sung Kee | 31,424 |
| *Wong Kor Sung | 28,450 |

Tender No. 565

Electric Wiring at Louza Police Station

| | |
|---|---|
| The Kawakita Electric Co., Ld. | Tls. 2,215 |
| China Investment & Trading Co., Inc. | 2,000 |
| Scott, Harding & Co. | 1,495 |
| *The General Electric Co. of China, Ld. | 1,060 |

Tender No. 567

Japanese Marble to Wall Surfaces, Floors and Staircase to Main Entrance, Administration Building

| | |
|---|---|
| *Taukai & Co. | Tls. 15,250 |
| G. Finocchiaro & Co. | 14,950 |

*Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2758.**

**6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**£750,000.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan has been closed, the Loan having been fully subscribed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2759.**

**LICENSED PREMISES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the following additional licence condition to be known as No. 1A, will be enforced in the case of all Licensed Premises with effect from October 1.

1-A That the General Municipal Rate payable in respect of the said premises be paid within fourteen days after the date on which it shall become due for payment.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2746 *(Amended.)***

*(Translation)*

**BROTHELS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that under the authority of Resolution XV passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, and in pursuance of the recommendation contained in the report of the Special Vice Committee published in the Municipal Gazette of March 19, one-fifth of the brothel licences, selected by lot, will be withdrawn on April 1, 1921. A public drawing will take place at the Town Hall on Tuesday, December 21, at 3 o'clock p.m., when the brothels to be closed will be determined. The drawings will be public and all interested are invited to be present.

Tickets of admission may be obtained on application to The Revenue Office, No. 7A the Bund, and a list of the licensed brothels will be exhibited at the Police Stations and at the Revenue Office from Thursday, November 25.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2763.**

**PUBLIC RECREATION GROUND.**

CLUBS desirous of securing playing space within the racecourse for the coming winter season are requested to make application to Mr. R. I. Fearon, No. 1 The Bund.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 21, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2764.**

**HONGKEW RECREATION GROUND.**

SECRETARIES of Clubs wishing to use the Hongkew Recreation Ground for football are requested to send in their proposed programmes of fixtures to the Hon. Secretary, Mr. Ross, Public School for Boys, as soon as possible, to enable reservations to be made for the desired dates.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 14, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2765.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP.**

DURING the month of November, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up will be as follows:—

From November 1 to 15 at 5.10 p.m.
" " 16 " 30 " 5.00 p.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 28, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2766.**

**ORDURE CONTRACTS.**

*(Translation.)*

THE Council is prepared to receive tenders for the removal by boat of ordure from the Settlement from January 1, 1921.

For this purpose the Settlement will be divided into two separate areas:—

1. North of the Soochow Creek.
2. South of the Soochow Creek.

Separate contracts will be made in respect of each of these areas and tenders should state clearly for which area they are tendering and the amount of money they are prepared to pay to the Council and send their tenders with "Tenders for Ordure Contract" marked thereon, to the undersigned not later than noon on November 15, 1920. The Contractors whose tenders are accepted will be required to deposit three months' money with the Council. A contract for one year renewable for a further period of two years will be made provided the contractors perform their duties to the satisfaction of the Council, and in case they wish to continue the work. Assignment of the contracts will not be permitted. Official tender forms and further particulars may be obtained and conditions of contract may be inspected upon application to the Health Office.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 28, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, October 22, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
A. C. Hynes
W. L. Merriman

*Absent:*

Messrs. C. G. Humphrys
W. P. Lambe
D. McColl

The meeting adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Foreign Educational Committee held on Monday, October 25, 1920, at 4.30 there were:—

*Present*:

Dr. S. A. Ransom *(Chairman)*
Mrs. Billinghurst
Mr. P. W. Massey
Mrs. Merriman
Very Rev. C. J. F. Symons

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, October 28, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith *(Chairman)*
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent*:

Mr. M. Benjamin

The meeting adjourned at 6.05 p.m.

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### Salaries Commission.

The resignation of Mr. W. C. Sprague of his seat on the above Commission has been accepted by the Council with regret.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Headquarters.*—A Captain's Commission as Medical officer has been authorized for issue to Honorary Major E. G. Gauntlett, C.B.E., D.S.O., late R.A.M.C. (T).

### Garbage—Soochow Creek.

Letter from the Senior Consul forwarding a communication from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs concerning the dumping of garbage in the vicinity of the Soochow Creek, with reply.

Shanghai, August 4, 1920.

SIR,—I enclose herewith for your consideration and reply copies of Chinese text and free translation of letter received from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs in Shanghai regarding the conservancy of the Woosung River.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. SIFFERT,
*Senior Consul.*

A. BROOKE SMITH, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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*Translation of letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to the Senior Consul, dated July 31, 1920.*

The Commissioner for Foreign Affairs is in receipt of a note from Chen Un-tse, Deputy of the Woosung River Conservancy Works stating that the Soochow Creek (the end of the Woosung River) serves as an important waterway from the Tai Ho, for the transportation of cereals and other goods to and from Shanghai. The Deputy was, last winter, directed by the Kiangnan Maritime Bureau, under the orders of the Kiangsu Civil Governor, to take immediate steps to conserve the lower part of the Soochow Creek, and, having found that the section of the creek at Siao-Shao Ferry was silted up badly he started dredging work from that point, at the same time he addressed the Foreign Commissioner asking him to communicate with the Senior Consul, asking him to communicate with the Municipal Council in the matter. During these several months he has engaged coolies and has pushed the dredging work along with a view to doing something for the benefit of the community. However, he finds that the blocking up of the section of the creek at this point is primarily due to the dumping of refuse by the Municipal Contractor employed to collect house refuse from the Settlement. It appears that the contractors are in the habit of storing house refuse on ground in the vicinity in question, about ten boat loads each day, and not infrequently the contractor or his men throw the refuse into the creek, also at times the rain and wind carry part of the garbage dumped on the ground into the water, thereby gradually blocking up the creek. Last November there was unusual overcrowding of boats in Sinza, this is evidence of the congestion of boat traffic caused by the creek being blocked up by refuse and filth. The writer therefore, holds the view that if no restrictions are placed upon this kind of dumping of refuse, and no supervision exercised over garbage boats the more dredging there is done the worse the condition in the creek will be, and there can never be a clear passage along this waterway. The cleaning of the streets is an important sanitary measure but the dumping of garbage in a locality which is in close proximity to a commercial port is a source of disease, and is inconsistent with the Council's public health regulations. The Deputy has therefore to ask the Commissioner to make representations to the Senior Consul asking him to request the Council to exercise more supervision over their garbage contractors so as to prevent them from dumping garbage and filth into the Soochow Creek, also to order them to stop dumping garbage on the banks of the creek. The contractor should be instructed to provide steam launches to take the garbage to suitable sites outside the Whangpoo River so that boat traffic conditions in the creek may be improved and the community be benefitted. Besides forwarding reports to the Civil Governor of the province and the Kiangnan Maritime Bureau as to the effect of the Settlement garbage on traffic conditions in this waterway the Deputy submits the above report for consideration and action by the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs.

In compliance with the above the Commissioner asks the Senior Consul kindly to request the Municipal Council to give directions to their contractors not to handle or dump refuse on the banks of the Soochow Creek. This in the interests of the community.

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 14, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of August 4, forwarding a copy and translation of a communication received from the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, relative to the dumping of garbage in the vicinity of the Soochow Creek.

In reply I have the honour to observe that dredging of the Creek has been in operation for some time within Settlement limits, but that owing very largely to the winding nature of the Creek on the Northern borders of the Western District of the Settlement and to the frequent berthing of boats in connexion with the various mills on the banks, a considerable amount of silting is inevitable. And in this connexion I have the honour further to observe that for some years the only dredging of the Creek has been that undertaken by the Council, and that owing to the absence of dredging beyond Settlement limits by the Chinese authorities, the task of keeping the fairway clear has been rendered increasingly difficult.

In so far as the disposal of garbage is concerned, every effort is made by the Council to prevent its being dumped *en route* to the dumping sites or on the foreshore of such sites but it is impossible to prevent a small quantity finding its way into the Creek from the garbage boats whilst unloading, but the dredging undertaken by the Council prevents any serious silting from this cause.

From the public health point of view it may be stated that the sites selected for dumping garbage are chosen with a view to minimise any possible offence therefrom. Moreover garbage is not of itself a medium for breeding those malignant bacilli which are instrumental in producing so many human disorders, a fact which will be the more readily understood when it is realized that it is in the main composed of vegetable matter, which quickly purifies, and deodorises itself when exposed to the air. Furthermore it often renders an actual service in promoting the health of the Community, as it can be and is used to fill in stagnant ponds, or to raise damp and low lying lands, thereby eliminating mosquito breeding grounds and lending aid to the extermination of this germ carrying pest which is so fruitful a medium for passing on disease from infected to healthy members of the Community.

In conclusion I have the honour to state that the Council will welcome any effort on the part of the Chinese Authorities which would tend to improve the usefulness of the Soochow Creek as a waterway.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
WM. P. LAMBE,
*Acting Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

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### Traffic.

Upon the recommendation of the Commissioner of Police, it has been decided to erect a temporary tramway passenger island on the north side of the Bubbling Well Road slightly west of the end of Mohawk Road.

### Administration Building.

The Tender of Messrs. Arts & Crafts, Ltd., for the panelling, flooring and ceiling of the Council Chamber and two Committee rooms in the new Administration Buildings has been accepted.

### Plans of New Buildings Approved

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 41A | Kiukiang | C. Luthy | | | block offices |
| 17D | Museum | The National Committee of the Y.M.C.A. | | | godown |
| 465A | S. Woosieh | Lee Shue Kee | 1 | | servants' quarters & latrine |
| 801 | Off North Soochow | The Shanghai General Hospital | | | water closet installation |
| 801 | ,, | Moorhead, Halse and Robinson | | | altns. |
| 372 | N. Shanse | The Municipal Electricity Department | | | sub-station |
| 315 | Off Dixwell | Brandt & Rodgers | 1 | | |
| E of 2654 | Pingliang | The Municipal Electricity Department | | | sub-station |
| 6054 | Off Tong-ting | ,, | | | foundations for boiler house |
| 2757 | B'bling Well | H. M. Cumine | | | gate-house conservatory & wall |
| 462 | Off Chengtu | The Nan Yang Construction Co. | | | 2 gates |
| 2325 | Gt. Western | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| 3546 | Markham & Medhurst | ,, | | | wall & gates |
| 977 | Shanhai-kwan | The Municipal Electricity Department | | | sub-station |
| 4390 | Off West Soochow | The Naigai Wata Kaisha | | | altns. |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 494 | Boundary & N. Che-kiang | Chun Wei Ping | | | altns. |
| 1012 | Off Broad-way | Brandt & Rodgers | 77 | | 2 gate-houses |
| 69 | Jehol | G. R. Grove & Co. | | | addns. & altns. |
| 2277 | Wayside | A. Lafuente | 6 | | |
| 2470 | Off Whash-ing | The Pacific Trading Co. | | | kit-chen addns. & wall |
| 980 | Off Yochow | S. K. Zah | 4 | | |

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23.

*Police Force.*—Mr. R. M. Jordan is appointed Printer in the Gaol Printing Department on three months' probation from October 13.

N. Chadderton having served the probationary period, is confirmed in the rank of Assistant Warder from October 12.

The Council has learnt with deep regret of the death of Probationary Constable Nobuyoshi Shinmen on October 18.

Probationary Japanese Interpreter Naohiko Hirano is permitted to terminate his service on October 23.

Sergeant W. J. Russell is transferred to be Clerical Assistant in the Electricity Department from October 20, on three months' probation.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Inspector P. Veit from December 25.

Long leave is granted to Mr. G. J. Turnbull, Clerical Assistant, from May 28, 1921.

Probationary Inspector T. Hardon was permitted to terminate his service on October 16.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to Inspector J. Weidman from February 12, 1921.

*Electricity Department.*—Meter Inspector F. J. Brown is dismissed the Service from October 16.

The appointments of the following are confirmed under agreements, from the dates specified, terminable at three months' notice:—

J. C. Grieg, Clerical Assistant from June 18.

L. G. Day, Clerical Assistant from June 16.

T. Aiers, Collector from June 1.

L. Meyer, Power Department Assistant from June 7.

*Educational Department.*—The appointment of Miss G. Meech, Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, is confirmed under agreement from September 8.

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, October 24, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 21 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 7 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 161 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

### Municipal Loan 1920.

#### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on October 26:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs Tls. | 147,800 | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | |
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | 50,000 | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | |
| One ,, | 35,000 | |
| One ,, | 34,000 | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | |
| Shanghai Silk Spinning Co., Ld. | 16,300 | |
| S. J. Betines | 14,000 | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | |
| Two Investors Tls. 12,000 | 24,000 | |
| One Investor of | 11,000 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | |
| | | Tls. 674,100 |
| 306 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 457,200 |
| 327 Foreign Investors | | Tls. 1,131,300 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 |
| 41 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 62,200 |
| 43 Chinese Investors | | Tls. 85,200 |
| | | Total Tls. 1,216,500 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

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**Report of Commissioner of Police for September.**

**Strength of the Force on September 30.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 212 | |
| Japanese | 47 | |
| Sikhs | 685 | |
| Chinese | 1,461 | |
| | | 2,414 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 98 | |
| Followers | 229 | |
| | | 327 |
| | Total | 2,741 |

*Robbery.*—During the month one report of an armed robbery from a dwelling house in the Sinza District was received and one case of armed highway robbery and a robbery from a dwelling house, in which no arms were used, were recorded in the Yangtszepoo District.

Two armed robberies and one attempted armed robbery, in which one person was shot and wounded, occurred in Chinese territory on the Western border of the Settlement. Five persons were arrested in connexion with robberies committed at places under Chinese jurisdiction. Four, after a preliminary hearing at the Mixed Court, were handed over to the Chinese authorities concerned and the other committed suicide in the Police Station cells.

One person was arrested on charges of murder, attempted murder and armed robbery which occurred prior to September 1. He was sentenced to imprisonment in the Municipal Gaol.

*Execution.*—On September 23 a Chinese, who was found guilty of having participated in an armed robbery in the Settlement in June 1917 and who was handed over to the Military Governor on July 21, 1919, was executed at Lunghua in the presence of a representative of the Municipal Police.

*Stolen Property.*—324 reports of property stolen were made during the month to the Police. In 114 cases investigations were made with successful results. The return shows an increase of 50 on the previous month and 88 over the corresponding month of last year.

*Panic at Fire in Cinematograph Theatre.*—On the evening of September 27 a fire occurred in the cinematograph theatre situated on the third floor of the Hwo S Ka (花世界), a Chinese pleasure resort in the Foochow Road. The outbreak was trifling and was quickly extinguished by the employes and firemen on duty in the building but unfortunately a panic ensued amongst the audience which resulted in the death of three persons. Twelve others sustained various injuries, two of them being detained in hospital for treatment.

*Disappearance of Foreign Child.*—Whilst the s.s. Woosung was proceeding from Shanghai to Hankow, a three year old child, the daughter of a Russian passenger, disappeared from the boat either at Chinkiang or between that Port and Nanking some time between 12.30 and 6 a.m. on September 27. All efforts to locate the child have so far proved fruitless.

*Price of Rice.*—Fluctuations in the price of rice during the month caused considerable alarm. On September 1 this cereal cost $9.00 to $13.80 per picul and by September 21 the value had risen to $10.00 to $16.30 per picul. Subsequently prices declined to $8.60 to $13.70 per picul according to quality.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 621 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 163 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 170 records were received from the French Police out of which number 74 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For Identification | 791 |
| Identified | 237 |
| Percentage | 30 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 8 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 46 |
| Total | 54 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 18.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 367 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 91 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 54 | *Second offenders.* |
| 23 | *Third offenders.* |
| 7 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 79 | *Habitual offenders* (serious). |
| 621 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. | Tls. 3,( |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 1,2 |
| Total | Tls. 1,7 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. 1,7 |

Here follow tables of p coming under the notice of for criminal and other off punishments inflicted, prisone custody, vehicle licenses susp and confiscated, dogs captured value of property stolen an covered.

K. J. McE

*Commissioner of F*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING U NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINA AND OTHER OFFENCES.

1.—*Offences against the person:*—
- Attempted murder and robbery
- Assault
- Desertion

2.—*Offences Against Property:*—
- Burglary
- False pretence
- Larceny
- Malicious damage

3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:*—

*Breach of Licensing Bye-law or License Conditions:*—
- Dogs
- Motor cars
- Motor cycles

*Breach of Municipal Bye-lau Regulations:*—
- Arms
- Fire-arms
- Matshed
- Nuisance
- Obstruction
- Sunshade
- Aiding fugitive to escape and possession of arms
- Destitute
- Disorderly conduct
- Drunk, disorderly and assault, et
- Gambling
- Keeping shops for sale of opium
- Returning after expulsion order
- Riding a bicycle after sunset wit out a light
- Unlawful use of trade plate

Tot

| | Foreigners | Natives |
|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:*— | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,325 |
| Others | 39 | 977 |
| Total | 39 | 2,302 |

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**PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on September 30.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 5 |
| Louza Station | 3 |
| Hongkew Station | 10 |
| West Hongkew Station | 10 |
| Wayside Station | 16 |
| Sinza Station | 18 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 4 |
| Gordon Road Station | 3 |
| Gaol | 1,673 |
| Reformatory | 50 |
| Total | 1,792 |

**RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Case Withdrawn | 1 |
| Cautioned | 6 |
| Compensation | 2 |
| Dismissed | 8 |
| Expulsion or deportation | 1 |
| Fined | 42 |
| Handed over to U.S. Naval Authorities | 1 |
| Imprisonment | 13 |
| " and expulsion | 1 |
| Jewellery returned to the owner | 1 |
| Remanded | 6 |
| Total | 82 |

**DOGS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 31/8/20 | 46 | 352 |
| Captured | 306 | |
| Returned | 63 | 352 |
| Killed | 239 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 5 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 45 | |

**VEHICLE LICENCES.**

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 531 | 400 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | 1 |
| Total | 531 | 401 |

**VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN August 28 and September 24.**

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 34,345.83 |
| Recovered | 12,339 42 |

## Summary of Revenue for September.

| Description | Estimate for 1920 | 1920 Number | 1920 Amount | 1920 Total from January 1 | 1919 Number | 1919 Amount | 1919 Total from January 1 | 1918 Number | 1918 Amount | 1918 Total from January 1 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,055,000 | — | 59,362.02 | 869,761.33 | — | 133,397.88 | 907,471.14 | — | 79,809.03 | 826,950.52 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 861,000 | — | 42,903.80 | 651,373.16 | — | 69,081.61 | 582,560.86 | — | 15,550.66 | 477,546.90 |
| Chinese | 1,285,000 | — | 51,781.41 | 953,369.17 | — | 157,113.18 | 761,636.66 | — | 36,529.30 | 736,343.78 |
| Specia AdvertisementRate | 1,500 | — | 31.20 | 1,476.03 | — | 18.40 | 1,320.40 | — | 28.05 | 1,311.45 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 350,000 | — | 91,373.56 | 265,617.93 | — | 76,257.54 | 186,593.00 | — | 49,684.78 | 141,555.33 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | — | — | 11,898.50 | — | — | 11,683.50 | 2 | 120.00 | 12,581.70 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 25,000 | 3 | 75.00 | 20,000.00 | — | — | 18,262.50 | 2 | 100.00 | 17,675.00 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 600 | — | — | 456.00 | — | — | 424.00 | — | — | 299.00 |
| Eating House | 10,000 | 81 | 150.79 | 7,417.43 | 14 | 65.74 | 6,849.11 | 11 | 44 61 | 6,800.76 |
| Chinese Club | 5,100 | — | — | 3,650.05 | — | — | 3,820.90 | 1 | 25 00 | 3,016.70 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13,000 | — | — | 8,596.70 | 1 | 15.00 | 9,060.50 | 2 | 50.00 | 9,530.00 |
| Foreign Lodging-house | — | 2 | 1.45 | 192.42 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36 000 | 143 | 667.25 | 21,113.85 | 16 | 86 60 | 26,561.60 | 7 | 14.90 | 26,766 50 |
| Tea-shop | 17,000 | 620 | 1,324.50 | 12,102.50 | 640 | 1,458 50 | 12,571.50 | 656 | 1,382.50 | 12,000.00 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 7,000 | 9 | 60.59 | 5,359.86 | 2 | 6.09 | 5,180.63 | 2 | 4.91 | 4,681.75 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,500 | 17 | 672.00 | 5,098.50 | 20 | 723.00 | 4,621.00 | 11 | 435.00 | 3,187.50 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 21 | 769.00 | 6,751.00 | 19 | 729.00 | 6,401.00 | 18 | 685 00 | 5,810.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 3,200 | 20 | 259.00 | 2,133.00 | 12 | 229.00 | 2,327.00 | 12 | 234.00 | 1,720.00 |
| Brothel | — | 31 | 22.44 | 1,274.15 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 33 000 | 312 | 7,360.46 | 22 959 36 | 308 | 8,719.12 | 24,701.89 | 305 | 6,590.67 | 22,191.88 |
| Exchange Shop | 9,000 | 73 | 132.75 | 4,546.50 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tobacco Shop | 15,000 | 297 | 503.42 | 8,312.17 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,700 | 909 | 506.37 | 4,736.53 | 1,004 | 625.68 | 4,843.45 | 997 | 559.71 | 4,709.13 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,200 | 61 | 87.84 | 830.00 | 63 | 92.61 | 837.31 | 67 | 97.95 | 852 53 |
| Launch | 3,500 | 26 | 52.00 | 2,978.00 | 26 | 52.00 | 2,663.00 | 28 | 56.00 | 2,381.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,688 | 402.14 | 3,491.43 | 1,748 | 414.58 | 3,330.79 | 1,530 | 366.77 | 3,108.30 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 149 | 107.72 | 785.22 | 140 | 102 04 | 711.72 | 150 | 109.41 | 703.32 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 10,000 | P. 13 / C. 13 | 36.11 | 7,419.05 | P. 8 / C. 8 | 20.49 | 7,843.37 | P. 14 / C. 12 | 51.78 | 8,599.62 |
| Livery Stable | 11,000 | P. 315 / C. 293 | 1,074.73 | 9,017.63 | P. 400 / C. 248 | 1,011.31 | 9,344.94 | P. 409 / C. 258 | 1,051.58 | 9,108.92 |
| Motor Vehicles | 70,000 | V. 91 / D. 342 | 675.22 | 55,844.37 | 78 | 293.06 | 36,863.13 | 52 | 222.26 | 29,151.84 |
| Cart | 37,000 | 2,897 | 3,304.00 | 31,090.00 | 2,132 | 3,006.50 | 26,803.50 | 1,739 | 2,449.00 | 23,447.00 |
| Private Ricsha | 70,000 | 117 | 151.84 | 52,002 81 | 132 | 123.24 | 42,362.44 | 110 | 109.45 | 39,045.17 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,604.30 | 104,675.75 | 8,000 | 11,587.60 | 104,457.50 | 8,000 | 11,640 80 | 103,806.82 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 4 | 4.32 | 76.07 | 4 | 5.87 | 96.94 | 3 | 2.19 | 102.56 |
| Wheel-barrow | 53,000 | 8,445 | 4,224.83 | 40,649.69 | 9,088 | 4,547.56 | 37,757.12 | 8,251 | 4,131.74 | 36,451.66 |
| Firearms | 500 | 1 | 10.00 | 200.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 225.00 | — | — | 225.00 |
| Dog | 8,000 | 42 | 151.33 | 6,700.74 | 58 | 211.35 | 5,584.80 | 69 | 100.61 | 8,325.11 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 118,840 | 6,497 | 10,203.30 | 87,700.49 | 6,245 | 9,820.10 | 83,059 54 | 6,158 | 9,701.39 | 81,055.17 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | — | 1,130.00 | — | — | 410.00 | — | — | 390.00 |
| Firemen's Quarters | — | — | — | — | — | — | 805.50 | — | 112.00 | 1,774.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 6,000 | — | — | 3,255.26 | — | 476.20 | 3,968.75 | — | 415.00 | 3,985.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 6.00 | 1,144.04 | — | 20.00 | 1,493.82 | — | 85.00 | 1,283.57 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 26,300 | — | — | 27,522.86 | — | — | 26,003 60 | — | — | 32,362.34 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | 250.00 | 750.00 | — | 250.00 | 750.00 | — | 250.00 | 750.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co., Ld. | 7,330 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 7,331.50 |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 62,000 | — | 16,969.57 | 48,547.56 | — | 15,086.19 | 41,846 00 | — | 12.484.51 | 35,431.91 |
| Electricity Department | 309,000 | — | — | 309,000.00 | — | — | 242,000.00 | — | — | 364,000.00 |
| Convict Labour | 7,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concreteware Manufactory | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 8,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,742,870 | | 307,272.26 | 3,690,639.61 | | 495,672.04 | 3,263,440.91 | | 235,285.56 | 3,103,150.24 |

F. A. SAMPSON, *Acting Commissioner of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 凡未承攬之項目本局有權自行定價准攬各局自有本局承攬之價必須是極低亦有認辦本局全份或幾份

三 本局有權挑選承攬人之資格及其合同須由本局認辦人自保

四 所有承攬人之信用及其合同須由本局認辦人自保

五 本局有權取消承攬人之資格及其合同須由本局認辦人自保

六 所有承攬人之信用及其合同須由本局認辦人自保

所有承攬人之信用及其合同須由本局認辦人自保

後來之最善者本局有權取消承攬人之資格及其合同須由本局認辦人自保

明收之款項應付一律退還承攬人之保證金

本局有權將該款項用於償還本局之債務

所有承攬人之信用及其合同須由本局認辦人自保

仍有權將該款項用於償還本局之債務

其餘款項應付一律退還承攬人之保證金

本局有權將該款項用於償還本局之債務

所有承攬人之信用及其合同須由本局認辦人自保

漆面工程承攬人之資格及其合同須由本局認辦人自保

部局承攬人之資格及其合同須由本局認辦人自保

二時間至四點鐘送交本局辦公室

清單須用英文開列

信封上須加蓋本局工程師之印章

信內須附有一張本局工程師之簽名

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2762.**

**7 PER CENT LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2758.**

**6 PER CENT. STERLING LOAN, 1920.**

**£750,000.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan has been closed, the Loan having been fully subscribed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2759.**

**LICENSED PREMISES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the following additional licence condition to be known as No. 1A, will be enforced in the case of all Licensed Premises with effect from October 1.

1-A That the General Municipal Rate payable in respect of the said premises be paid within fourteen days after the date on which it shall become due for payment.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 1, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2746 *(Amended.)***

*(Translation)*

**BROTHELS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that under the authority of Resolution XV passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7 1920, and in pursuance of the recommendation contained in the report of the Special Vice Committee published in the Municipal Gazette of March 19, one-fifth of the brothel licences, selected by lot, will be withdrawn on April 1, 1921. A public drawing will take place at the Town Hall on Tuesday, December 21, at 3 o'clock p.m., when the brothels to be closed will be determined. The drawings will be public and all interested are invited to be present.

Tickets of admission may be obtained on application to The Revenue Office, No. 7A the Bund, and a list of the licensed brothels will be exhibited at the Police Stations and at the Revenue Office from Thursday, November 25.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No 2763.**

**PUBLIC RECREATION GROUND.**

CLUBS desirous of securing playing space within the racecourse for the coming winter season are requested to make application to Mr. R. I. Fearon, No. 1 The Bund.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 21, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2765.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

DURING the month of November, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up will be as follows:—

From November 1 to 15 at 5.10 p.m.
" " 16 " 30 " 5.00 p.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 28, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2766.**

**ORDURE CONTRACTS.**

*(Translation.)*

THE Council is prepared to receive tenders for the removal by boat of ordure from the Settlement from January 1, 1921.

For this purpose the Settlement will be divided into two separate areas:—

1. North of the Soochow Creek.
2. South of the Soochow Creek.

Separate contracts will be made in respect of each of these areas and tenderers should state clearly for which area they are tendering and the amount of money they are prepared to pay to the Council and send their tenders with "Tenders for Ordure Contract" marked thereon, to the undersigned not later than noon on November 15, 1920. The Contractors whose tenders are accepted will be required to deposit three months' money with the Council. A contract for one year renewable for a further period of two years will be made provided the contractors perform their duties to the satisfaction of the Council, and in case they wish to continue the work. Assignment of the contracts will not be permitted. Official tender forms and further particulars may be obtained and conditions of contract may be inspected upon application to the Health Office.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 28, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2767.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business during the race days, viz., Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, November 8, 9 and 10.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 4, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2768.**

**TOWN HALL.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the charge for the use of the Town Hall for any visiting theatrical, concert, entertainment or amusement company is Tls. 130 per diem exclusive of the cost of electricity consumed. For all other purposes, the charge is Tls. 75 per diem exclusive of the cost of electricity consumed.

The charge for the North Room only, inclusive of lighting, is Tls. 15 per diem or Tls. 10 for the afternoon only.

Applications should be addressed to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 4, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Municipal Employes War Service Pay Committee held on Thursday, October 28, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
P. Fowler
Rev. Evan Morgan

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, October 29, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphrys
W. P. Lambe
W. L. Merriman

*Absent*:
Messrs. A. C. Hynes
D. McColl

The meeting adjourned at 6.50 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, November 3, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
H. H. Girardet
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent*:
Messrs. M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden

The meeting adjourned at 5.35 p.m.

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### Consular Body.

A letter from Mr. J. H. de Reus informs the Council that he has resumed charge of the Consulate-General for the Netherlands.

A letter from Mr. Alfredo Casanova informs the Council that he has taken over the duties of Consul-General for Portugal from Mr. Antonio Maria da Silva, Vice-Consul.

### Commandant's Quarters.

Arrangements have been concluded with the China Realty Co., Ld. for the purchase by the Council of No. 57 Yuyuen Road for the sum of Tls. 17,000 with completion and delivery on April 1, 1921. Provision for this expenditure will be included in the Budget for 1921.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Staff.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, the leave granted to Major H. W. Pilcher recorded in the Gazette of January 29, 1920, has been extended to January 31, 1921.

*American Company.*—On the recommendation of the Commandant a temporary commission as 2nd Lieut. has been granted to Corporal G. F. Ashley, late Lieutenant in this Company, to enable him to avail himself of any opportunity for military training which may occur during his long leave in the United States.

### Police Force.

*Foreign Branch, Quarters.*—The lease from the Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld., of No. 36 Boone Road has been renewed for a further period of three years terminating on November 30, 1923.

### Local Political Situation.

Correspondence with the Senior Consul on the subject of the alleged issue of a proclamation by the late Tuchun of Kiangsu ordering the arrest of General Wang I-tang:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 4, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to address you on the subject of a proclamation which, it is alleged, was recently issued by the Tuchun of Kiangsu, General Li Shun, wherein charges of conspiracy to foment trouble in Kiangsu and Chekiang are made against the Northern Peace Delegate, General Wang I-tang, who has been resident within this Settlement for several months past.

A translation of this proclamation is contained in the enclosed extract from the "North-China Daily News" of July 24, and in bringing it to your notice, I have the honour to state that the Council considers that the concluding paragraph is couched in such terms as to furnish a direct incitement to the abduction of General Wang from the Settlement, or to his assassination within the Settlement, and further that the charges made against him must necessarily bear the implication that the Council has been harbouring a political malcontent and plotter against the public peace, notwithstanding the statement made publicly by the Chairman of Council at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers in March 1918, that the Council made every effort possible to deprive political agitators of their opportunities for intrigue within Settlement limits and that though it might happen on occasion that these undesirables did take up their residence within the Settlement and carry on their intrigues, the Chinese Government had only to come forward—and the Council would welcome their action in doing so—with evidence such as would procure a conviction for conspiracy against the Government and the peace of the country, or a conviction on some like charge, when it was reasonable to assume that the Mixed Court would either pass sentence on them or order them to be handed over to the Chinese Authorities.

No complaint as to the conduct of General Wang had reached the Council prior to the publication of General Li's proclamation and from careful police enquiry since made, it would seem that the accusations made in such proclamation are without any justification whatever. Under these circumstances I have the honour to express the Council's earnest hope that it may be possible for the Consular Body to take such steps as may prevent the publication in future of proclamations of a similar character to that referred to, which cannot but tend to excite public feeling and might quite conceivably lead to the disturbance of peace and good order.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. BROOKE SMITH,
*Chairman.*

D. SIFFERT, Esq.,
Consul-General for Belgium
and Senior Consul.

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Shanghai, October 4, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that Mr. Siffert, as Senior Consul, sent a copy of your letter of August 4, protesting against the issue of a proclamation by the Tuchun of Kiangsu for the arrest of General Wang I-tang, to the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, from whom a reply was subsequently received, copy of which I send you herewith for your consideration.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. D. H. FRASER,
*H.B.M. Consul-General and Senior Consul.*

A. BROOKE SMITH, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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*Translation of letter from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs to the Senior Consul, dated August 25, 1920.*

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th instant concerning the proclamation alleged to have been recently issued by H. E. the Tuchun of Kiangsu against Wang I-tang.

This office having received no official communication on the subject from H. E. the Tuchun, it is open to doubt whether the facts are as alleged. I am not aware of the source whence the "North-China Daily News" obtained its information, but I am confident that if such a proclamation was actually issued it was based not on empty suspicion but on solid proofs.

Inasmuch as the proclamation in question refers to a conspiracy to foment trouble in Kiangsu and Chekiang it is clear that no reference to the foreign settlements is intended. The Municipal Council's authority is confined to the Settlement and it has no rights to interfere with the extra-settlement Authorities in the exercise of their duties. Its request that the Consular Body will "take such steps as may prevent the publication in future of proclamations of a similar nature" is, therefore, far too wide in its scope and I regret that I cannot regard it as justifiable.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 28, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of and to thank you for your letter of October 4, forwarding translation of a communication from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, in reply to the protest contained in my letter to your predecessor of August 4, against the proclamation, which was stated by the local press to have been issued by the late Tuchun of Kiangsu ordering the arrest of General Wang I-tang.

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In reply I have the honour to state that the Council is glad to note that the Commissioner has difficulty in crediting the authenticity of the proclamation but cannot accept his views as to the propriety of its protest which was made in all good faith and in the belief that the proclamation had actually been issued. Indeed it seems to the Council that the Commissioner is somewhat begging the question when he asserts that the "Municipal Council's authority is confined to the Settlement, and it has no rights to interfere with the extra Settlement Authorities in the exercise of their duties." The Council does not presume to claim the right of interference with these authorities but it does claim that considerations of amity and courtesy impose upon them the obligation to cooperate when the interests of the Settlement and the friendly relations existing between the Council and the Chinese authorities are so materially concerned.

The Council conceives that, had there been reasonable ground for the several charges against General Wang I-tang set forth in the alleged proclamation, the Chinese authorities should have notified it through the usual channels that there resided within the limits of its jurisdiction, enjoying the hospitality and asylum of the Settlement, a Government official who was engaged, as the Commissioner states, in "a conspiracy to foment trouble in Kiangsu and Chekiang," and should thus have placed the Council in a position to take the requisite action to have him handed over to be dealt with by the proper authority. Such procedure would, I have the honour to suggest, be more courteous and appropriate than the issue of a proclamation, the concluding paragraph of which is couched in such terms as to furnish a direct incitement to abduction from the Settlement, or to assassination of the official concerned within the Settlement.

For these reasons and bearing in mind that the Council had no reason to doubt the authenticity of the alleged proclamation, my colleagues consider that I was fully justified in expressing on my own and on their behalf the earnest hope that it might be possible for the Consular Body to take such steps as might prevent the publication in future or proclamations of a similar character.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. BROOKE SMITH,
*Chairman.*

SIR E. D. H. FRASER, K.C.M.G.,
H.M. Consul-General and Senior Consul.

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**Taxation of Unregistered Land.**

Letter from Messrs. Hansons on the subject of the taxation of former German and Austrian Consular Lots, with reply.

Shanghai, September 23, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—Our client Mr. Yu Ya Ching the owner of former Austrian Consular Lots 36 and 37 consults us with reference to the present Municipal Land Tax thereon. He instructs us that the above lots were formerly registered at the Austrian Consulate in the name of Alois Schweiger & Co. who held them in trust for our client; but they were, owing to China's declaration of war, declared to have been forfeited as against Messrs. Alois Schweiger & Co. and the title deeds thereto were cancelled. And it was upon representations made to the Bureau for the Administration of Funds and Property of Enemy Subjects, Shanghai, that the property in these lots was restored to our client, but then only as native property and under native title deeds.

In these circumstances our client, thinks that no Municipal land tax is payable in respect thereof.

Yours faithfully,
HANSONS.

F. A. SAMPSON, Esq.,
Acting Commissioner of Revenue,
Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 19, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of September 23 to the Acting Commissioner of Revenue on the subject of the payment of Land Tax on the former Austrian Consular Lots Nos. 36 and 37, which are now owned by your client Mr. Yu Yah Ching.

In reply I am directed to inform you that all land situate within Settlement limits, whether registered in a Foreign Consulate or not, is liable to Municipal taxation and that although the Council has not up to the present time concerned itself as a general rule with the taxation of land until it has come on to a Foreign Consular Register, it has only done so in continuance of the policy adopted in the early days of the Settlement, when unregistered land was almost wholly agricultural and considered not worth while taxing, as the revenue which it would have produced would probably not have covered the cost of its collection.

Even so the Council has made it an invariable rule that, once land comes on to a Foreign Consular Register, taxation shall be levied thereon, and that removal from the Register shall not entitle it to exemption.

I am further to inform you that the Council contemplates bringing all unregistered land in the Settlement under taxation at an early date, for times have changed and the considerations which actuated its policy in the early days of the Settlement, no longer apply. All or nearly all land within Settlement limits, is of considerable value and this whether it is devoted to agricultural purposes or not, and the Council's policy must therefore now be governed by the consideration that it is only fair and equitable that those who hold land within the Settlement, whether registered or unregistered, should contribute their quota towards the cost of the administration and upkeep of the Settlement.

Under these circumstances. I am directed to inform you that the Council cannot sanction any application which has for object the avoidance of sharing this burden of expenditure which it need hardly be emphasized is incurred for the good of the Community as a whole.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Messrs. HANSONS.

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**Bund Foreshore.**

Correspondence with the Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ld., on the subject of the removal of the flagstaff on the Bund Foreshore opposite their premises. Application by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation for permission to erect a flagstaff opposite the site of their new premises with Council's reply. Correspondence with the legal advisers to the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation on the subject of Foreshore rights.

Shanghai, August 4, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—I enclose a plan showing the position of the flagstaff on the Bund foreshore opposite your premises, and its position relative to the new carriageway, now being constructed.

It will be seen from the plan that the flagstaff and stay wires would constitute an obstruction and danger to traffic, and would largely militate against the advantages of the Bund improvement.

I shall be obliged if you will inform me if you will consent to the removal of the flagstaff, at the Council's expense.

I may add that the anchor piles and stay wires would need partial renewal in any case.

Yours faithfully,
C. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

The MANAGER,
The Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ld.

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Shanghai, September 1, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—Referring to your favour of August 4, I have now received a reply from Hongkong on this subject. Provided the Council will sign a form of undertaking, to be drawn up by the Society's solicitors (Messrs. Hanson, McNeill Jones & Wright) at the Council's expense, the Society will grant permission to remove the flagstaff entirely.

If you agree to this suggestion and will kindly advise me to that effect, I will then communicate with our solicitors on the subject.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
W. NATION,
*For Branch Manager.*
*The Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ld.*

The COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS,
Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, September 7, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of September 1, addressed to the Commissioner of Public Works relative to the flagstaff at present standing on the Bund foreshore opposite your premises.

I should be obliged if you would inform me as to the nature of the undertaking which you suggest should be signed by the Council.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
S. H. LEWIS,
*Assistant Secretary.*

The UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LD.

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Shanghai, September 11, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—In reply to your letter of the 7th instant relative to the removal of flagstaff, we are quite ready to meet your wishes in the matter, provided that the Society's right of user over the foreshore is clearly retained, irrespective of any further developments which the Council may undertake in the future.

As regards the form of undertaking required, our legal advisers, Messrs. Hansons, will be pleased to go into the matter with you if you will kindly approach them.

Yours faithfully,
W. E. SMITH,
*Branch Manager.*
*The Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ld.*

The ASSISTANT SECRETARY,
Municipal Council, Shanghai.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 20, 1920.

GENTLEMEN, -I am directed to refer to your letter of September 11, relative to the flagstaff on the Bund foreshore opposite your premises, and to bring to your notice the enclosed copy of correspondence which passed between the Council and Messrs. Dodwell, Carlill & Co. in July 1893, when the flagstaff was erected. In accordance with the undertaking then given and the arrangements recently made with you by the Commissioner of Public Works, I am directed to confirm that the Council will proceed with the removal of the flagstaff without expense to you.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LD.

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Shanghai, October 23, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—I have the pleasure to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 20th instant, enclosing copy of the correspondence which passed between the Council and Messrs. Dodwell, Carlill & Co., in July, 1893, when the flagstaff was first erected. When writing you previously, I was not of course aware of what transpired at that time, and am obliged to you for bringing the circumstances to my notice.

When you are ready to proceed with the removal, we shall be glad to know what you intend to do with the flagstaff, as we have been approached by one of the local clubs for permission to take it over.

Yours faithfully,
W. E. SMITH,
*Branch Manager.*
*The Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ld.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 30, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 23, relative to the flagstaff on the Bund in front of your premises, and in reply thereto to state that the Council would be agreeable to the flagstaff being taken over by one of the local clubs as suggested by you.

The flagstaff will be taken down by the Public Works Department on Sunday, November 7, and should be removed from the Bund within three days thereof by the club concerned.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
S. H. LEWIS,
*Assistant Secretary.*

The UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LD.

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Shanghai, October 7, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—It is our desire to erect a flagstaff on the open space adjoining the Bund foreshore, opposite our new premises, which are in course of erection.

We presume that the Council will raise no objections to our doing so.

Yours faithfully,
G. H. STITT,
*Manager.*
*Hongkong & Shanghai Banking, Corporation.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 19, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 7, requesting permission to erect a flagstaff on the Bund foreshore opposite your new premises, and in reply thereto to inform you that it is regretted that the Council cannot accede to your request.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
S. H. LEWIS,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Messrs. The HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

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Shanghai, October 15, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—With reference to Municipal Notification No. 2751 appearing in the Municipal Gazette, we are instructed by the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation to inform you that while they do not wish to in any way interfere with any proper works which are in course of being effected to the Bund foreshore or which may be in contemplation by the Council, yet they wish it to be clearly understood that, in so far as concerns B.C. Lot No. 11, 11A, 996, 1052 and 1053, the title deeds of which include the Bund foreshore, and any other properties of the Bank having foreshore rights, their assent thereto must not be taken as an assent which will in any way prejudice or affect their legal rights in such foreshore as now existing. They accordingly expressly reserve all such rights and they request us to ask for an assurance by the Council that any such works will only be proceeded with on this clear understanding.

Yours faithfully,
HANSONS.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 21, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 15, in reference to rights over the foreshore opposite the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's properties, B.C. Lots Nos. 11, 11a, 996, 1052 and 1053, and in reply to point out that Municipal Notification No. 2751 specifically states "that the Council's policy in regard to the Bund foreshore is to preserve and improve it for the uses to which it is at present put or for such like uses as will not impair or be to the detriment of public rights and *the rights of the lot owners concerned,*" and that such rights as your clients have over the foreshore opposite their properties are not in any way prejudiced by the foreshore improvements which are at present being carried out.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Messrs. HANSONS.

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**Overhead Conveyors.**

Correspondence with the American Trading Company on the subject of overhead conveyors to be erected across the Soochow Road.

Shanghai, June 15, 1920.

DEAR SIRS,—We enclose a blueprint showing a proposed concrete bridge over Soochow Road. The purpose of this bridge is to house conveying machinery used for conveying wheat from boats in Soochow Creek to a godown and also for conveying flour from the godown into the boats.

We are submitting this drawing on behalf of our Mr. Crane of our Engineering Department, who, we believe, has already taken up the question regarding this bridge with you. If the proposed bridge as shown meets with your approval we will submit our detail drawings and calculations for further approval.

Yours very truly,
AMERICAN TRADING CO.,
A. M. PAGET,
*Assistant Resident Engineer.*

The COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS,
Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, June 30, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of June 15, addressed to the Commissioner of Public Works on the subject of the proposed erection of an overhead concrete conveyor over Soochow Road.

In reply, I am directed to state that the proposal meets with the Council's approval in principle; final approval however cannot be given until detailed drawings and full information is submitted.

In the event of your application being finally approved, an easement fee of Tls. 50 per annum would be charged and the Council would have to safeguard the Community by a provision as to withdrawal of the privilege in certain contingencies.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

The AMERICAN TRADING COMPANY.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 5, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—With reference to your letter of June 15 to the Commissioner of Public Works and to my reply of June 30, I am directed to inform you that your plans of the proposed concrete bridge over Soochow Road, connecting your godown with the Soochow Creek, have been approved, and that the Council has sanctioned the construction of the bridge on the following conditions:—

(1) That it be constructed maintained and used by you at all times in such manner as not to be or become a nuisance annoyance or danger to any person making use of the Soochow Road or the Soochow Creek, or to cause any damage or injury to the Soochow Road or to the Creek bunding.

(2) That you shall make good any damage loss or injury attributable to any failure to perform and observe Condition No. 1 above.

(3) That in the event of any change of tenancy or ownership or of any alteration in the nature of the business conducted on the premises served by the bridge notice of which shall be given to the Council forthwith in writing or in the event of any breach of any of these conditions, the Council may order the removal of the bridge which shall thereupon be undertaken forthwith at your expense, and in such manner as the Council may require.

(4) That should the Council require the removal of the bridge for any cause other than provided for under Condition No. 3 above, twelve months notice at the least, shall be given of such requirement, and at the expiration thereof the removal of the bridge shall be undertaken forthwith as provided under Condition No. 3 above.

(5) That an annual easement fee of Tls. 50 per annum shall be paid to the Council so long as the bridge is permitted to remain.

I shall be glad if you will kindly notify me of your acceptance of these terms so that the Commissioner of Public Works may be authorized to issue the requisite permit.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Messrs. AMERICAN TRADING CO.,

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Shanghai, October 12, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—We beg to acknowledge your letter of the 5th instant to our company and presenting five conditions which if acceptable to our client the Council would grant permission to erect an overhead bridge over Soochow Road connecting a flour mill with Soochow Creek.

On behalf of our client Mr. T. K. Yung, General Manager of the Mow Sing Flour Mill, we enclose his letter of the 8th instant accepting the conditions as set forth in your letter of the 5th instant. With the above acceptance in hand we now await your official permit to proceed with this work.

Yours very truly,
AMERICAN TRADING COMPANY,
A. M. PAGET,
*Resident Engineer.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

Shanghai, October 8, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—We hereby accept all the conditions set forth in your note of October 5, regarding the construction and operation of bridges over the South Soochow Road at our Foh Sing No. 7 Flour Mill.

Yours truly,
MOW SING FLOUR MILL,
T. K. YUNG,
*General Manager.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 19, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 12 relative to an overhead conveyor bridge over Soochow Road, connecting The Mow Sing Flour Mill godown with the Soochow Creek.

It is understood that you desire to erect a further bridge for a similar purpose, and I am directed to inform you that the Council has sanctioned the construction of this additional bridge, subject to the conditions contained in my letter of October 5 being accepted in respect thereof.

I should be obliged if you would forward me a letter accepting these conditions for each of the two bridges respectively which you now wish to construct, whereafter the Council will sanction the issue of the necessary "Building Permits" to enable you to undertake the work of construction.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
S. H. LEWIS,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Messrs. The AMERICAN TRADING CO.

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Shanghai, October 20, 1920.

DEAR SIRS,—We hereby accept all conditions contained in your letter of October 5, for each of the two bridges to be constructed across South Soochow Road, at Fok Sing No. 7 Flour Mill.

Yours truly,
MOW SING FLOUR MILL,
T. K. YUNG,
*General Manager.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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THE FOLLOWING LAND TRANSACTIONS ARE RECORDED:
ROAD EXTENSIONS AND WIDENINGS.

| *Road* | *Lot No.* *Cad.* | *Consular* | *Area In Road* | *Surplus* | *Acquired from* | *Compensation* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fokien and Kiukiang | 515 | unregistered | Mow 0.075 | — | C. Luthy | *Assessed value + 10% or Tls. 3,322.50 |
| Cunningham | unreg. E. of Cad. Lot 489 | | " 0.218 | — | Chinese Owner | Tls. 65.40 |
| Darroch | — | Pao U.S. 35 | " 0.721 | — | Southern Baptist Mission | Tls. 4,000 |
| Haining | 489 | B.C. 9701 | " 0.124 | — | W. Brandt | Assessed value + 10% or Tls. 1,091 |
| North Fokien | unreg. N. of Cad. Lot 393 | | " 0.258 | — | Chinese Owner | Tls. 129 |
| North Szechuen | — | Pao U.S. 35 | " 0.382 | — | Southern Baptist Mission | Tls. 2,500 |
| Yangtszepoo | 2427 | B.C. 8386 | " 0.188 | — | Oriental Cotton Mill | Assessed value + 10% or Tls. 1,241 |
| Ferry | unreg. N. of Cad. Lot 5090 | | " 0.057 | — | Chinese Owner | Tls. 11.40 |
| Gordon | 4332 | U.S. 2298 | " 0.056 | — | R. H. Parker | †Assessed value + 10% or Tls. 86 |
| Great Western | unreg. S. of B.C. Lot 9736 | | " 0.028 | — | Chinese Owner | Tls. 42 |
| Holung | 8002 | B.C. 6161 | " 0.092 | — | Algar & Co., Ld. | Nil. Compulsory surrender |
| Taku | 1360 | B.C. 10027 | " 0.030 | — | " | " " |
| Thibet and Sinza | 185 | B.C. 382 | " 0.025 | — | Lazarist Mission | Nil. Voluntary " |
| Tsepoo | 94 | B.C. 6193 | " 0.112 | — | Algar & Co., Ld. | Nil. Compulsory " |
| Fuan | 712A | B.C. 10162 | " 0.053 | — | Shanghai Mutual Telephone Co., Ld. | At proclamation rate of Tls. 300 per mow or Tls. 15.90 |
| Holung | 7546 | B.C. 2449 | " 0.379 | — | Netherlands Trading Soc. | Nil. Voluntary surrender |
| Holung | 7895 | B.C. 6098 | " 0.168 | — | General Electric Company of China, Ld. | Nil. Compulsory " |

*Plus value of building less re-instatement charges.
†See published correspondence.

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MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

| *Site* | *Lot No.* *Cad.* | *Consular* | *Area* | *Acquired from* | *Compensation* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Electricity Sub-Stations* | | | | | |
| North Shanse Road | unreg. E. of Cad. Lot 372 | Pao. B.C. 530 | Mow 0.558 | Chinese Owner | Tls. 6,417 |
| North Szechuen Road | | | ,, 0.675 | Moorhead, Halse & Robinson | Tls. 7,088 |
| Pingliang Road | unreg. E. of B.C. Lot 6623 | | ,, 0.928 | Chinese Owner | Tls. 4,500 |
| Fearon Road *Electric Light Station* | 1074 B.C. 1015 and 1534 | | ,, 9.816 | Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. | £50,000 |
| Staff Quarters, *Riverside Power Station* | 6520 B.C. 9606 and unreg. | | ,, 12.252 | Algar & Co., Ld. and Chinese | Tls. 1,250 per mow or Tls. 15,315 |

**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Gordon Road.*—Correspondence with the China Realty Company, Ld. relative to the area required ex Cadastral Lot 4332 in connexion with this road widening.

Shanghai, March 5, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—In regard to the area required for the widening of Gordon Road from U. S. Lot 2298, Cad Lot 4332 W. the owner claims compensation of Tls. 100.

We shall be pleased to have you forward surrender deeds for the area in question if settlement on this basis is satisfactory to the Council.

Yours very truly,
CHINA REALTY CO., LTD.,
W. A. ADAMS,
*Manager.*

The COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS,
Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 12, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 5, addressed to the Commissioner of Public Works relative to the land required ex Lot 4332 for the widening of Gordon Road. In reply thereto I am directed to state that the Council is prepared to pay compensation at the assessed value of the land Tls. 1,400 per mow, plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, or Tls. 86 for Mow 0.056.

I shall be glad to hear that these terms are acceptable.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

THE CHINA REALTY CO., LTD.

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Shanghai, March 18, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—In reply to your letter of March 12, 1920, we beg to inform you that we are not willing to accept the Council's offer of Tls. 86 for the portion of U. S. Lot 2298, Cadastral Lot 4332 W. required for the widening of Gordon Road, but are willing to settle the matter for Tls. 100, being the amount mentioned in our letter of March 5, 1920.

In connexion with the question of the assessed valuation of land, we beg to refer you to your letter of March 5, 1920 re Cadastral 2697 E., in which the Council agree to sell this lot for Tls. 1,600, whereas the assesed value is only Tls. 985.

Applying the same proportion in the increase of values to the Gordon Road lot would certainly seem to prove that our claim of Tls. 100 is not exorbitant, and we would be pleased to have the matter settled on this basis.

Yours very truly,
CHINA REALTY CO., LTD.,
W. A. ADAMS,
*Secretary.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 27, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 18, relative to the compensation payable in respect of the area of land required ex Cadastral Lot 4332 in connexion with Gordon Road widening, and in reply thereto to state that this case cannot be considered as a parallel with the Council's terms for the sale of Cadastral Lot 2697, inasmuch as you take no account of the fact that in the latter case the Council had to purchase the full width of the road land and thereafter expend a considerable sum on road construction, the purchase price of the surplus strip of land being necessarily enhanced by this expenditure of public money. I am therefore directed to inform you that the Council is unable to recede from the offer contained in my letter of March 12.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

THE CHINA REALTY CO., LTD.

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Shanghai, April 9, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—In acknowledgement of your letter of March 27, 1920, in regard to the purchase for the Council of a small portion of U. S. Lot 2298, Cad. Lot 4332, w. required for widening of Gordon Road, we beg to inform you that we have again submitted this matter to the beneficial owner, and he claims compensation in an amount of Tls. 100 and will not accept the Council's offer of Tls. 86.

We believe there has been enough correspondence in regard to this Tls. 14 in dispute, and we shall be pleased to have the Council either settle it on the basis of Tls. 100 or submit it to the Land Commission for settlement.

Yours very respectfully,
CHINA REALTY CO., LTD.,
W. A. ADAMS,
*Secretary.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, May 12, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—In reply to your letter of April 9, on the subject of the compensation payable in respect of Lot 4332, Gordon Road, I am directed to observe that the Council is unable to appreciate any good reason for putting forward and insisting upon a claim for the land required for the Gordon Road ex this property, at a lump sum instead of based upon the assessed value.

I am directed, therefore, to reaffirm the terms contained in previous correspondence, the difference between which and the amount of your claim is only Tls. 14. Should you, however, wish to refer this case to the Land Commissioners for settlement, the Council, upon receipt of a definite application to that effect, will transmit it accordingly.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Messrs. THE CHINA REALTY CO., LD.

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Shanghai, May 14, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—In reply to your letter of May 12, 1920, I am directed by the beneficial owner of U. S. Lot 2298, Cad. Lot 4332. w. to point out to you that his claim of Tls. 100 is arrived at by taking the valuation of the land at Tls. 1,800 per mow. The area in question of 0.056 mow at Tls. 1,800 comes to Tls. 100.80. There can be no doubt but that the valuation of Tls. 1,800 per mow is a just and equitable one. The assessed valuation of Tls. 1,400 is taken from an assessment dating back approximately four years. For your information in regard to the value of land in the neighbourhood of this lot, we have recently sold land in this vicinity at Tls. 2,500 per mow. There can be no reason, therefore, why the Council should claim that this land is worth Tls. 1,400 per mow, as the market value to-day is much in excess of this figure.

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If after due consideration of the above facts the Council does not feel inclined to pay the price requested by the owner, we shall be pleased to have you submit the matter to the Land Commissioners for settlement.

In conclusion, we regret that we are unable to adjust this matter satisfactorily, but our position is controlled entirely by the wishes of the beneficial owner.

We are, Dear Sir,
Yours respectfully,
CHINA REALTY CO., LTD.,
W. A. ADAMS,
*Secretary.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, July 22, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—In furtherance of our letter of May 14, 1920, we are now pleased to inform you that we have concluded arrangements with the beneficial owner of U. S. Lot 2298, Cad. Lot 4332. w. whereby he agrees to surrender to the Council a portion of this lot measuring 0.056 mow for Tls. 86.

We shall be pleased to have you prepare surrender deed covering this area, forwarding same to us for signature.

Yours respectfully,
CHINA REALTY CO., LTD.,
W. A. ADAMS,
*Secretary.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, October 31, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 20 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 9 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 126 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30.

*Police Force.*—The service of Probationary Constable Chuichi Matsubara terminated on October 22.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. W. C. Fisher, Clerical Assistant, is invalided from October 30.

Mr. W. C. Muchamore, probationary Boiler House Assistant, was permitted to terminate his service on October 25.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. D. Marden is appointed temporarily as Singing Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls from November 1.

Miss I. Burnett is appointed temporarily as Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys from October 19.

## Municipal Loan 1920.

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on November 2:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 147,800 | | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | 50,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | | |
| One ,, | 35,000 | | |
| Tokwa Boseki Kaisha, Ld. | 34,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | | |
| Shanghai Silk Spinning Co., Ld. | 16,300 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | | |
| Two Investors Tls. 12,000 | 24,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 11,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 674,100 | |
| 309 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 460,200 | |
| 330 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 1,134,300 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 41 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 62,200 | |
| 43 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 85,200 |
| | | | Total Tls. 1,219,500 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 6 | Bund and Peking | Palmer & Turner | | 1 | |
| 43 | Off The Bund | The Union Club | | | water closet |
| 6454 | Haichow | The Amos Bird Co. | | | shed |
| 6015 | Off Kwang-hsin | The Shanghai Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ld. | | | 1 roller covering building |
| 6015 | ,, | ,, | | | godown |
| 6015 | ,, | ,, | | | covered way |
| 5200 | Off Ping-liang | Dong Kee & Co. | | | wall |
| 6054 | Off Tong-ting | The Municipal Electricity Department | | | water closet |
| 7088 | Off Ward | T. Harada | | | temporary switch house |
| 2755 | ,, Hart | H. M. Cumine | | | verandahs |
| 2755 | Hart and Yuyuen | The West End Estate Ld. | | | wall & gates |
| 6200 | Off Kiao-chow | Moorhead, Halse and Robinson | | | conservatory |
| 4602 | Off Mokan-shan | Wong Sung Kee | | | godown |
| 2304 | Weihaiwei | Tsong Wei Kee | | | addns. |
| 805 | Over West Soochow | The American Trading Co. | | | 2 overhead bridge conveyors |
| 805 | Off West Soochow | The Foh Sing Flour Mill | | | water closet |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 90 | Tsepoo | Owng Chin Kee | | | altns. |
| 348 | Off E. Yalu | Ong Koh Kee | | | addns. |
| 2282 | Paoting & Wayside | Y. C. Young | | 1 | |
| 5733 | Off Tsitsihar | Chi Ming Hao | | | 26 bungalows |
| 7088 | Off Ward | T. Harada | | | addns. covered way bunding & tank |
| 110 | Yuenchang & Market Street | Moorhead, Halse and Robinson | 19 | | |
| S of 1057 | Off Chengtu | Woo Shing | | 1 | |
| 4741 | Gordon | Percy Tilley | 57 | | |
| 4602 | Off Mokan-shan | Wong Sung Kee | 7 | | |

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 所有信章應蓋有本局承攬字樣

三 擇定之後人到局保證承攬目錄及價目表交付本局

四 所有以後承攬各人之信封上須注明承攬之目錄及價目表

五 本局有取閱說明書之權其單價清單若須付郵費公信及承攬人之回信費由本局代付

六 所有承攬信件必須用公信封封固加蓋火漆其信應交實在西江路四號工部局收發處收錄後仍將該款一律退還

二 信封上必須注明承攬之目錄及價目表以便辦理

三 部局之目錄及價目表至遲二十四小時之前送交本局辦理

四 部局有權拒絕一切承攬信件

五 部局有權拒絕一切承攬信件

六 部局有權拒絕一切承攬信件

清單費 最番 此次信概免交閱明

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **VOLUNTEER CORPS** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Headquarters, Town Hall | | |
| 1 | 1,000 yds. Khaki Serge | — | November 15, Noon |
| 2 | 500 „ Khaki Serge, thick | — | do. „ |
| 3 | 200 „ Whipcord | — | do. „ |
| 4 | 600 „ Bedford Cord | — | do. „ |
| 5 | 12,000 „ Khaki Drill "Spinners Stock Port Brand" | — | do. „ |
| | *Note.*—Nos. 1 to 4 delivery end of March 1921<br>No. 5 „ „ January 1921 | | |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 573 | Erection of Aviary and Monkey House, Jessfield Park | — | November 5, Noon |
| 574 | Supply of Portland Cement | — | do. 27, „ |
| 593 | Painting at Yangtszepoo Police Station | — | do. 5, „ |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Acting Engineer-in-Chief and Manager, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 204 | Coal—Riverside | Tls. 5.00 | November 11, Noon |
| 205 | „ —Fearon Road | Tls. 5.00 | do. 11, „ |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Acting Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 572

Observation Suites—Isolation Hospital

| | |
|---|---|
| Sung Kee | Tls. 6,100 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 5,200 |
| Wong Kor Sung | 4,710 |
| *Sing Fah Kee | 4,522 |

*Accepted.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2746** *(Amended.)*

*(Translation)*

**BROTHELS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that under the authority of Resolution XV passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, and in pursuance of the recommendation contained in the report of the Special Vice Committee published in the Municipal Gazette of March 19, one-fifth of the brothel licences, selected by lot, will be withdrawn on April 1, 1921. A public drawing will take place at the Town Hall on Tuesday, December 21, at 3 o'clock p.m., when the brothels to be closed will be determined. The drawings will be public and all interested are invited to be present.

Tickets of admission may be obtained on application to The Revenue Office, No. 7A the Bund, and a list of the licensed brothels will be exhibited at the Police Stations and at the Revenue Office from Thursday, November 25.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2763.**

**PUBLIC RECREATION GROUND.**

CLUBS desirous of securing playing space within the racecourse for the coming winter season are requested to make application to Mr. R. I. Fearon, No. 1 The Bund.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 21, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2765.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

DURING the month of November, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up will be as follows:—

From November 1 to 15 at 5.10 p.m.
" " 16 " 30 " 5.00 p.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 28, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2768.**

**TOWN HALL.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the charge for the use of the Town Hall for any visiting theatrical, concert, entertainment or amusement company is Tls. 130 per diem exclusive of the cost of electricity consumed. For all other purposes, the charge is Tls. 75 per diem exclusive of the cost of electricity consumed.

The charge for the North Room only, inclusive of lighting, is Tls. 15 per diem or Tls. 10 for the afternoon only.

Applications should be addressed to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 4, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2769.**

**THE BUND ROAD.**

THE new Bund road, from Peking Road to Avenue Edward VII will be open to traffic from Monday, November 15. The public is notified that this new road is intended for slow and heavy freight vehicles and the main Bund road will be reserved for fast passenger traffic. From and including November 15 therefore, the use of this latter thoroughfare by motor trucks, handcarts, wheelbarrows and other freight carrying vehicles or by coolies carrying loads is prohibited, except for crossing purposes.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2770.**

**EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.**

*Public School for Boys, Evening Classes.*—It has been decided, upon the recommendation of the Headmaster, to reinstitute these classes provided a sufficient number of students present themselves for the formation of classes. Lectures and instruction will be given in the following subjects:—

1.—Elementary English, including one class in the Berlitz method (for beginners other than English-speaking students.)
2.—English Grammar and Composition.
3.—English Literature.
4.—Book-Keeping, Shorthand and Business Training.
5.—Elementary Arithmetic.
6.—French Conversation and Literature.
7.—Chinese.

Further information with regard to fees, etc., may be obtained on application to the Headmaster at the School, 200 North Szechuen Road Extension. Intending students are requested to send in their names with detailed information of requirements, not later than Friday, December 10. Suggestions sent in by groups of students requiring instruction in subjects other than those stated above will receive consideration. and, where practicable, classes will be formed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 18, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Health Committee held on Thursday, November 11, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. W. P. Lambe (*Chairman*)
H. H. Girardet
S. J. Halse
Drs. J. W. Jackson
R. J. Marshall

The meeting adjourned at 5.15 p.m.

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AT a joint meeting of the Works and Health Committees held on Thursday, November 11, 1920, at 5.15 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. W. P. Lambe (*Chairman*)
H. H. Girardet
S. J. Halse
E. F. Mackay
Drs. J. W. Jackson
R. J. Marshall
S. A. Ransom

*Absent*:

Mr. M. Benjamin

The meeting adjourned at 6.15 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Monday, November 15, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphrys
W. P. Lambe
W. L. Merriman

*Absent*:

Messrs. A. W. Burkill
A. C. Hynes
D. McColl

The meeting adjourned at 7.15 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, November 17, 1920, at 4.30 p m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
D. Goh
W. P. Lambe
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent*:

Mr. M. Benjamin

The meeting adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

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### Forged Bank Notes.

Letter from the Senior Consul with reply:—

Shanghai, October 9, 1920.

SIR,—I am in receipt of a letter dated the 6th instant from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, to the effect that, in consequence of the large number of forged Hupei Government notes which were in circulation, the Military Governor of that province had caused inquiries to be made, and as a result of these inquiries had ascertained that these notes were being forged in the foreign settlements in Shanghai, the forgers' headquarters in the International Settlement being in Chengtu Road. The Commissioner for Foreign Affairs therefore requests that the Police may be instructed to make inquiries and take steps to put an end to these practices.

I am under the impression that the gang which was forging these notes has already been broken up by the Police, but would be glad to receive confirmation of this before replying to the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. D. H. FRASER,
*H.B.M. Consul-General and Senior Consul.*

A. BROOKE SMITH, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 2, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 9, on the subject of forged Hupeh Government bank notes.

In reply, I have the honour to thank you for this communication, and to inform you that the Commissioner of Police has during recent months been aware of the presence of forgers in the Settlement and has used every effort to bring the malefactors to justice.

In this connexion I have the honour to detail hereunder for your information, recent action in connexion with this matter:

1. On January 12, 1918 a man was charged with being in possession of 48 counterfeit notes and was sentenced to five years imprisonment.

2. On March 7, 1919 four men and two women were charged with being in possession of a large quantity of forged notes and material for making them. They were all handed over to the Hupeh Authorities.

3. On July 9, 1919 a man was charged with being in possession of 100 forged notes and was sentenced to one year's imprisonment and expulsion.

4. On August 21, 1919 two persons were charged with being in possession of 300 forged bank notes and each was sentenced to 6 months' imprisonment.

5. On July 6, 1919 a man was charged with being in possession of 3,000 forged bank notes. This man, who resided in Chapei, was arrested in possession of the notes in Fokien Road and for several days would not give his address. In the meantime the manufacturing plant was removed. As the Police were unable to prove that the notes were manufactured by him, his counsel put forward the plea that he was merely a dupe. He was released on $1,000 security to be of good behaviour for five years.

6. On October 15 four men and one woman were arrested and found in possession of 4,500 forged bank notes on the Hupeh Provincial Bank. A quantity of stamps, plates, ink and other material was also seized and accused are now under remand at the Mixed Court. The principal accused resided at No. 214 Great Western Road, the entrance of which premises is off Chengtu Road.

With respect to the last named case, which appears to be that to which the letter of the Military Governor of Hupeh refers, these arrests were made by the Police independently of the receipt of your letter, but it is noteworthy that the chief prisoner was arrested in these Settlements in October, 1915, charged with having in his possession machinery for the purpose of manufacturing bank notes. He was at that time ordered to be handed over to the Military Governor's Yamên, but it appears he was dealt with in such manner that he was able in a short time to resume his former course of crime.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. BROOKE SMITH,
*Chairman.*

SIR E. D. H. FRASER, K.C.M.G.,
H.M. Consul-General and Senior Consul.

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### Street Nuisances.

Letter from a resident in the Eastern District on the subject of noises on the Chaoufoong Road, with reply:—

Shanghai, October 22, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—Might I ask that the Council will take some steps to have the noise abated in the Chaoufoong Road which occurs night after night from 11 to 11.30 p.m. caused by employees belonging to the Nanyang Tobacco Co. in the Broadway and the H. A. Manufacturing Factories in the Chaoufoong Road, it is one continual half hour of yelling and shouting from these employees (principally females) which is distracting to the strongest nerved individual and makes rest and sleep impossible which I have experienced lately at my residence No. 4 Chaoufoong Road, especially as I have been lately confined to my bed with fever for some days found it to be most annoying.

Perhaps a letter to the Directors of the said Companies would have the desired effect direct from the Council. Letters of late in the Press on this subject I am of the opinion are of no avail and not likely to be heeded by those concerned—Council action in my opinion is of much more importance and likely to be taken notice of and respected.

Thanking you in anticipation,
Yours faithfully,
THOS. WM. BOWERN.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 2, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 22, on the subject of noise in the Chaoufoong Road and in reply thereto I am directed to inform you that the Police have given attention to this matter and the firms concerned have promised to assist in abating the nuisance complained of.

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You will, however, of course realize that since your residence is in an industrial district, and that fully 3,000 work people use this road every day, in going to and from their work, it is not to be expected that all noise can be eliminated.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

T. W. BOWERN, Esq.

**Bund Foreshore.**

Correspondence in continuation of that published in the Municipal Gazette for November 4,, 1920:—

Shanghai, November 5, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—I have the pleasure to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo and note that our flagstaff is to be taken down on the 7th instant.

Owing to the cost of transport and setting up, the Golf Club at Kiangwan—who first approached us in the matter—state that they will be unable to make use of the flagstaff after all, and consequently, as I know of no other party anxious to take over same, I would ask you kindly to make your own arrangements for its removal.

Yours faithfully,
W. E. SMITH,
*Branch Manager,*
*Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ld.*

The ASSISTANT SECRETARY,
Municipal Council.

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 12,, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of November 5, relative to the flagstaff on the Bund opposite your premises, and in reply thereto to inform you that the flagstaff has been taken down and removed by the Council.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
S. H. LEWIS,
*Assistant Secretary.*

The MANAGER,
Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ld.

**Flower Show.**

In terms of the following correspondence, the Council has granted permission to the Horticultural Society to hold the Autumn Chrysanthemum Show on the Bund Foreshore.

Shanghai, October 28, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—On behalf of the Committee I beg to ask the Council's permission to hold the Autumn Flower Show in a matshed to be erected on the Bund in the same position as last year on or about November 18 next.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
SHANGHAI HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY,
COLIN C. STEVENSON,
*Hon. Secretary.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 9, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 28, relative to the Autumn Flower Show of the Shanghai Horticultural Society, and in reply thereto to state that the Council will permit the holding of the Flower Show on November 18 in a matshed to be erected on the Bund, on the following conditions:—

(1) That the shed be erected in an approved position.
(2) That all damage done to turf, etc., be made good at the Society's expense.
(3) That exits be provided in positions which will be indicated.
(4) That Municipal Firemen be in attendance.
(5) That the shed and materials be removed within forty-eight hours after the show.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
S. H. LEWIS,
*Assistant Secretary.*

C. C. STEVENSON, Esq.,
Honorary Secretary,
Shanghai Horticultural Society.

Shanghai, November 11, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—I beg to acknowledge your letter of the 9th instant, and to agree to all terms and conditions mentioned therein.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
SHANGHAI HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY,
COLIN C. STEVENSON,
*Hon. Secretary.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

**Public Lighting.**

*Thibet Road.*—It has been decided upon the recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works to replace the existing five incandescent gas lamps on this road by ten, 100 c.p. metallic filament—and two 200 c.p. metallic filament lamps, at an additional annual cost of Tls. 124.

*Edinburgh, Great Western and Brenan Roads.*—It has been decided, upon the recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works, to provide extra lighting on these roads at an additional cost of Tls. 624 annually, allocated as follows:—

Great Western Road:—
7 60 c.p. M.Fs. Centrally suspended.
1 100 c.p. M.Fs. Centrally suspended.

Edinburgh Road and Brenan Road:—
4 60 c.p. M.Fs. Centrally suspended.
4 100 c.p. M.Fs. Centrally suspended.
2 200 c.p. M.Fs. Centrally suspended.

*Pingliang and Yangchow Roads.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works, four 60 c.p. metallic filament lamps have been erected in these two roads between Lay and Chemulpo Roads, at an annual cost of Tls. 110.

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13.

*Fire Brigade.* — Probationary Mechanic C. F. Davis is permitted to terminate his service on November 4.

*Police Force.*—The following are transferred to the Detective Branch on probation from November 1:—

Sergeant M. E. Ashley.
Constable R. H. Beer.
,, R. M. Tinkler.
,, H. Robertson.
,, J. Douglas.

*Revenue Department.*—Mr. W. C. H. Knight, Clerical Assistant, is permitted to terminate his service on December 9.

**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, November 7, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 25 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 3 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 158 |

| Reported during the week ending Sunday November 14, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 4 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 14 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 130 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 515 | Fokien & Kinkiang | C. Luthy | | 1 | |
| 274 | Off Foochow | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | altns. |
| 84/6 | „ Kiukiang & Kiangse | The Asia Banking Corporation | | | water closet |
| 465A | South Woosieh | Lee Sho Kee | 1 | | |
| 2693 | Dalny and Pingliang | Nign Yue Down | | | addns. |
| 601[illegible] | Off Kwangsin | The Shanghai Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ld. | | | boiler house |
| 1559 | Off Paoting & Tongshan | C. Luthy | 4 | | |
| 7293 | Off Seoul | P. Y. Tsauh | | | boiler house |
| 386[illegible] | „ Ward | Lin Tai & Co. | | | foundation for chimney |
| 5028 | „ Yangtszepoo | Behr & Mathew | | | water closet |
| 2848 | Avenue | Chang Foh Kee | | | wall |
| 2325 | Gt. Western | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | garage & wall |
| 618[illegible] | Off Hart | Bin Foo Chang | | | water closet |
| W of 2755 | „ Yu Yuen | Hor Yah Shing | | | conservatory |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 148 | Honan & Ningpo | Mafel & Co. | | | altns. |
| 247 | Nanking | S. A. Hardoon | | | „ |
| 191 | Off Peking | Tong Wei Kee | | | addns. |
| 225 | Tientsin & Honan | Ching Shu Chow | | | altns. & addns. |
| 103[illegible] | Off Fearon | Eglise Saint Joseph | | | addns. |
| 636 | East Seward | Lee Hop Shun | 37 | | gate-house |
| 6221 | Kueiyang | Chao Sung Chang | | | 2 bungalows |
| N of 6221 | Liangchow | Chow Chang Quen | | | 3 bungalows |
| 2984 & 2985 | Yangchow | Moorhead, Halse and Robinson | 100 | | |
| S of 4897 | Ichang | Wong Sung Kee | | | convert one Ch. house to gate house |
| 1858 | Off Weihaiwei | „ | | | 3 bungalows chimney & iron stair case |
| 733 & 740 | Off West Soochow | Cheng Ching Chee | | 2 | |

**Public Band.**

*Public Performances.*—On Sunday next, November 21, a Symphony Concert will take place in the Town Hall, beginning at 5 o'clock p.m., and thereafter performances will be given in the Town Hall every Sunday at the same hour. The public is reminded that at these concerts the doors will be closed during the playing of each number on the programme and that children under 10 years of age are not admitted.

On Sunday, November 21, the programme will be as follows:—

FIRST CONCERT:

Orchestral Works and Chamber Music

1.—Overture from the Opera "The Flying Dutchman" Wagner

2.—Three Pieces for Strings only:
(a) "Heart's Wounds"
(b) "In the Spring"
(c) "Anitra's Dance" Grieg

3.—Variations for Orchestra Elgar (An original theme "Enigma" with 13 Variations; then, the 14th in the form of "Finale;" each Variation being intended to stand for the musical portrait of one of the composer's friends, to whom this fine work is dedicated).

4.—Quintet in E flat major Op. 44 for PIANO AND STRING-QUARTET

(a) Allegro brillante
(b) In modo d'una Marcia
(c) Scherzo
(d) Allegro ma non troppo

Schumann

Piano: MO. M. PACI
1st Violin: V. FIROIDO
2nd Violin: G. LESTUZZI
Viola: B. GERSHGORN
Cello: P. BRUNELLI

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

**Municipal Loan 1920.**

**7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.**

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on November 16:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 147,800 | | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | 50,000 | | |
| Yangtsze Insurance Association Ld. | 50,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | | |
| One „ | 35,000 | | |
| Tokwa Boseki Kaisha, Ld. | 34,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 20.000 | | |
| Shanghai Silk Spinning Co., Ld. | 16,300 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14.000 | | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | | |
| Two Investors Tls. 12,000 | 24,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 11,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 744.100 | |
| 315 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 475,700 | |
| 333 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 1,219,800 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 41 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 62,200 | |
| 43 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 85,200 |
| | | | Total Tls. 1,305,000 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

**Fire Brigade Report for September.**

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 16, as against 24 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 20,710 (Foreign Tls. 19,000: Chinese Tls. 1,710) as against Tls. 144,300 (Foreign Tls. 136,050: Chinese Tls. 8,250) during September 1919. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 1,026,000 (Foreign Tls. 265,000: Chinese Tls. 761,000), as against Tls. 4,370,500 (Foreign Tls. 4,322,000: Chinese Tls. 48,500) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 5, Watch Towers 7, and Police 4. The district call was given on 3 occasions, the remaining 13 being station calls. These calls proved to be 11 small fires, 1 false alarm, 3 fires outside the Settlement and 1 not traced.

The principal, supposed, causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—Sparks, ashes or embers from stove, dropped match or cigarette end, overheated gas stove.

Seven buildings were more or less damaged by smoke, fire and water.

Assistance was rendered to the French Brigade, at the China Merchant S. N. Co.'s No. 18 godown; the Brigade were at work for 7 hours with two pumps, and the Fire Float.

*36 Seymour Road, September 9, at 2.47 a.m.*—An outbreak occurred on the ground floor and obtained a strong hold. The damage, was however confined to the heating chamber, and billiard room.

*2 Ichang Road, September 26, at 11.32 a.m.*—This fire was a typical illustration of the construction of a building without a permit, endangering the safety of the mill proper, the hands, and the building itself. The damage was however confined to the shed.

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*"Flower World," 327 Hoopeh Road, September 27 at 7.26 p.m.*—An outbreak of fire took place on the third floor used as shops, lodgings, and for entertainment purposes. While a cinematograph entertainment was in progress a film in the projection box took fire, but was promptly extinguished by one of the firemen on duty, assisted by the Manager. Unfortunately, however, the building contained over 3,000 persons, the time being the Mid-Autumn Festival, and a panic ensued. Although the premises were provided with emergency staircases, the crowd rushed for the main staircase, and formed a solid mass of struggling, and half suffocated people four or five deep. The railings of the staircase then gave way and the wooden banisters were freely used by the crowd in their endeavours to get out, or to rescue their friends. On the arrival of the Brigade the more seriously injured were sent to Shantung Road Hospital. One old man, and a boy were found dead, and a woman succumbed shortly afterwards. About 20 persons were taken to Hospital in various states of collapse.

This disaster is another illustration that emergency staircases, are not to be compared with a number of ordinary staircases as people naturally use the same means of egress as ingress.

*140 Avenue Road, September 30, at 1.59 a.m.*—To this fire the Brigade received an incorrect call, and were delayed in their arrival. The inmates had a very narrow escape, as the main staircase, adjoins that of the servants which was in flames, and the occupants of the top floor had only just got down in time. Two amahs in the back quarters were not fortunate and had to jump from the first floor, but were uninjured.

It is very suprising, that even today, little attention is paid to the safety of the inmates in dwellings, as regards escape from fire, when a building is designed.

It would not be an expensive matter to make the buildings reasonably safe, when originally constructed.

M. W. PETT,
*Chief Officer.*

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | | Call: Time of | Call: How received | Alarm given | Locality | District: Municipal | District: Fire | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire: Hours | Time at fire: Minutes | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sept. | 2 | 4.49 a.m. | Central Tower | Station | Quai de France | Outside | | | | 7 | | |
| | 2 | 7.11 a.m. | Telephone | " | Vv 253 Amoy Road | Central | 6 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 20 | |
| | 6 | 2.10 a.m. | Police | " | A 1054 Broadway | Eastern | 1 | Brass Foundry | | | 20 | |
| | 9 | 2.47 a.m. | Telephone | District | 36 Seymour Road | Western | 7 | Foreign Residence | 1 damaged | 9 | | |
| | 9 | 8.16 p.m. | Police | Station | Off Robison Road | Outside | | | | | 50 | |
| | 18 | 2.25 a.m. | Central Tower | " | Foochow, Fokien Roads | Central | 5 | | | | 15 | Not traced |
| | 18 | 6.25 p.m. | Sinza Tower | " | M 1780 Avenue Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | 1 " | | | |
| | 20 | 8.10 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Dixwell, Urga Roads | Outside | | | | 2 | 15 | |
| | 22 | 6.21 a.m. | Police | " | 31 Whangpoo Road | Northern | 2 | Factory | | | 30 | |
| | 23 | 12.21 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | North Soochow, North Fokien Roads | " | 8 | | | | 15 | False alarm |
| | 24 | 7.56 p.m. | Central Tower | " | Wing On Building | Central | 5 | General Store | | | 25 | |
| | 25 | 11.39 p.m. | Sinza Tower | " | 8A Chengtu Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Silk Filature | 1 " | 18 | | |
| | 26 | 11.32 a.m. | Telephone | District | 2 Ichang Road | " | 7 | Cotton Mill | 1 " | 10 | | |
| | 27 | 7.26 p.m. | " | Station | "Flower World" H 327 Hoopeh Road | Central | 5 | Public Entertainment | | 34 | | 3 lives lost and 20 persons injured |
| | 28 | 8.23 p.m. | " | " | B 324 Sinza Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | 2 " | 28 | | |
| | 30 | 1.59 a.m. | Police | District | 140 Avenue Road | " | 7 | Foreign Residence | 1 " | 42 | | |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

## Report of Commissioner of Police for October.

**Strength of the Force on October 31.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 209 | |
| Japanese | 43 | |
| Sikhs | 683 | |
| Chinese | 1,454 | |
| | | 2,398 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 99 | |
| Followers | 229 | |
| | | 328 |
| | Total | 2,726 |

*Murder.*—The dead body of a Chinese woman, who had been brutally murdered, was found in a room at No. 1034 Sawgin Road on the morning of October 28. One person has been arrested in connexion with the crime and is at present under remand pending further inquiries being made.

*Robbery.*—During the month seven cases of armed robbery, one of which was accompanied by murder and one by attempted murder, occurred in the Settlement. In connexion with these cases six persons have been arrested and sentenced to imprisonment in the Municipal Gaol.

One case of armed highway robbery was reported in the Yangtszepoo District and two cases of highway robbery and one of attempted highway robbery were reported in the Hongkew district. Four persons were arrested, three being sentenced to imprisonment, while the fourth, a youth, was ordered by the Mixed Court to be handed over to his parents.

Three reports were received of robbery by administering drugs in the Louza district. Three persons were arrested and sentenced to imprisonment.

The case against a Japanese, who was arrested in connexion with an attempted robbery in April last, was disposed of by the Japanese Court on October 29 when the accused was sentenced to ten months' imprisonment.

*Stolen Property.*—346 reports of property stolen were made during the month to the Police. In 124 cases investigations were made with successful results. The return shows an increase of 22 on the previous month and of 61 on the figures for the corresponding month of last year.

*Zinc and Opium Seizure.*—On October 19 at 12.30 a.m. a youth named Wong Dah, who stated he was employed as cook at 243 Shanhaikwan Road, was arrested on Shanhaikwan Road in possession of two charcoal baskets containing

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44 packets of opium, each weighing approximately 1½-lb. A short time afterwards a Chinese Constable reported the front door of 243 Shanhaikwan Road open, that the occupants were missing and that the house contained, in addition to some furniture, a large quantity of zinc in blocks. A search of the premises was made and 37 packets of opium were discovered similar to that found in possession of the arrested man. On October 20, owing to the large number of blocks of zinc in the house and opium being found there, it was decided to cut two of the blocks. One weighing 110-lb. was cut but nothing found. A smaller block weighing 90-lb., 18½ inches in length, 7 inches broad and 2¾ inches thick, was then cut and a tin of opium of the same quality as that previously found in the house and in possession of the youth on Shanhaikwan Road, was discovered embedded in the middle. In all 96 blocks of zinc containing opium were found and also 75 blocks of zinc which had been remoulded after the opium had been removed. The opium was the Yunnanese brand and had been smuggled into Shanghai from that province.

*Opium Smuggling.*—The number of cases which come up month after month and the quantity of opium seized by the Police and the Customs in this port alone—a very small percentage of what is actually smuggled—show how futile are the efforts made to suppress the evil. China, who first advocated its suppression, has displayed the utmost laxity in the supervision of poppy cultivation and the manufacture of the drug, and recent cases show that large quantities are smuggled into the Settlement by train and steamer, and, if any headway is to be made, point to the necessity for some drastic action in the way of searching trains and boats, and steamers making use of public and private jetties, and strict Customs examination of people coming from these trains and vessels. It is also essential that proper supervision should be maintained in the western provinces of China where the drug has been proved to come from. At present the efforts made to suppress opium are a pure farce. Opium smoking is almost as prevalent now as before prohibition came in, and there appears to be no difficulty in obtaining the drug whenever required.

With the smuggling of opium an increase of crime is noticeable—robbery, extortion, bribery and corruption are rampant, and the so-called evils of the drug are in the opinion of many not comparable with the evils which have arisen through the half-hearted action taken to suppress the cultivation and manufacture of the drug.

*North Szechuen Road Bars.*—It was noticed with satisfaction that the Chinese Authorities during October were paying attention to the manner in which the bar rooms abounding in the North Szechuen Road Extension area have been conducting their business and it is hoped that such surveillance will continue.

Reference to one of the many side issues in regard to these premises is made in a police report, an extract from which reads as follows:—

"Visits to many premises in Chinese territory off North Szechuen Road Extension show the conditions under which foreigners, mostly of a certain nationality, are living to be appalling. In many instances foreign women are living in Chinese houses with low class Chinese. At one place in Jukong Road there were four foreign women living in partitioned rooms where the sanitary conditions were shocking. There are good reasons to believe that many men are living off these women."

*Anniversary of Chinese Republic.*—The celebration of the anniversary of the Chinese Republic, the most important political event of the month, passed off quietly. Meetings organized by various societies which took place in various parts of the Settlement were remarkable for their orderliness and the moderation of the language of the speakers. The occasion was, however, taken advantage of by local pro-Bolsheviks to distribute literature advocating their views. The principal offender in this respect, one Wu Chia-ting (胡嘉亭), a Cantonese teacher in a school at No. 1780 North Szechuen Road, was brought before the Mixed Court and released on security on October 19.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 595 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 184 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 224 records were received from the French Police out of which number 105 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For Identification | 819 |
| Identified | 289 |
| Percentage | 35 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 7 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 47 |
| Total | 54 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 21.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 348 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 63 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 70 | *Second offenders.* |
| 35 | *Third offenders.* |
| 5 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 74 | *Habitual offenders* (serious). |
| 595 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for October*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. | Tls. 5,572.70 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 2,495.53 |
| Total | Tls. 3,077.17 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. 3,077.17 |

Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licenses suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.

K. J. McEuen,
*Commissioner of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:*— | |
| Assault | 5 |
| Causing grievous bodily harm | 1 |
| Murder, attempted | 2 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:*— | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:*— | |
| Dogs | 3 |
| Handcart | 1 |
| Motor cars | 2 |
| Motor cycles | 4 |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:*— | |
| Nuisance | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 9 |
| Riding a bicycle after sunset without a light | 1 |
| Unlawful possession of opium | 1 |
| Vagrancy | 2 |
| Total | 32 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,273 | 1,273 |
| Others | 37 | 749 | 786 |
| Total | 37 | 2,022 | 2,059 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 1 |
| Case Withdrawn | 1 |
| Cautioned | 2 |
| Dismissed | 3 |
| Fined | 8 |
| Handed over to Japanese Naval Authorities | 2 |
| Imprisonment | 6 |
| " and Fined | 5 |
| Remanded | 4 |
| Total | 32 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on October 31.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 9 |
| Hongkew Station | 14 |
| Harbin Road Station | 3 |
| West Hongkew Station | 8 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 1 |
| Sinza Station | 15 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 1 |
| Gordon Road Station | 1 |
| Gaol | 1,636 |
| Reformatory | 46 |
| Total | 1.734 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN September 25 and October 29.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 44.236.50 |
| Recovered | 21,299 20 |

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VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 834 | 386 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 834 | 386 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 30/9/20 | 45 | 371 |
| Captured | 326 | |
| Returned | 59 | 371 |
| Killed | 258 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 7 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 47 | |

## Health Officer's Report for October.

The condition of the Public Health was good. Dysentery, which showed signs of special virulence in the previous month, subsided. There has been no Small-pox; but the period when it usually becomes prevalent in the East is at hand and vaccination should receive attention, particularly in the case of recent arrivals where the necessary vaccination prior to leaving home has been neglected. A commendable increase among the Chinese coming voluntarily for free vaccination to the Branch Health Offices is recorded. The advantage of being protected before the Small-pox comes is becoming more appreciated. There is a strong tendency to wait until the danger is actually present, which is a less intelligent way.

A Chinese case of Cerebrospinal fever was reported, which is a sign-post to this danger of the winter months.

The Tuberculosis Hospital is fulfilling its important function in admitting an increasing number of cases for cure, and also for the equally important object of preventing others being infected in households where a consumptive cannot have a room to himself. In combination with the work of the District Nurse and the Health Inspectors the foundation of satisfactory work against this greatest of world plagues may be said to have now been laid.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaugterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign Resident | Foreign Non-resident | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Typhoid fever | 1 | 0 | — |
| Scarlet fever | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 | 0 | 82 |
| Beri-beri | 3 | 0 | 5 |
| Dysentery | 4 | 0 | 29 |
| From all causes | 24 | 5 | 687 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Typhoid fever | 3 |
| Paratyphoid fevers | 2 |
| Diphtheria | 3 |
| Scarlet fever | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 |
| Dysentery | 14 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cases admitted – | Diphtheria | 5 | 6 |
| | Scarlet fever | 2 | 3 |
| | Measles | 5 | 0 |
| | Influenza | 1 | 0 |
| | Tuberculosis | 5 | 0 |
| | Discharged | 16 | 27 |
| | Died | 1 | 1 |
| Remaining last day of month | | 14 | 13 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen ..... | 2,455 | 3 | 2,455 | 0 | 1 |
| Sheep ..... | 3,212 | 2 | 3,212 | 2 | 2 |
| Calves ..... | 544 | 0 | 544 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs..... | 438 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK.

| | District | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | Total |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 348 | 607 | 210 | 354 | 1419 |
| Rats plague infected ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation .... | 800 | 1000 | 1000 | 400 | 3200 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1084 | 1523 | 1040 | 696 | 4343 |
| Poisoned baits laid ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfested under notice to occupier ..... | 0 | 0 | 208 | 0 | 208 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 8,319 |
| Bacterial " " | 105 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 6 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 545 |
| Analyses " " | 59 |

RABIES OBSERVATION

| | |
|---|---|
| Dogs received for observation | 9 |
| Dogs biting people | 7 |
| Returned to owners | 8 |
| Sent to lethal chamber | 1 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 36 | 14 |
| Surgical | 52 | 1 |
| Maternity | 15 | 3 |
| Mental | 6 | 0 |
| Infectious | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 109 | 18 |

LABORATORY REPORT ON WATER.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks' water.
Sample received October 26, 1920.
Report sent out October 31, 1920.

Physical Characters.—Yellowish green colour with slight opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 12.2 |
| Appearance on Ignition—slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 8.0 |
| (a) Temporary | 4.8 |
| (b) Permanent | 3.2 |
| Chlorine | 1.8 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.048 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0015 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0091 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° c. | 0.0420 |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 37° C. for 48 hours showed an average of 10 colonies per c.c.

Nutrient agar plates at 22° C. for 72 hours showed an average of 30 colonies per c.c.

Organisms of the coli group were present after 48 hours in quantities of 3 c.c.'s and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—The results of analysis show satisfactory filtration.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox ... ... ... ... ... | 174 | 171 | 128 | 206 | 679 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease ... ... ... ... ... ... | 1 | 16 | 8 | 5 | 30 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease ... ... ... ... | 28 | 73 | 80 | 37 | 218 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease ... ... | 138 | 116 | 310 | 329 | 893 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 1,665 | 1,570 | 3,169 | 2,152 | 8,556 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed ... ... ... ... | 36 | 140 | 698 | 106 | 980 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 45 | 0 | 45 |
| Defective drainage amended ... ... ... ... ... | 26 | 22 | 44 | 36 | 128 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected ... ... ... ... | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 8 |
| " " repaired ... ... ... ... | 72 | 109 | 66 | 82 | 329 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy ... | 4 | 13 | 19 | 1 | 37 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished ... ... ... ... | 0 | 3 | 300 | 799 | 1,102 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried ... ... | 0 | 19 | 15 | 0 | 34 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Beggar-boats removed... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 11 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 15 | 14 | 14 | 27 | 70 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 64 | 77 | 67 | 66 | 274 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 11 | 4 | 1 | 16 |
| Samples taken for analysis... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 9 | 13 | 33 | 55 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed ... ... ... ... | 40 | 888 | 1,520 | 575 | 3,023 |
| Hawkers licensed ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 686 | 788 | 668 | 434 | 2,574 |
| Food prosecutions... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 48 | 11 | 6 | 65 |
| House refuse prosecutions ... ... ... ... ... ... | 17 | 83 | 8 | 2 | 110 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions ... ... ... ... | 1 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 15 |
| Tons of ordure removed ... ... ... ... ... ... | 3,890 | 5,251 | 2,964 | 4,320 | 16,425 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed ... ... ... | 2,730 | 901 | 416 | 715 | 4,762 |
| Tons of house refuse removed ... ... ... ... ... | 6,598 | 4,354 | 2,465 | 3,506 | 16,923 |

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE MUNICIPAL LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Name of Dairy | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Zung Kee | We Oo Zaung | Rue des Officiers | 5.9% added water |
| Yue Chong | Yau Z Kya | M. 756 Avenue Road | 8.7% added water |

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# CENSUS OF THE FOREIGN POPUL

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| NATIONALITY | CENTRAL DISTRICT | | | | | NORTHERN DISTRICT | | | | | EASTERN DISTRICT | | | | | W |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Adults | | Children | | Total | Adults | | Children | | Total | Adults | | Children | | Total | Adu |
| | M. | F. | M. | F. | | M. | F. | M. | F. | | M. | F. | M. | F. | | M. |
| Japanese | 136 | 43 | 10 | 16 | 205 | 2,366 | 2,336 | 615 | 606 | 5,923 | 495 | 401 | 131 | 119 | 1,146 | 349 |
| British | 350 | 175 | 34 | 22 | 581 | 612 | 485 | 171 | 146 | 1,414 | 466 | 369 | 151 | 152 | 1,138 | 692 |
| American | 196 | 76 | 14 | 2 | 288 | 372 | 229 | 103 | 77 | 781 | 118 | 90 | 30 | 41 | 279 | 186 |
| Portuguese | 7 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 21 | 236 | 250 | 136 | 116 | 738 | 97 | 80 | 44 | 42 | 263 | 11 |
| Russian | 26 | 28 | 1 | 5 | 60 | 184 | 186 | 46 | 32 | 448 | 212 | 192 | 42 | 32 | 478 | 76 |
| French | 29 | 19 | 2 | 2 | 52 | 75 | 29 | 7 | 7 | 118 | 7 | 10 | ... | ... | 17 | 38 |
| German | 3 | 2 | ... | ... | 5 | 22 | 27 | 10 | 7 | 66 | 22 | 20 | 2 | 11 | 55 | 48 |
| Spanish | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 31 | 27 | 12 | 12 | 82 | 26 | 18 | 13 | 6 | 63 | 4 |
| Danish | 19 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 33 | 18 | 11 | 2 | 2 | 33 | 19 | 13 | 9 | 3 | 44 | 24 |
| Italian | 7 | 1 | ... | 1 | 9 | 32 | 21 | 9 | 2 | 64 | 12 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 22 | 26 |
| Norwegian | 6 | 3 | ... | 1 | 10 | 9 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 17 | 17 | 13 | 8 | 8 | 46 | 7 |
| Swiss | 9 | 2 | ... | 1 | 12 | 9 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 20 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 16 | 21 |
| Polish | 8 | 9 | 4 | 1 | 22 | 13 | 7 | 2 | ... | 22 | 12 | 10 | ... | 2 | 24 | 5 |
| Swedish | ... | 3 | ... | ... | 3 | 10 | 13 | 1 | 3 | 27 | 14 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 24 | 7 |
| Dutch | 11 | 8 | 1 | ... | 20 | 11 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 17 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15 |
| Greek | 4 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 14 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 15 | 13 | 7 | 4 | 9 | 33 | 1 |
| Czecho-Slovak | 4 | ... | ... | ... | 4 | 9 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 16 | 8 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 19 | 12 |
| Roumanian | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 12 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 26 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 2 |
| Esthonian | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 12 | 2 | 3 | 23 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 10 |
| Korean | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12 | 15 | 4 | 6 | 37 | 6 |
| Lettish | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | 2 | 7 | 4 | ... | 1 | 12 | 6 | 9 | 3 | ... | 18 | 3 |
| Belgian | 5 | 1 | ... | ... | 6 | 4 | 2 | 4 | ... | 10 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | 4 | 5 |
| Turkish | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 6 | ... |
| Brazilian | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 7 | ... |
| Austrian | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 3 | ... | ... | 4 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... |
| Hungarian | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 2 |
| Persian | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 2 | ... | 1 | ... | 3 | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | 2 | ... |
| Armenian | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 |
| Arabian | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Bulgarian | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... |
| Egyptian | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 |
| Montenegrin | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Venezuelan | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Indian | 207 | 6 | 2 | 3 | 218 | 163 | 18 | 6 | 10 | 197 | 269 | 35 | 9 | 22 | 335 | 156 |
| Malay | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Sundries | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7 | 2 | ... | ... | 9 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 3 |
| Totals | 1,034 | 398 | 77 | 65 | 1,574 | 4,221 | 3,698 | 1,142 | 1,036 | 10,097 | 1,847 | 1,315 | 465 | 467 | 4,094 | 1,711 |
| Against Totals for 1915 | 1,008 | 463 | 77 | 101 | 1,649 | 3,537 | 2,922 | 1,080 | 893 | 8,432 | 1,242 | 894 | 399 | 396 | 2,931 | 1,234 |
| " " 1910 | 925 | 308 | 56 | 67 | 1,356 | 2,742 | 2,181 | 849 | 766 | 6,538 | 985 | 606 | 254 | 275 | 2,120 | 1,028 |
| " " 1905 | 971 | 323 | 74 | 85 | 1,453 | 2,825 | 1,784 | 714 | 695 | 6,018 | 885 | 552 | 231 | 231 | 1,899 | 654 |
| " " 1900 | 860 | 350 | 116 | 116 | 1,442 | 1,523 | 995 | 569 | 640 | 3,727 | 358 | 214 | 112 | 106 | 790 | 317 |
| | | | | | | Hongkew Settlement | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Adults | | | Children | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | M. | F. | | M. | F. | | | | |
| " " 1895 | 703 | 310 | 121 | 144 | 1,278 | | | | 1,141 | 770 | 482 | 516 | | | 2,909 | |

| | 1920 | 1915 | 1910 | 1905 | 1900 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Shipping in Harbour... | 717 | 731 | 314 | 668 | 498 |
| Navy do. ... | 1,540 | 1,565 | 1,441 | 1,842 | 755 |
| | 2,257 | 2,296 | 1,755 | 2,510 | 1,253 |

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F. A. Sampson,

*Acting Commissioner of Revenue.*

November 3, 1920.

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# OF SHANGHAI ON OCTOBER 16, 1920

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| T | OUTSIDE ROADS | | | | | POOTUNG | | | | | GRAND TOTAL | | | | | AGAINST GRAND TOTALS FOR: | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| TOTAL | ADULTS | | CHILDREN | | TOTAL | ADULTS | | CHILDREN | | TOTAL | ADULTS | | CHILDREN | | TOTAL | 1915 | 1910 | 1905 | 1900 | 1895 |
| | M. | F. | M. | F. | | M. | F. | M. | F. | | M. | F. | M. | F. | | | | | | |
| 784 | 1,042 | 612 | 191 | 177 | 2,022 | 54 | 40 | 15 | 26 | 135 | 4,442 | 3,682 | 1,058 | 1,033 | 10,215 | 7,169 | 3,361 | 2,157 | 736 | 250 |
| 1,488 | 231 | 213 | 91 | 86 | 621 | 47 | 24 | 12 | 16 | 99 | 2,398 | 1,768 | 613 | 562 | 5,341 | 4,822 | 4,465 | 3,713 | 2,691 | 1,936 |
| 412 | 139 | 177 | 95 | 85 | 496 | 7 | 1 | ... | ... | 8 | 1,018 | 728 | 272 | 246 | 2,264 | 1,307 | 940 | 991 | 562 | 328 |
| 33 | 84 | 71 | 43 | 48 | 246 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 435 | 422 | 233 | 211 | 1,301 | 1,323 | 1,495 | 1,331 | 978 | 731 |
| 197 | 21 | 19 | 32 | 3 | 75 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 520 | 516 | 141 | 89 | 1,266 | 361 | 317 | 354 | 47 | 28 |
| 102 | 9 | 8 | 5 | 4 | 26 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | 158 | 109 | 22 | 27 | 316 | 244 | 330 | 393 | 176 | 138 |
| 128 | 6 | 6 | 8 | 6 | 26 | ... | .. | ... | ... | ... | 101 | 98 | 38 | 43 | 280 | 1,155 | 811 | 785 | 525 | 314 |
| 7 | 8 | 13 | 3 | 10 | 34 | .. | ... | ... | ... | ... | 69 | 59 | 29 | 29 | 186 | 181 | 140 | 146 | 111 | 154 |
| 48 | 8 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 16 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 89 | 57 | 17 | 12 | 175 | 145 | 113 | 121 | 76 | 86 |
| 57 | 4 | 4 | ... | 6 | 14 | 2 | 1 | ... | 2 | 5 | 83 | 47 | 17 | 24 | 171 | 114 | 124 | 148 | 60 | 83 |
| 14 | 4 | 3 | 2 | ... | 9 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 43 | 28 | 14 | 11 | 96 | 82 | 86 | 93 | 45 | 35 |
| 32 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 9 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 48 | 24 | 8 | 9 | 89 | 79 | 69 | 80 | 37 | 16 |
| 12 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 39 | 33 | 6 | 4 | 82 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 7 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 12 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 36 | 24 | 7 | 11 | 78 | 73 | 72 | 80 | 63 | 46 |
| 29 | 2 | 3 | ... | ... | 5 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 41 | 20 | 6 | 6 | 73 | 55 | 52 | 58 | 40 | 15 |
| 1 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 10 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 26 | 17 | 13 | 17 | 73 | 41 | 36 | 32 | 6 | 7 |
| 19 | 4 | 2 | 1 | ... | 7 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 37 | 16 | 8 | 4 | 65 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 5 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 20 | 18 | 4 | 5 | 47 | 16 | 15 | 12 | ... | ... |
| 17 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 20 | 18 | 4 | 5 | 47 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 9 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 18 | 16 | 6 | 6 | 46 | 20 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 7 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 20 | 19 | 3 | 1 | 43 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 10 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 17 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 30 | 18 | 31 | 48 | 22 | 21 |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 108 | 83 | 26 | 41 | 32 |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 5 | 7 | 8 | 3 | ... |
| ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 5 | 3 | ... | ... | 8 | } 123 | 102 | 158 | 83 | 39 |
| 5 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 5 | 2 | 1 | ... | 8 | | | | | |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | ... | 2 | 1 | 7 | 39 | 49 | 6 | 2 | 4 |
| 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 5 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 14 | ... | ... | ... |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | 2 | 8 | 11 | ... | ... | ... |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7 | ... | ... |
| 187 | 16 | 1 | ... | ... | 17 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 811 | 80 | 22 | 41 | 954 | 1,009 | 804 | 568 | 296 | 119 |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 171 | 157 | 32 |
| 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | ... | 5 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14 | 3 | 1 | ... | 18 | 13 | 9 | 11 | 17 | 270 |
| 3,617 | 1,598 | 1,151 | 478 | 434 | 3,661 | 116 | 71 | 31 | 46 | 264 | 10,527 | 7,825 | 2,553 | 2,402 | 23,307 | 18,519 | 13,536 | 11,497 | 6,774 | 4,684 |
| 2,697 | 1,054 | 819 | 344 | 315 | 2,532 | 122 | 62 | 46 | 48 | 278 | 8,197 | 6,044 | 2,233 | 2,045 | 18,519 | | | | | |
| 2,037 | 486 | 409 | 174 | 191 | 1,260 | 127 | 50 | 21 | 27 | 225 | 6,293 | 4,172 | 1,543 | 1,528 | 13,536 | | | | | |
| 1,286 | 180 | 155 | 87 | 83 | 505 | 213 | 59 | 45 | 19 | 336 | 5,728 | 3,270 | 1,256 | 1,243 | 11,497 | | | | | |
| 611 | 29 | 27 | 10 | 14 | 80 | 94 | 15 | 6 | 9 | 124 | 3,181 | 1,776 | 870 | 947 | 6,774 | | | | | |
| STRICT AND OUTSIDE ROADS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| lts | Children | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| F. | M. | F. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 142 | 51 | 65 | | | 441 | 41 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 56 | 2,068 | 1,227 | 659 | 730 | 4,684 | | | | | |

15 years of age.

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

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# FOREIGN CENSUS FOR 1920.

*Summary of Rank, Profession, and Occupation of the Male Population*

| RANK, ETC. | DISTRICT. | | | | Outside Roads | Pootung | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | | | |
| Accountants ... ... ... | 31 | 58 | 30 | 5 | 24 | 1 | 209 |
| Actors and Showmen ... ... | ... | 19 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 21 |
| Actuaries ... ... ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | .. | 2 |
| Advertising Agents ... ... | 1 | 2 | ... | 2 | ... | ... | 5 |
| Aerated Water Manufacturer ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 |
| Analysts ... ... ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 3 |
| Apprentices ... ... ... | ... | 15 | 5 | ... | 2 | ... | 22 |
| Architects ... ... ... | 10 | 17 | 6 | 30 | 4 | ... | 67 |
| Auctioneers ... ... ... | 1 | 2 | ... | 4 | ... | ... | 7 |
| Artists ... ... ... | 2 | 24 | 3 | 2 | 1 | ... | 32 |
| Average Adjuster ... ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 |
| Aviator ... ... ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 |
| Bakers ... ... ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | 2 |
| Bankers Staff ... ... | 31 | 38 | 9 | 52 | 62 | 1 | 193 |
| Barristers-at-law and Solicitors ... | 9 | 11 | 3 | 19 | 6 | ... | 48 |
| Bar Tenders ... ... | .. | 10 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 11 |
| Bill Collectors ... ... ... | 1 | 3 | ... | ... | .. | ... | 4 |
| Blacksmiths ... ... | ... | 5 | 1 | 3 | 1 | ... | 10 |
| Boarding House Keepers ... ... | ... | 13 | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | 15 |
| Boilermakers ... ... | ... | 1 | 6 | ... | ... | ... | 7 |
| Brokers ... ... ... | 20 | 43 | 11 | 40 | 16 | ... | 130 |
| Butchers ... ... ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 |
| Cabinet Makers ... ... ... | ... | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 |
| Carders and Spinners ... ... | ... | ... | 5 | ... | ... | ... | 5 |
| Carpenters ... ... ... | ... | 30 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 37 |
| Carriage Builders ... ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 2 |
| Chauffeurs ... ... ... | ... | 1 | 2 | 2 | ... | ... | 5 |
| Chemists and Druggists ... | 5 | 18 | 12 | 4 | 4 | ... | 43 |
| Cinematograph Operators ... ... | ... | 4 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | 7 |
| Civil Engineers ... ... | 6 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 8 | 1 | 27 |
| Clergymen and Ministers ... ... | 3 | 1 | ... | 1 | 5 | ... | 10 |
| Clerks ... ... ... | 136 | 551 | 267 | 310 | 448 | 42 | 1,754 |
| Commission Agents ... ... | 19 | 26 | 4 | 6 | ... | ... | 55 |
| Consular Officials ... ... | 7 | 12 | 3 | 13 | 6 | ... | 41 |
| Consulting Engineers ... ... | ... | 1 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | 4 |
| Contractors ... ... | 1 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 1 | ... | 14 |
| Cooks and Confectioners ... ... | 5 | 109 | 9 | 4 | 9 | 2 | 138 |
| Curio Dealers ... ... | ... | 25 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 27 |
| Cotton Testers ... ... ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | 3 |
| Dairy Keepers ... ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | ... | 4 |
| Dentists ... ... ... | 6 | 23 | ... | 9 | 2 | ... | 40 |
| Divers ... ... ... | ... | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 4 |
| Drapers ... ... ... | ... | 9 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9 |
| Draughtsmen ... ... | 1 | 2 | 6 | 1 | ... | ... | 10 |
| Dyers and Cleaners ... ... | ... | 22 | 3 | ... | ... | ... | 25 |
| Electricians ... ... | 1 | 12 | 18 | 18 | 6 | 2 | 57 |
| Embroiderers ... ... ... | ... | 6 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 7 |
| Engineers ... ... ... | 34 | 63 | 118 | 133 | 20 | 18 | 386 |
| Engravers ... ... ... | ... | 7 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7 |
| Filature, Mill and Factory Staff ... | ... | 5 | 152 | 21 | 22 | ... | 200 |
| Firemen and Stokers ... ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 |
| Freight Measurers ... ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 2 |
| Furniture Designer ... ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 |
| Gaolers and Warders ... ... | ... | 1 | 154 | ... | ... | ... | 155 |
| Garage Keeper ... ... ... | ... | 3 | 2 | ... | 3 | ... | 8 |
| Gardeners ... ... ... | ... | 1 | ... | 5 | ... | ... | 6 |
| Godown Keepers ... ... ... | ... | 7 | 6 | 2 | 1 | ... | 16 |
| Golf Professional ... ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 |
| Hairdressers and Barbers ... ... | ... | 100 | 11 | 7 | 1 | ... | 119 |
| Hatmakers ... ... ... | ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 |
| Horticulturists ... ... ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | 3 |
| Hospital Patients ... ... | ... | 134 | ... | ... | 4 | ... | 138 |
| Hotel Runners ... ... ... | ... | 26 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 26 |
| Inn and Hotel Keepers ... | 4 | 14 | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 20 |
| Insurance Agents Staff ... ... | 9 | 15 | 8 | 12 | 10 | ... | 54 |
| Interpreters ... ... | ... | 8 | 3 | ... | ... | ... | 11 |
| Jewellers and Silversmiths ... ... | ... | 50 | 5 | ... | ... | ... | 55 |
| Journalists ... ... ... | 8 | 60 | 16 | 8 | 5 | ... | 97 |
| Judges ... ... ... | ... | 3 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 4 |
| Labourer ... ... ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 |
| Land and Estate Agents ... ... | ... | 1 | ... | 2 | ... | ... | 3 |
| Lithographers ... ... | 1 | 4 | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 7 |
| Livery Stable Keeper ... ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 |
| Lodging House Keepers ... | 1 | 5 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 7 |
| Marine Officers ... ... ... | 3 | 47 | 37 | 14 | 13 | 2 | 116 |
| Marine Superintendents ... | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | ... | 8 |
| Marine Surveyors ... ... | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | 7 |
| Masseurs ... ... ... | ... | 22 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 23 |
| Matmakers ... ... ... | ... | 16 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 16 |
| Mechanics ... ... ... | 4 | 48 | 25 | 6 | 2 | ... | 85 |
| Medical Practitioners ... ... | 14 | 52 | 3 | 18 | 12 | ... | 99 |
| Mercantile Assistants ... ... | 82 | 364 | 134 | 149 | 92 | 2 | 823 |
| *Forward* ... | 467 | 2,197 | 1,102 | 990 | 805 | 73 | 5,634 |

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## FOREIGN CENSUS FOR 1920 *(Continued)*

| RANK, ETC. | DISTRICT. | | | | Outside Roads | Pootung | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | | | |
| *Forward...* | 467 | 2,197 | 1,102 | 990 | 805 | 73 | 5,634 |
| Merchants ... ... ... | 161 | 339 | 87 | 214 | 78 | 2 | 881 |
| Millers ... ... ... | 1 | ... | 3 | 3 | ... | ... | 7 |
| Mining Engineers ... ... | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | ... | ... | 7 |
| Missionaries ... ... | ... | 84 | 27 | 2 | 44 | ... | 157 |
| Moneylender ... ... ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 |
| Musicians ... ... ... | 6 | 65 | 23 | 2 | 2 | ... | 98 |
| Naval and Military Officers ... ... | 3 | 8 | 7 | 11 | 1 | ... | 30 |
| Nurses ... ... ... | ... | 9 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9 |
| Oil Refiners ... ... ... | ... | 3 | ... | 3 | ... | ... | 6 |
| Opticians ... ... ... | 2 | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | 4 |
| Overseers and Inspectors ... .. | 6 | 37 | 42 | 16 | 10 | 7 | 118 |
| Painters ... ... ... | ... | 15 | 2 | ... | 1 | ... | 18 |
| Pawnbrokers ... ... ... | ... | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 |
| Pensioners ... ... ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 2 |
| Photographers ... ... ... | ... | 28 | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 30 |
| Piano Manufacturer ... ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 |
| Piano Tuners ... ... ... | ... | 2 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 3 |
| Pilots ... ... ... | 5 | 10 | 5 | 5 | 9 | ... | 34 |
| Plumbers ... ... ... | ... | 3 | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | 5 |
| Police, Foreign ... ... | 37 | 67 | 29 | 39 | 20 | ... | 192 |
| Police, Indians ... ... ... | 138 | 95 | 71 | 119 | 14 | ... | 437 |
| Postal Officials ... ... | 1 | 33 | 19 | 3 | 27 | ... | 83 |
| Priests ... ... ... | ... | 24 | 4 | ... | 1 | ... | 29 |
| Printers and Compositors ... | 3 | 51 | 16 | 9 | 4 | ... | 83 |
| Prisoners ... ... ... | ... | ... | 5 | ... | ... | ... | 5 |
| Private Detective ... ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 |
| Professor of Music ... ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 |
| Public Companies, Agents and Secretaries | 7 | 6 | 3 | 8 | 7 | ... | 31 |
| Public Offices, including Customs ... | 12 | 90 | 26 | 27 | 15 | 9 | 179 |
| Railway Officials ... ... | 1 | 2 | ... | 1 | 3 | ... | 7 |
| Restaurant Keepers ... ... | 1 | 40 | 1 | ... | 4 | ... | 46 |
| Rope Maker ... ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 |
| Sailors ... ... ... | ... | 34 | 18 | 1 | ... | ... | 53 |
| Sculptor ... ... ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 |
| Secretaries of Clubs, etc. ... ... | 1 | 2 | 4 | 8 | ... | ... | 15 |
| Servants ... ... ... | 5 | 34 | 5 | 6 | 13 | ... | 63 |
| Ship Agents ... ... ... | 1 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 6 | ... | 17 |
| Ship Wrights ... ... | ... | 1 | 3 | ... | ... | ... | 4 |
| Shirtmakers ... ... ... | ... | 7 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7 |
| Shoemakers ... ... | 1 | 49 | 11 | 10 | ... | ... | 71 |
| Silk Inspectors ... ... ... | 3 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 4 |
| Silk Merchants ... ... | ... | ... | ... | 5 | ... | ... | 5 |
| Soldiers ... ... ... | ... | ... | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | 3 |
| Stenographers ... ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 4 |
| Stewards ... ... ... | 3 | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 6 |
| Store Keepers and Assistants ... | 23 | 372 | 60 | 23 | 2 | ... | 480 |
| Students ... ... ... | 4 | 81 | 51 | 21 | 407 | 6 | 570 |
| Surveyors ... ... ... | 3 | 7 | ... | 2 | 1 | ... | 13 |
| Tailors ... ... ... | ... | 68 | 7 | 3 | 1 | ... | 79 |
| Tanner ... ... ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 |
| Tax Collectors ... ... ... | ... | 14 | 3 | 2 | 4 | ... | 23 |
| Teachers ... ... ... | 3 | 18 | 8 | 16 | 49 | ... | 94 |
| Tea Inspectors ... ... ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | 2 |
| Tea Merchants ... ... | 2 | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | 4 |
| Telegraphists ... ... ... | 3 | 8 | 5 | 17 | 1 | ... | 34 |
| Telephone Engineers ... ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 4 |
| Tobacco Manufacturer ... ... | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 5 |
| Tortoise Shell Workers... ... | ... | ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | 4 |
| Tramway Officials ... ... | 1 | ... | 7 | 2 | ... | ... | 10 |
| Translators ... ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | 2 |
| Travellers ... ... ... | 9 | 1 | ... | 4 | ... | ... | 14 |
| Trunk and Box Makers ... | ... | 9 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9 |
| Undefined ... ... ... | 47 | 126 | 89 | 67 | 24 | 3 | 356 |
| Undertakers ... ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | 2 |
| Underwriters ... ... ... | 1 | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | 3 |
| Unemployed ... ... | 11 | 105 | 39 | 19 | 23 | ... | 197 |
| Veterinarians ... ... ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 2 |
| Watchmakers ... ... | ... | 10 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | 13 |
| Watchmen ... ... ... | 55 | 49 | 41 | 25 | 14 | ... | 184 |
| Wharfingers ... ... | 1 | ... | 11 | ... | ... | 14 | 26 |
| Totals ... | 1,034 | 4,221 | 1,847 | 1,711 | 1.598 | 116 | 10,527 |

F. A. Sampson, *Acting Commissioner of Revenue.*

N. O. LIDDELL, *Secretary.*

Shanghai, November 3, 1920.

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## Report of the Commissioner of Public Works for October.

The Bund reclamation and widening scheme has now been completed from Peking Road to Avenue Edward VII, and the question of continuing the road widening northwards from Peking Road to the Garden Bridge remains for future consideration.

The progress on this work has necessarily been slow, on account of the great shortage of labour throughout the year, despite higher rates paid in the Central District.

The original intention was to retain practically all the old trees on the motor rank along the centre of the present Bund, but it was found that many of them were an obstruction to vehicles using the rank and others prevented the free flow of water in the surface channels, therefore it was found necessary to remove most of them, and such as were suitable were transplanted to the new footpath on the east side when the season permitted.

The Bund scheme also necessitated the removal of the flagstaff nearly opposite Canton Road, and the setting back of the stay wires of the P. & O. flagstaff, as well as the re-erection in new positions of the "Parkes" and "Hart" memorials. The improvement in traffic conditions on the Bund consequent upon the completion of the scheme is obvious.

### ROADS.

Asphaltic road construction and treatment has practically ceased consequent upon the cold weather setting in.

*Penang Road.*—The raising and forming between Robison and Kiaochow Roads has been completed.

*Bubbling Well Road.*—The raising of the tram track at the junction with Hart Road has been completed and the road graded to the new level.

*Darroch Road.*—With the completion of a further widening this road is now open for its full width between North Szechuen Road and Kiangwan Road.

*Tongshan Road.*—The ballasting and metalling has been completed for the full width between Chaoufoong Road and Dent Road.

*Kueiyang Road.*—The raising and culverting has been completed between Pingliang Road and Yangtszepoo Road.

### DRAINAGE.

*Siccawei Road.*—The 12-in. diameter sewer between Bubbling Well Road and Great Western Road has been completed.

*Hart Road.*—The 3-ft. diameter culvert has been completed between Bubbling Well Road and Yu Yuen Road, thus completing the whole drainage scheme in this area.

*Landing Accommodation.*—A reinforced concrete jetty has been constructed in Kwanghsin Road.

### MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

*Administration Building.* — The section of the building to be used by the Electricity Department is approaching completion.

*Tower.*—During the progress of the works careful levels taken periodically on the site having proved the subsoil below the tower foundations to be unusually yielding, tests were made towards the end of last year with the view to ascertaining the ultimate safe load the subsoil at this point would carry; it was soon discovered that it would be unwise to erect the tower, as further subsidence occurred under the tests imposed.

The foundation raft remains perfectly intact, and covers the whole available area, which, moreover, has been piled, so that the cause of the settlement can only be due to the unusual compressibility of the subsoil at an unknown depth below the surface, probably due to an old creek or pond which was not discovered during excavations for foundations.

After mature deliberation, and in view of the fact that the tower is not considered architecturally essential, it has been decided to abandon the construction thereof.

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—The interior fittings are now being attended to. The floors are laid and the interior plastering is being finished off. The building has been considerably delayed owing to the shortage of labour, but is now nearly ready for occupation.

*Louza Police Station Extension.*—This building is now up to first floor level, and the concrete floor laid.

*Rifle Range Shelter.*—Filling and culverting has been completed, and the woodwork of shelter finished ready for erection.

*Yochow Road (P.W.D. Workshops).*

Excavating and concrete foundations are in hand.

### ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

*Tonquin Road Substation.*—The construction of the Battery House on the east side has been completed, and the partition to divide the transformer room is also complete.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—872 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month. The average number of coolies employed was 184.

*Cleansing and Watering.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected cartloads | 4,279 |
| Ashes ,, | 1,188 |
| Used for raising land | 474 |
| Water used for street watering | 5,869,200 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 3,090 |
| Foremen | 246 |
| Artisans | 395 |
| Mafoos | 161 |

*Concreteware.*—The following have been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 5,871 pieces |
| Machine made | 2,940 ,, |
| Total | 8,531 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 29 admissions during the month, and 70 bundles of wood chopped.

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 101 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates issued | 33 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 52 |
| New lots put under taxation | 8 |
| Assessed value of land placed under taxation | Tls. 13,142 |
| Official plans prepared | 32 |
| Surveys made in connexion with road widenings and/or extensions | 49 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 101 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Central District | 2 |
| Northern ,, | 2 |
| Eastern ,, | 10 |
| Western ,, | 8 |
| Outside limits | 14 |

*New Buildings.*

| | |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 425 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 94 |
| Plans approved | 77 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,415 |
| Boundary walls erected<br>Carpenter sheds erected<br>Repairs to buildings effected<br>New shop fronts inserted<br>Shop fronts, etc., painted<br>Alterations effected<br>Fences erected<br>Sign-boards erected<br>Drying stages erected<br>Temporary mat sunshades erected | 595 |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 23 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 2 |
| Summonses | 1 |
| Encroachments reported and rectified | 1 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 29 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 63 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by P.W.D. | 2 |
| First intimation notices issued | 2 |
| | 2 |

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

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**Parks Report for October.**

*Roadside Trees—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of trees pruned, fastened, top dressed, etc. | 485 |
| Total number of trees planted | 2 |
| Total number of dead trees removed | 118 |
| Total number of tree-borers destroyed | 3,182 |

*Road Widenings*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of trees transplanted | 85 |
| Total number of trees fastened and staked | 37 |

*Plants Bedded Out at—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Public Gardens and Parks | 8,221 |
| Municipal and Leased Properties | 2,444 |
| Total | 10,665 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of seedling plants transplanted | 2,530 |
| Various cuttings inserted | 17,886 |

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,092 |
| Baseball | 36 |
| Football | 154 |
| Tennis (23 courts) | 113 |
| Lawn Bowls | 32 |
| Total number of players | 1,427 |
| ,, ,, of non-players | 12,829 |
| ,, ,, of visitors | 14,256 |

D. MACGREGOR,
*Superintendent of Parks and Open Spaces.*

Countersigned:
CHAS. H. GODFREY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

**Summary of Revenue for October.**

| Description | Estimate for 1920 | 1920 Number | 1920 Amount | 1920 Total from January 1 | 1919 Number | 1919 Amount | 1919 Total from January 1 | 1918 Number | 1918 Amount | 1918 Total from January 1 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,055,000 | — | 103,329.95 | 973,091.28 | — | 84,482.34 | 991,953.48 | — | 57,698.07 | 884,648.59 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 861,000 | — | 55,733.80 | 707,106.96 | — | 82,472.18 | 665,033.04 | — | 84,557.58 | 562,104.48 |
| Chinese | 1,285,000 | — | 71,630.82 | 1,024,999.99 | — | 187,103.28 | 948,739.94 | — | 148,581.86 | 884,925.64 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | 0.60 | 1,476.63 | — | — | 1,320.40 | — | — | 1,311.45 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 350,000 | — | — | 265,617.93 | — | — | 186,593.00 | — | — | 141,555.33 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | 53 | 3,589.00 | 15,487.50 | 50 | 3,405.00 | 15,088.50 | 53 | 3,595.00 | 16,176.70 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 25,000 | 89 | 6,575.00 | 26,575.00 | 75 | 5,625.00 | 23,887.50 | 78 | 5,850.00 | 23,525.00 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 600 | 18 | 162.00 | 618.00 | 16 | 128.00 | 552.00 | 15 | 117.00 | 416.00 |
| Eating House | 10,000 | 39 | 531.18 | 7,948.61 | 115 | 728.11 | 7,577.22 | 129 | 544.51 | 7,145.27 |
| Chinese Club | 5,100 | 43 | 1,075.00 | 4,725.05 | 49 | 1,225.00 | 5,045.90 | 41 | 1,025.00 | 4,041.70 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 18,000 | 268 | 2,417.00 | 11,013.70 | 297 | 2,838.00 | 11,898.50 | 312 | 3,057.00 | 12,587.00 |
| Foreign Lodging-house | — | 34 | 36.60 | 229.02 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36,000 | 1 | 10.00 | 21,123.85 | 150 | 1,434.00 | 27,995.60 | 267 | 2,647.00 | 29,413.50 |
| Tea-shop | 17,000 | 617 | 1,293.00 | 13,395.50 | 636 | 1,397.00 | 13,968.50 | 651 | 1,374.50 | 13,374.50 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 7,000 | 32 | 229.52 | 5,589.38 | 100 | 738.62 | 5,919.25 | 198 | 1,454.41 | 6,136.16 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,500 | 15 | 627.00 | 5,725.50 | 16 | 588.00 | 5,209.00 | 9 | 375.00 | 3,562.50 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 18 | 709.00 | 7,460.00 | 18 | 709.00 | 7,110.00 | 18 | 685.00 | 6,495.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 3,200 | 16 | 235.50 | 2,368.50 | 13 | 259.00 | 2,586.00 | 11 | 197.00 | 1,917.00 |
| Brothel | — | 7 | 5.02 | 1,279.17 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 33,000 | — | — | 22,959.36 | — | — | 24,701.89 | — | — | 22,191.88 |
| Exchange Shop | 9,000 | 370 | 978.50 | 5,525.00 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tobacco Shop | 15,000 | 494 | 1,467.00 | 9,779.17 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,700 | 936 | 563.16 | 5,299.69 | 843 | 549.60 | 5,393.05 | 807 | 474.17 | 5,183.30 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,200 | 61 | 87.60 | 917.60 | 62 | 91.64 | 928.95 | 67 | 98.36 | 950.89 |
| Launch | 3,500 | 347 | 880.00 | 3,858.00 | 338 | 858.00 | 3,521.00 | 291 | 735.00 | 3,116.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,652 | 400.45 | 3,891.88 | 1,806 | 435.60 | 3,766.39 | 1,454 | 370.27 | 3,478.57 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 87 | 62.47 | 847.69 | 83 | 61.23 | 772.95 | 44 | 32.31 | 735.63 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 10,000 | P. 564 / C. 465 | 2,044.25 | 9,463.30 | P. 676 / C. 535 | 2,523.30 | 10,366.67 | P. 704 / C. 569 | 2,653.56 | 11,253.18 |
| Livery Stable | 11,000 | P. 321 / C. 299 | 1,090.48 | 10,108.11 | P. 265 / C. 246 | 920.29 | 10,265.23 | P. 410 / C. 259 | 1,060.18 | 10,169.10 |
| Motor Vehicles | 70,000 | V. 1575 / D. 384 | 17,623.73 | 73,468.10 | 1,297 | 12,743.01 | 49,606.14 | 1,027 | 9,790.02 | 38,941.86 |
| Cart | 37,000 | 2,615 | 3,686.00 | 34,776.00 | 2,390 | 3,450.50 | 30,254.00 | 1,984 | 2,832.50 | 26,279.50 |
| Private Ricsha | 70,000 | 7,376 | 21,180.33 | 73,183.14 | 6,763 | 14,949.41 | 57,311.85 | 6,233 | 13,727.81 | 52,772.98 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,473.75 | 116,149.50 | 8,000 | 11,782.55 | 116,240.05 | 8,000 | 11,763.10 | 115,569.92 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 6 | 12.93 | 89.00 | 8 | 17.70 | 114.64 | 8 | 19.74 | 122.30 |
| Wheel-barrow | 53,000 | 8,613 | 4,308.95 | 44,958.64 | 8,674 | 4,340.64 | 42,097.76 | 7,860 | 3,935.79 | 40,387.45 |
| Firearms | 500 | 3 | 30.00 | 230.00 | — | — | 225.00 | — | — | 225.00 |
| Dog | 8,000 | 41 | 147.33 | 6,848.07 | 206 | 759.84 | 6,344.64 | 38 | 55.81 | 3,380.92 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 118,840 | 6,495 | 10,141.16 | 97,841.65 | 6,289 | 10,045.89 | 93,105.43 | 6,081 | 9,698.32 | 90,753.49 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | — | 1,180.00 | — | — | 410.00 | — | — | 390.00 |
| Firemen's Quarters | — | — | — | — | — | — | 805.50 | — | 165.00 | 1,939.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 6,000 | — | 870.97 | 4,126.23 | — | 425.00 | 4,393.78 | — | 415.00 | 4,400.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 30.00 | 1,475.04 | — | 72.00 | 1,565.82 | — | 22.37 | 1,305.94 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 26,300 | — | — | 27,522.86 | — | — | 26,003.60 | — | — | 32,362.34 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | — | 750.00 | — | — | 750.00 | — | — | 750.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co., Ld. | 7,330 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 7,331.50 |
| Electric Construction Co Ld | 62,000 | — | — | 48,547.56 | — | — | 41,846.00 | — | — | 35,431.91 |
| Electricity Department | 309,000 | — | — | 309,000.00 | — | — | 242,000.00 | — | — | 364,000.00 |
| Convict Labour | 7,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concrete ware Manufactory | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 8,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,742,870 | | 325,269.05 | 4,015,908.66 | | 437,158.73 | 3,700,599.67 | | 369,608.24 | 3,472,758.48 |

F. A. SAMPSON, *Acting Commissioner of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承攬事件自有效期限利益歸全份贏

二 幾份係本局有權不准承攬之項目是否有必要之價值如亦有權不承攬本局認為適當之時方可辦理

三 擇人遵照承攬人之同意辦理的認定付人自保

四 所有承攬人之信合人局如本辦付亦

五 目以後登入各其該用款承擔人之公稱及承攬人覽付款之價

六 所有承攬人之信合人局如本辦付亦

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## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 557

Erection of Dog Kennels at Yangtszepoo Police Station

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|---|---|
| Wong Kor Sung | Tls. 7,200 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 6,920 |
| Chang Fook Kee | 6,000 |
| * Sing Fah Kee | 5,400 |
| Sung Kee | 5,030 |

Tender No. 570

Supply of Steel Sheet Piling

| | |
|---|---|
| American Trading Co., less Stamping and Driving Caps | G. $24,680 |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld., less Stamping and Driving Caps | G. $24,050 |
| Arnhold Bros. & Co, Ld., less Stamping and Driving Caps | G. $23,825 |
| * Representation for British Manufacturers | £5,630-0-0 |

Tender No. 593

Painting at Yangtszepoo Police Station

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|---|---|
| Wong Chin Kee | Tls. 758 |
| Joe Ming Kee | 675 |
| Wo Lee Kee | 584 |
| Sing Kee | 460 |
| Zung Shing | 448 |
| Chien Lee Tai | 389.60 |
| Lien Yung Kee | 368 |
| * Fearon, Daniel & Co., Inc. | 275 |

*Accepted.

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## NOTICE.

IN pursuance of the provisions of Article XX of the Land Regulations for the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, the undersigned hereby give notice that Thursday and Friday, December 9 and 10, are fixed upon for the election of five Councillors for the remainder of the Municipal year 1920.

Nomination papers must be returned to the Council Room not later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, December 2, 1920.

Shanghai, November 17, 1920.

E. D. H. FRASER,
*H.B.M. Consul-General.*

K. YAMASAKI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*

N. IVANOW,
*For Consul-General for Russia.*

S. STECKMEST,
*Acting Consul-General for Norway.*

HUGO REISS,
*Consul for Brazil.*

CH. FEGUENNE,
*Acting Consul-General for Belgium.*

ALFREDO CASANOVA,
*Consul-General for Portugal.*

G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy.*

DE REUS,
*Consul-General for the Netherlands.*

M. F. PERKINS,
*American Consul in Charge.*

T. RAASCHOU,
*Consul-General for Denmark*
*Acting Consul-General for Sweden, and*
*Acting Consul for Spain.*

R. REAU,
*Acting Consul-General for France.*

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2746 *(Amended.)***

*(Translation)*

**BROTHELS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that under the authority of Resolution XV passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, and in pursuance of the recommendation contained in the report of the Special Vice Committee published in the Municipal Gazette of March 19, one-fifth of the brothel licences, selected by lot, will be withdrawn on April 1, 1921. A public drawing will take place at the Town Hall on Tuesday, December 21, at 3 o'clock p.m., when the brothels to be closed will be determined. The drawings will be public and all interested are invited to be present.

Tickets of admission may be obtained on application to The Revenue Office, No. 7A the Bund, and a list of the licensed brothels will be exhibited at the Police Stations and at the Revenue Office from Thursday, November 25.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 9, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2771.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

**DECEMBER.**

DURING the month of December, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be 5 o'clock, p.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 25, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2768.**

**TOWN HALL.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the charge for the use of the Town Hall for any visiting theatrical, concert, entertainment or amusement company is Tls. 130 per diem exclusive of the cost of electricity consumed. For all other purposes, the charge is Tls. 75 per diem exclusive of the cost of electricity consumed.

The charge for the North Room only, inclusive of lighting, is Tls. 15 per diem or Tls. 10 for the afternoon only.

Applications should be addressed to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 4, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2769.**

**THE BUND ROAD.**

THE new Bund road, from Peking Road to Avenue Edward VII will be open to traffic from Monday, November 15. The public is notified that this new road is intended for slow and heavy freight vehicles and the main Bund road will be reserved for fast passenger traffic. From and including November 15 therefore, the use of this latter thoroughfare by motor trucks, handcarts, wheelbarrows and other freight carrying vehicles or by coolies carrying loads is prohibited, except for crossing purposes.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 13, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2770.**

**EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.**

*Public School for Boys, Evening Classes.*—It has been decided, upon the recommendation of the Headmaster, to reinstitute these classes provided a sufficient number of students present themselves for the formation of classes. Lectures and instruction will be given in the following subjects:—

1.—Elementary English, including one class in the Berlitz method (for beginners other than English-speaking students.)

2.—English Grammar and Composition.

3.—English Literature.

4.—Book-Keeping, Shorthand and Business Training.

5.—Elementary Arithmetic.

6.—French Conversation and Literature.

7.—Chinese.

Further information with regard to fees, etc., may be obtained on application to the Headmaster at the School, 200 North Szechuen Road Extension. Intending students are requested to send in their names with detailed information of requirements, not later than Friday, December 10. Suggestions sent in by groups of students requiring instruction in sub-

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jects other than those stated above will receive consideration and, where practicable, classes will be formed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 18, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2772.
### GREAT WESTERN AND SICCAWEI ROADS. RE-NAMING.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after January 1, 1921 Great Western Road from its junction with Avenue Edward VII at Manila Road to its junction with Avenue Haig will be re-named Avenue Foch, and Siccawei Road will be re-named Avenue Haig. The Chinese Characters for these roads will be as follows:—

Avenue Foch ( 福煦路 ) and Avenue Haig ( 海格路 ).

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 25, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2773.
### PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR CHINESE.

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of temporary Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Chinese, duties to commence on December 1. Applicants should be able to teach the usual English subjects, and should be able also to teach class singing and to play the pianoforte. A knowledge of Chinese is not required.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience in teaching, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the Headmaster, Public School for Chinese, Elgin and Cunningham Roads forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 25, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, November 19, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. G. Humphrys
A. C. Hynes
W. L. Merriman

*Absent:*

Messrs. A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
D. McColl

The meeting adjourned at 6.15 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Monday, November 22, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
A. C. Hynes
W. L. Merriman
J. W. Stephenson

*Absent:*

Messrs. C. G. Humphrys
D. McColl

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Tuesday, November 23, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
D. Goh
H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 6.45 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Chinese Educational Committee held on Tuesday, November 23, 1920, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Rev. Dr. D. MacGillivray (*Chairman*)
Messrs. C. F. Garstin
Y. C. Tong

*Absent:*

Messrs. M. Benjamin
Chicheh Nieh

The meeting adjourned at 4.55 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Advisory Committee appointed by the Council in connection with the visit of the Eastern Commission of the National Council for Combating Venereal Diseases held on Tuesday, November 23, 1920, at 5.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Mr. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
Drs. W. B. Billinghurst
J. W. Jackson
S. A. Ransom
Mr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. S. Sakuragi

The meeting adjourned at 7.15 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, November 24, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
S. Fessenden
D. Goh
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent:*

Messrs. M. Benjamin
H. H. Girardet

The meeting adjourned at 5 o'clock, p.m.

### Visit of the Eastern Commissi the National Council for Combating Venereal Diseas

The National Council for ( bating Venereal Diseases arranged for its Eastern Com sion to proceed to Shanghai e in December prior to its vis Hongkong.

Upon the suggestion of the Sh hai Moral Welfare Committee Council has appointed an advi committee to draw up a suit programme of lectures, ferences, etc., for the Commiss visit.

The following ladies and ge men have kindly consented to s on this Committee:

Dr. W. B. Billinghurst.
Dr. J. W. Jackson.
Mr. C. H. C. Platt.
Dr. S. A. Ransom.
Mr. F. Rawlinson.
Mrs. C. F. Remer.
Mr. S. Sakuragi.
Mr. Skinner Turner.

Dr. W. W. Peter, Secretary the Council of Health Educat has kindly consented to act Secretary to this Advisory Com tee, and also as Local Secretar the Commission.

### Resignation of Member.

Mr. W. P. Lambe, has tend his resignation from member of the Council upon his depar from Shanghai.

The Council has recorded an pression of regret at the los Mr. Lambe's services, and of t cordial appreciation of his v able advice and assistance as Chairman of Council, Chairma the Watch Committee, Chair of the Health Committee and member of the Permanent Ed tion Committee.

### Chinese Educational Committ

Mr. Y. C. Tong has accepted Council's invitation to fill vacancy in the membership of Chinese Educational Committe sulting from the death of Mr. Tun-ho.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Headquarters.*—Information been received by cable that L Colonel R. M. Johnson C. D.S.O., Royal Field Artillery, completion of five years servic Regimental Lieutenant Col has been promoted Colonel effect from June 3, 1919.

*Engineer Co.*—The resignatic Lieutenant R. C. Young, forw ed by the Commandant, has accepted by the Council regret.

*Shanghai Scottish.*—The resi tion of Lieutenant G. J. Turn forwarded by the Commanc has been accepted by the Co with regret.

Upon the recommendation o Commandant a commission as Lieutenant has been granted to A. M. Wilkie.

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**Expeditionary Forces Emergency Unit.**

Correspondence on the subject of the disbandment of this unit recording the Council's appreciation of the services rendered by its members:—

Shanghai, July 20, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to inform you that the Council has recently devoted its particular attention to the importance of increasing the strength of the Volunteer Corps personnel, and that in this connexion, it has given its close consideration to the future of the Expeditionary Forces Emergency Unit.

Of the public spirit of the members of this unit in undertaking to assist in the protection of the Settlement in times of civil disturbances under the orders of the Commissioner of Police and of the value of these services the Council's very deep appreciation has been recorded on more than one occasion. As a result of its deliberations the Council has, however, taken the view that the services of most of those who have joined the Expeditionary Forces Emergency Unit would be of even greater value if given as members of the Volunteer Corps, in the particular arm in which they were trained and served during the Great War. In reaching this view the Council has been influenced by the fact that the services of those ex-war men who have already joined or rejoined the Corps on their return have proved of the very greatest value to their units in particular and to the Corps as a whole. Moreover the Corps offers facilities for training in the shape of drill instructors, administration, and quartermasters and other branches of the Headquarters of the Corps which cannot be offered by the Expeditionary Forces Emergency Unit, whilst there is the further consideration that the existence of what is really a military unit which is not under the command of the Commandant of the Volunteer Corps is somewhat anomalous and might even prove embarrassing in the event of military operations. For these reasons the Council desires to secure the transfer to the Volunteer Corps of as many members of your Unit as possible, and with this end in view and recognizing the principle that the trained soldier should be granted easier conditions of service and training than the volunteer recruit, who has not seen war service, the Council has endorsed the suggestion of the Commandant that the following conditions of service should be offered in the case of those who have seen war service:—

(I) Men who have served in a combatant unit on any front in the Great War, who are still active men, and who join a unit of the S.V.C. of the same branch of the service as that in which they were trained and fought in the Great War:—

(*a*) to engage to serve in the S.V.C. for *one* year only but to be subject to the usual fine if they are permitted to resign within the one year's term or resign within *three* years of joining, i.e., $21, 14 and 7, if they have not completed 1, 2 and 3 years respectively.

(*b*) to complete the Annual Musketry Course, attend the Annual Inspection (if not on leave), and do annually the same number of drills as laid down at present for an "efficient" volunteer of 3 years' service, viz:—

LIGHT HORSE.

Mounted drills.—Maximum of 16 (actual number settled by unit commander according to efficiency of individuals).

| | |
|---|---|
| Dismounted drills | 2 |
| Corps parades (including Annual Inspection) | 6 |

ARTILLERY.

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|---|---|
| Gun drills | 6 |
| Foot parades | 6 |
| Corps parades (as above) | 6 |

ENGINEERS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Unit parades | 16 |
| Corps parades (as above) | 6 |

M. G. COMPANY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Unit parades | 12 |
| Corps parades (as above) | 6 |
| Gun practices | 2 |

INFANTRY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Unit parades | 8 |
| Corps parades (as above) | 6 |

(II) Men who have served in a non-combatant unit in the War, who are still active men, to join an active unit of the S.V.C. under precisely the same terms as a Volunteer does at present, viz:—

(*a*) to engage to serve for three years, subject to a fine of $7 for each uncompleted year of service if their resignation is accepted before the completion of their term.

(*b*) to complete the annual musketry course, attend the Annual Inspection (if not on leave) and attend the following number of parades anually:—

LIGHT HORSE.

Mounted Drills.—16 (Mounted Drills for 2 or more years may be decreased at discretion of Unit Commander)

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|---|---|
| Dismounted Drills | |
| Recruits | 6 |
| 1st Class efficients for year | 4 |
| 1st Class efficients for 2 or more years | 2 |
| Corps Parades (including Annual Inspection) | 6 |

Recruits are required to go through the Riding School and to be dismissed by the Squadron Sergt.-Major before their drills begin to count.

ARTILLERY.

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|---|---|
| Gun drills | 6 |
| Foot parades | 6 |
| Corps parades (as above) | 6 |

ENGINEERS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Company drill or instructional parades | 16 |
| Corps parades (as above) | 6 |

M. G. COMPANY.

| | First 3 years | 3 years efficients |
|---|---|---|
| Unit parades | 18 | 12 |
| Corps parades (as above) | 6 | 6 |
| Gun practices | 2 | 2 |

INFANTRY.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Unit parades | 12 | 8 |
| Corps parades (as above) | 6 | 6 |

(III) Men who have served in a combatant unit in the War, who are from any cause unfit for service in active units, to join the Reserves under the same conditions of service as described in (1) (a) above to attend four drills and complete the annual Musketry course.

I am directed to request that you may kindly ascertain from the members of your unit how many of them will be prepared to transfer to the Corps under these conditions, and to state that if the majority are prepared to do so, the Council would then disband the Expeditionary Forces Emergency Unit, in which event it is earnestly hoped that those who may not have felt disposed to transfer to the Volunteer Corps, or who are not perhaps active enough to join an active or reserve unit of the Corps, will place their services at the disposal of the community by joining the Special Police Reserve.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Capt. M. READER HARRIS, M.C.,
Officer Commanding,
The Expeditionary Forces Emergency Unit.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 28, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to refer to my letter to you of July 20 in reference to the future of the Expeditionary Forces Emergency Unit, particularly in its bearing upon the question of recruitment for the Volunteer Corps and to inform you that, after deliberation following upon consideration of this matter at the meeting of the Watch Committee on October 4 at which you kindly attended at its request, the Council has decided upon the disbandment of the Unit with effect from the 6th of next month.

In notifying you of this decision I am again to convey to you the Council's thanks for the public-spirited services of yourself and the members of the E.F.E.U. and to express the Council's hope that as many as possible will join the Volunteer Corps, thus enabling these services to be still available to the Community.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Capt. M. READER HARRIS, M.C.,
Officer Commanding,
The Expeditionary Forces Emergency Unit.

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**Police Force.**

*Foreign Branch, Quarters.*—The lease from Messrs. Lester, Johnson and Morriss of No. 32 Wongkashaw Gardens has been renewed for a further period of three years terminating on November 30, 1923.

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**Chinese Cargo Boat Guild.**

Correspondence in continuation of that published in the Municipal Gazette of May 20, 1920.

Shanghai, October 11, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to refer to your letter of May 11 on the subject of the Shanghai-Woosung Cargo Boat Guild.

On receipt of this letter Mr. Siffert communicated its contents to the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, from whom a reply was subsequently received. I enclose herewith for your consideration translation of this reply together with translation of the first enclosure and a partial translation of the second enclosure. The latter document is somewhat lengthy and does not appear to merit a complete translation, but I will, if you wish, send it to you in original.

I shall be glad if you will favour me with a reply for communication to the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. D. H. FRASER,
*H.B.M. Consul-General and Senior Consul.*

A. BROOKE SMITH, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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*Translation of a letter from the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs dated, August 19, 1920.*

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 14 on the subject of the Woosung-Shanghai Cargo Boat Guild.

The contents of this letter were duly communicated by my predecessor to the Guild, from whom the following reply has now been received:—

"This Guild was founded in the interests of the cargo transport trade and for the purpose of preventing loss or shortage of cargo by the appointment of inspectors whose duty it is to attend at the different wharves and assist the various foreign and Chinese Authorities in looking after the goods. Cases of loss or shortage of cargo are constantly occurring on the river and the offenders make for the Settlement; and according to our regulations our Inspectors should trace the offenders, call on the Police to arrest them and hand them over to a Police Station. That is to say the Inspectors place themselves in the position of prosecutors. They all have some knowledge of the Police Regulations and they would not take it upon themselves to effect an arrest personally and get themselves into trouble for a breach of the regulations; and besides everybody knows that the power of making arrests is restricted to the Authorities and the Police, and that no other person may usurp this function. The rules applying to the officers of our Guild are very strict and the limits of their powers are clearly defined. The certificates which they carry all bear the seal of the Commissioner of Customs and the signature of the Harbour-Master in token of the mutual assistance given in protecting commercial transport, and we should much like to have the signature of the Commissioner of Police to render them more effective. We also propose sending the Inspectors in our employ once a month to be reviewed, and placing them under the orders of the Commissioner with a view to effective cooperation. If the Consular Body would also ask the Municipal Council to issue a notification that protection was to be afforded to the Guild we would be extremely grateful.

As to becoming a member of the Guild, absolutely no compulsion is exercised, and since the Guild started business not a single person has been forced into becoming a member. But naturally numberless wharf thieves have regarded the formation of the Guild with dismay and have spread all sorts of extravagant stories. It is clear from the Council's letter that the Council has not a proper understanding of the Guild's position and that it is labouring under certain misconceptions; for the boat people have been coming to the Guild in crowds to put down their names for membership, and the benefits to be gained are so obvious that they are anxious to join and eager to pay their subscriptions in order by joint action to promote the Guild's progress.

Finally the constitution of this Guild is in no wise different from that of any other trade guild. In every guild the expenses are defrayed by means of monthly contributions from among those carrying on the particular class of business. It is the same with our Guild; but inasmuch as our Guild has only just been founded, the outgoings considerably exceed the revenues, the difference being made good entirely by the founders of the Guild. In actual fact, in every case where a cargo boat has lost goods, etc., and this Guild has taken the matter up with the proper Authorities all the property has been recovered and returned to the loser. All these cases can be confirmed. The cargo boat people also unanimously declare that they have reaped enormous benefits.

We enclose herewith a Memorandum which we request that you will kindly transmit to the proper Authorities with a request for special protection on the ground that the protection of merchandise and the welfare of the transport trade are matters of public interest."

I venture to submit that the Guild have clearly shown that they are in no way acting contrary to the warnings of the Chairman of the Council, and I have therefore the honour to request you to forward their plea for protection to the Municipal Council.

I enclose a copy of the Memorandum referred to and also copy of a list of cases which have been dealt with by the Guild.

Awaiting the honour of a reply, I have, etc.

(Sd.) HSU YUAN.

*Translation of Memorandum submitted by the Shanghai-Woosung Cargo Boat Guild.*

The Shanghai-Woosung Cargo Boat Guild was formed by the heads of the sixteen leading organizations of Shanghai carrying on the transport trade by cargo boats. Its regulations were last year submitted to the Bureau of Foreign Affairs, the Superintendent of Customs, the Taoyin of Shanghai, and the Superintendent of the Shanghai-Woosung Police, who were requested to place them on record and give the Guild protection. Their requests were duly granted and notifications issued accordingly.

The Guild was formally inaugurated on March 6, 1920 and an office temporarily established at No. 102 Avenue Edward VII, Shanghai.

The object of the Guild is mainly the affording of protection to the trade, to the owners of hongs, ware houses and factories and to merchants thereby mitigating the frequent losses of goods in transit incurred through theft and other causes. Thefts by bad characters on both sides of the rivers are of frequent occurrence and have led to great losses being incurred by the owners, matters having now reached a very critical point.

All the expenses of the Guild are being defrayed by the heads of the sixteen local organizations and there is no compulsion to contribute. Nor are the boat people forced or solicited to become members of the Guild. Not a single person has been forced or induced to enter the Guild since its formation. The Guild only in the interests of the cargo transport trade employs a Chinese staff of inspectors whose duties are to attend the various jetties and wharves to look after the goods in loading and unloading and to assist the authorities in keeping order. To each inspector, the Guild issues a certificate vised by the Commissioner of Customs and the Harbour Master so as to distinguish them from others and we beg that the Commissioner of the Shanghai Municipal Police will in the same way put either his signature or his seal on the certificate for purposes of reference, and endorse a note on the certificate to the effect that in case of a theft or similar offences occurring the inspector shall request the proper authority to take action, and in case of emergency, shall call a policeman to arrest the offender, but that he shall not arrest the offender himself. This we believe will in no way violate the Municipal Regulations. If this cannot be done, the Guild are ready to pay a special subscription to the Police and request that additional police may be enrolled for the protection of the transport trade, passengers and cargo.

Because the Guild has not yet the opportunity of making public the objects to the Authorities of the Settlement, offenders frequently seek shelter by escaping into the Settlement and cases of theft, etc., are constantly occurring on the

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wharves which never come to the notice of the Settlement Authorities.

The junks registered in our Guild are distinguished from others by special metal badges numbered and nailed on the junks. When goods are being transported it constantly happens that junks have to pass the night moored in the river, and thieves and robbers constantly hang about the jetties with the intention to commit thefts and robberies and extort squeezes. This has become a regular practice, but is difficult of detection by any one not familiar with cargo boat affairs. Sometimes thieves cut open the packages with sharp instruments and steal the contents and use force to resist any action to prevent them. They even demand small sums by way of squeeze from empty boats moored at the jetties and if this is refused they forcibly remove tarpaulins, poles or other bits of gear and hold them to ransom. These instances as above referred to and related can be verified by enquiries made in the leading transportation companies who will testify to their truth.

So we deem it a necessity for inspectors to keep rigid watch.

Since the establishment of this Guild, many cases have been brought to light and the culprits punished in the Chinese and Foreign Courts of law. Letters are being constantly received from leading merchant hongs highly commending our work.

We therefore beg that you will bring this to the notice of the Consular Authorities of the International Settlement and the French Settlement so that instructions may be given to the Police for special protection to be afforded in the interests of trade in general and the transport business in particular.

*Cases that have been discovered by the Guild.*

On March 7, registered boatman Chuang Ah-mu reported that while conveying goods and passengers to Hung Sheng Wharf, Pootung, some wharf thieves forcibly levied a toll of twenty cents from each boat. Therefore the Guild grote to the Sungkiang-Shanghai Police Station No. 3, so that such unlawful charge has now been abolished.

On March 14, registered boatman Kao Ah-ho reported that one package of flour had been stolen from his boat. The Guild reported the matter to the Sungkiang-Shanghai Water Police and in consequence the goods were recovered and the offender handed over to the French Court to be dealt with.

On March 26, registered boatman Chang Ah-lan reported that five bundles of paper had been stolen from his boat at Hung Sheng Wharf. The Guild wrote to the Sungkiang-Shanghai Police Station No. 3, and in consequence two bundles were recovered and the thief sentenced to one month's imprisonment.

On April 8, registered boat man Chen Chang-sheng reported that one piece of oil cloth was stolen while his boat was moored at Hongkew, and that one of the boat men reported to the Water Police, in consequence of which two thieves were arrested. The Guild wrote requesting that they be handed over to the Shanghai District Chien Cha Ting for trial and imprisonment.

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 9, 1920.

SIR,—I have the honour to refer to your letter of October 11, on the subject of the Shanghai-Woosung Cargo Boat Guild. In reply thereto I am directed to allude to the Council's letter of May 11, in which assurance is given that the members of this Guild will receive the ordinary Police protection to which all residents and persons conducting business in the Settlement are entitled, so long as they are law abiding. It is, however, contrary to the Council's practice to give any undertaking for special Police protection, or to extend any form of official patronage to organizations engaged in the furtherance of their own particular interests. In the Settlement all persons are at liberty to join such law—abiding associations or not as they please, but the Council is quite unwilling that the Guild should be granted any official or semi-official status in prosecuting the objects which it seeks to obtain.

I may add that enquiry at the Shipping Guild and steam launch companies has failed to elicit any confirmation of the allegation that jetty thieves are accustomed to seek refuge in the Settlement or that larcenies from wharves, which are never reported to the Police, are of frequent occurrence. No case of this nature has come to the notice of the Police or wharf watchmen, the parties to whom people victimized would be most likely to appeal.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
WM. P. LAMBE,
*Vice-Chairman.*

SIR E. D. H. FRASER, K.C.M.G.,
H.M. Consul-General and Senior Consul.

**Chauffeur's School.**

Upon the recommendation of the Commissioner of Police the Council has sanctioned the institution of a School for chauffeurs at the Gordon Road Police Station commencing in March, 1921.

A competent foreign Instructor will be in charge with a trained chauffeur or fitter-driver as assistant and the local garages have promised to assist with the gift or loan of motor machine parts and accessories for instructional purposes.

The Course will last for a period of 26 working days with a class of 12 pupils the fee being $25 for the course.

The aim of the School will be to turn our competent drivers fitted in all respects to enter private service. Instructional classes for owner-drivers will also be given if sufficient applications for enrollment in such classes are forthcoming.

The syllabus of the Course will include:—

(1) Sufficient elementary theory in the class room to render subsequent proceedings intelligible; together with

(2) Practical instruction on the bench—that is, an explanation and demonstration of all the chief mechanical and other features of a car, such as engine, gearbox, clutch, back axle, steering gear, magneto, battery, carburetter, etc.

(3) Practical instruction in driving
  (a) a Ford car
  (b) a car with the standard type of gearbox,
  and sufficient actual road work to ensure competency.

(4) Practical instruction in maintenance—i.e., cleaning, washing and lubrication; the replenishment of fuel, water and oil; the care, removal and minor repair of tyres; battery attention; the correct use of the tools ordinarily supplied with a car and such minor "running repairs" as a Chinese chauffeur in Shanghai may properly be expected to carry out.

(5) Thorough class room instruction in the Traffic Regulations; together with

(6) Practical demonstration as to how these Regulations apply.

**Road Nomenclature.**

Interchange of letters with the French Municipal Council, in continuation of the correspondence published in the Municipal Gazette of September 2.

*Translation of letter from the French Municipal Council, dated October 18, 1920.*

SIR,—Referring to your letter dated August 27 1920, relative to the renaming of Great Western and Siccawei Roads, I am directed to suggest that this decision should be effected from January 1, 1921.

This delay would seem to be desirable in order to permit of advising the various Public Departments of the change of name and to proceed with the work of making the new road name plates.

These plates, of the ordinary type, black letters on a white background, will bear the words "Avenue Foch" for Great Western Road and "Avenue Haig" for Siccawei Road.

The Departments concerned of both Municipalities will occupy themselves for the part under their jurisdiction, with the making and affixing of the said plates.

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A notice should also be published in the local press to remind residents that the new denomination of these roads will come into effect from January 1, 1921.

I shall be obliged if you will kindly let me know your views on these various proposals.

I am, Sir, etc.,
P. LEGENDRE,
*Secretary.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 12, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 18, relative to the renaming of Great Western and Siccawei Roads, and in reply thereto to state that the Council is in agreement with your suggestion that this renaming should be effected as from January 1, 1921, and that notice accordingly should be published in the daily press.

It is suggested that the Chinese characters (福煦路) Foch, and (海格路) Haig, which are the characters used by the Chinese Press in referring to the two Marshals, should be adopted.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Monsieur P. LEGENDRE,
Secretary, French Municipal Council.

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**Public Band.**

On Sunday next, November 28, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

SECOND CONCERT.

"French and Italian Composers"

with the collaboration of Miss SOPHIE TROUTNEFF (Soprano)

1.—Overture from "Phèdre" *Massenet*

2.—Air: "E'er since the day when unto thee I gave me" from the Opera "Louise" *G. Charpentier*

Soloist: Miss S. TROUTNEFF

3.—*(a)* Prelude à "L'après-midi d'un Faune" *Cl. Debussy*

*(b)* Rhapsodie: "Espana" *E. Chabrier*

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4.—Air: "Love and Music" from the Opera "La Tosca" *Puccini*

Soloist: Miss S. TROUTNEFF

5.—Two Pieces from Suite "Piemonte" *Leone Sinigaglia*

*(a)* "Through fields and woods" (Solitary voices come along the slopes of the flowery hills, greeting from sunrise till evening the return of spring, a bunch of simple and tender tunes breathing all the perfume of the fields and woods that gave them birth).

*(b)* "A rustic Dance" (Merry, my lads! Play up a tune, musicians! Flute, violin, trumpet, and guitar are ready in the rustic summer-house. The dance begins, now delicately restrained, now with lively animation. How sweet it is to go through old and new country dances on a mild summer-evening, when the shadows fall, in the light of the rising moon).

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

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*Public Dance Performances*—On Friday, November 26, a Dance performance will be given in the Town Hall, beginning at 5.30 p.m., and thereafter performances will be given in the Town Hall every Friday at 5.30 p.m. with the exception of Friday, December 17, when the Town Hall is reserved for the Cambridge Local Examinations.

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Miss A. A. Thomlinson, Sister-in-Charge, Police Hospital, from December 10.

Mr. A. O. Pickel is appointed Inspector on probation from November 14.

*Educational Department.*—The appointment of Mme L. Rayot, French Mistress, is confirmed under agreement from May 1.

*Secretariat.*—Miss L. Joffe, probationary Stenographer and Typist in the Secretariat, is permitted to terminate her service on November 30.

**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, November 21, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 3 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 7 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 23 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 3 | 3 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 8 | 146 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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**Municipal Loan 1920.**

**7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.**

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on November 23:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 173,400 | | |
| One Investor of | 100,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | 50,000 | | |
| Yangtsze Insurance Association Ld. | 50,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 50,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | | |
| One ,, | 35,000 | | |
| Tokwa Boseki Kaisha, Ld. | 34,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | | |
| Shanghai Silk Spinning Co., Ld. | 16,300 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | | |
| Two Investors Tls. 12,000 | 24,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 11,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 20,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 929,700 | |
| 321 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 491,700 | |
| 346 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 1,421,400 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 41 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 62,200 | |
| 43 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 85,200 |
| | | | Total Tls. 1,506,600 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

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## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 132 133 134 135 133A | Ching Yuen Lee | The Nan Yang Construction Co. | | | block offices, flats & wall |
| 53A | Foochow | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | bank |
| 71 | Hongkong | G. O. Wootten | | | addns. |
| 34A | Off Nanking | The Commercial & Industrial Bank of China | | | water closet |
| 1037 | Broadway East and Kungping | E. J. Muller | | | block offices, flats, staff quarters & R. C. bundling |
| W of 1433 | Off East Yuhang | Davies & Brooke | 1 | | conservatory, lodge & garage |
| 5073 | " | Zan Kwei Kee | | | foundry, bridge & wall |
| 6020 | Off Kwanghsin | Palmer & Turner | | | coal dump |
| 5696 | Off Ward | A. Kubo | | | watchman's house |
| 6003 | Off Yangtszpoo | Stewardson & Spence | | | factory |
| 3240 | Off Avenue | R. A. Curry | | | addns. |
| 3080 | " | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | altns. & addns. |
| 254 to 261 | Off Chengtu Extension | Brandt & Rodgers | | | addns. |
| 4163 to 4185 | Haiphong & Seymour Extension | Moorhead, Halse and Robinson | | | gate-house, garage, 5 bungalows & wall |
| 15 | Off Park | H. S. Honigsberg | | | water closet |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 5073 | Off East Yuhang | Zan Kwei Kee | 6 | | |
| S of 280 | Lee Hongkew Ka | Hun Tung Kee | 7 | | gate-house |
| S of 5250 | Rangoon | Chew Ching | 3 | | |
| S of 333 | Off Wuchow | Koo Tai Kee | 6 | | |
| 584 | Sinza | Dee Loong & Co. | 6 | | gate-house |
| N of 5590 | Off Tonquin | Chang Ah Mah | | 1 | |

## Mixed Court Report for October.

Mr. G. Ros having been transferred as Italian Consul to Hankow, Captain R. Ferrajolo has assumed the duties of Italian Assessor at the Mixed Court, and also sat as Assessor in Police Cases on Saturdays.

Mr. Willem Daniels was appointed to sit as Mixed Court Assessor for the Netherlands.

Seven of the eleven deaths on which inquests were held were due to traffic accidents, three to murder and one to suicide.

In order to expedite the hearing of the cases now pending, the Court found it necessary to inform all counsel practising in the Court that in future no remands would be granted on application made at the last moment on the ground that counsel concerned were engaged on other Courts. This had recently become a common practice entailing considerable delay in the disposal of cases and causing much inconvenience and annoyance to the other parties concerned.

One of the most ingenious devices for the concealment of opium ever exposed to the Court was brought to light during the hearing of a case on October 28, before Messrs. Jacobs and Tsang, when the Police produced a number of ingots of zinc in which the opium had been secreted during the casting; the whole paraphernalia was ordered to be confiscated and the Court placed on record its commendation of the Police officers concerned.

The criminal calendar was one of the heaviest on record, 5,124 cases having been disposed of during the month, necessitating very late sessions in both the Police Courts and also in the Courts set aside for special hearing of important cases wherein a number of lawyers were engaged.

The two undermentioned foreigners who are not recognized by any Consulate in Shanghai were before the Court on the charges stated.

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| J. Brennan | American | Vagrancy | 3 weeks' impt. |
| E. H. Lohk | Esthonian | Breach of Motor Bicycle Licence | Fined $3.00 |

There were 189 Chinese Civil Cases heard during the month as against 64 heard in September, while 119 cases are listed which await a first hearing, an increase of 14 over the figures for the previous month.

47 Foreign Civil Cases were filed, 20 of which were small debt claims in which Sikhs were plaintiffs, but the remaining 27 aggregated nearly three-quarters of a million taels, about a quarter of a million of this amount being actions brought against Chinese firms by foreigners for breach of piece-goods contracts.

Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with; Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.

J. E. Wheeler,
*For Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
K. J. McEuen,
Commissioner of Police.

### OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| 1.—Offences Against the Person:— | |
| Abductions | 2 |
| Allowing Children in Brothels | 7 |
| Assaults | 48 |
| Intimidations | 3 |
| Manslaughter | 1 |
| Murder | 1 |
| Wounding (causing grievous bodily harm) | 1 |
| 2.—Offences Against Property:— | |
| Burglary | 19 |
| Cruelty to animals | 6 |
| Embezzlement | 4 |
| Extortion (obtaining money by threats) | 3 |
| False Pretences | 5 |
| Fraud | 13 |
| Godown-breaking | 3 |
| House-breaking | 5 |
| Larceny | 231 |
| Malicious Damage | 2 |
| Receiving stolen propert | 15 |
| Robbery | 13 |
| Found on enclosed premises | 4 |
| 3.—Offences of a Public Nature:— | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or License Conditions respecting:— | |
| Cargo-boat | 1 |
| Carriages | 26 |
| Carts | 67 |
| Dairies | 2 |
| Dogs | 17 |
| Foodshops | 13 |
| Hawkers | 21 |
| Lodging House | 1 |
| Motor Cars | 93 |
| Opium | 129 |
| Pawnshops | 9 |
| Ricshas | 2,662 |
| Various | 24 |
| Tea-shops | 7 |
| Wheel-barrows | 57 |
| Wine-shops | 4 |
| Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations respecting the following:— | |
| Dangerous Materials | 1 |
| Fireworks | 5 |
| House refuse | 92 |
| Indecent Advertisements | 2 |
| Lotteries | 8 |
| Nuisances | 1,190 |
| Prostitutes | 17 |
| Traffic | 125 |
| Bribery | 1 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 1 |
| Disorderly Conduct | 98 |
| Gambling | 14 |
| Loitering with intent | 13 |
| Obstructing the Police | 1 |
| Returning after expulsion | 12 |
| Smuggling | 2 |
| Trademarks, Infringement of | 1 |
| Trafficking in Women or Children | 2 |
| Vagrancy | 1 |
| 4.—Miscellaneous cases | 19 |
| Total | 5,124 |

### SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 3,882 |
| Cases withdrawn | 3 |
| Cautioned | 48 |
| Compensation | 1 |
| Dismissed | 57 |
| Expulsion | 5 |
| Fined | 771 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 5 |
| Imprisonment | 236 |
| " and expulsion | 97 |
| Reformatory | 2 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 5 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 11 |
| Various | 1 |
| Total | 5,124 |

### WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| At October 1 | 68 |
| Received | 49 |
| Released | 44 |
| Remaining October 31 | 73 |

### SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 298 |
| " served | 297 |
| Warrants issued | 43 |
| " executed | 17 |

### FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 13 |
| " executed | 5 |
| " withdrawn | 1 |
| Summonses issued | 44 |
| " served | 20 |
| " withdrawn | 6 |
| Persons apprehended on Warrants | 5 |
| " summoned | 20 |
| Sealing orders issued | 67 |
| " " executed | 2 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 62 |
| " " withdrawn | 3 |
| Reopening orders executed | 1 |

### CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 92 |
| Petitions filed of a miscellaneous nature | 30 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Cases added to hearing list | 94 |
| " heard | 189 |
| " in course of hearing | 19 |
| " concluded | 59 |
| " awaiting first hearing on Oct. 31 | 119 |
| Summonses issued | 90 |
| " served | 78 |
| " withdrawn | 7 |
| Warrants issued | 51 |
| Warrants executed | 21 |
| " withdrawn | 3 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 21 |
| " summoned | 89 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 50 |
| Sealing orders issued | 17 |
| " " executed | 7 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 10 |
| Re-opening orders executed | 7 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | |
| Bonds accepted | |
| " rejected | |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On October 1 | |
| Received | |
| Released | |
| On October 31 | |

SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Transmarina Trading Co. | Netherlands | Zau Kyung-tshing | Tls. 6,752.75 | For plaintiff Tls. 6,752.75 |
| G. F. Fitch | American | Woo Mei-yui | $2,420 | For plaintiff $2,420 |
| T. W. Simmons & Co. | do. | Kwei Kyung-tah *et al* | Tls. 2,071.80 | Proceeding |
| Mrs. M. F. Wrench | British | Ng Tse-jung | $10.00 | Struck out |
| Botelho Bros. | Portuguese | Wong Kwung-yoen | Tls. 2,700 | For plaintiff Tls. 2,700 |
| Arkell and Douglas | American | Waung Suh-piau | G. $8,150.30 | Judgment by default |
| Alice Finn | Russian | Leo Fischer | $200 | For plaintiff Tls. 200 |
| M. Denegri | Italian | Yau Meu-song | Breach of agreement | Proceeding |

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 所有承攬各項工程必須用信封寄交上海工部局總辦處方准投標

三 投標人須知本局有權取消一切投標之權

四 投標人須知本局不必承認最低價或任何投標之權

五 投標人須知本局有權將投標人之姓名及價目公布之

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## NOTICE.

IN pursuance of the provisions of Article XX of the Land Regulations for the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, the undersigned hereby give notice that Thursday and Friday, December 9 and 10, are fixed upon for the election of five Councillors for the remainder of the Municipal year 1920.

Nomination papers must be returned to the Council Room not later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, December 2, 1920.

Shanghai, November 17, 1920.

E. D. H. FRASER,
*H.B.M. Consul-General.*

K. YAMASAKI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*

N. IVANOW,
*For Consul-General for Russia.*

S. STECKMEST,
*Acting Consul-General for Norway.*

HUGO REISS,
*Consul for Brazil.*

CH. FEGUENNE,
*Acting Consul-General for Belgium.*

ALFREDO CASANOVA,
*Consul-General for Portugal.*

G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy.*

DE REUS,
*Consul-General for the Netherlands.*

M. F. PERKINS,
*American Consul in Charge.*

T. RAASCHOU,
*Consul-General for Denmark*
*Acting Consul-General for Sweden, and*
*Acting Consul for Spain.*

R. REAU,
*Acting Consul-General for France.*

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2746** *(Amended.)*

*(Translation)*

**BROTHELS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that under the authority of Resolution XV passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, and in pursuance of the recommendation contained in the report of the Special Vice Committee published in the Municipal Gazette of March 19, one-fifth of the brothel licences, selected by lot, will be withdrawn on April 1, 1921. A public drawing will take place at the Town Hall on Tuesday, December 21, at 3 o'clock p.m., when the brothels to be closed will be determined. The drawings will be public and all interested are invited to be present.

Tickets of admission may be obtained on application to The Revenue Office, No. 7A the Bund, and a list of the licensed brothels will be exhibited at the Police Stations and at the Revenue Office from Thursday, November 25.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 9, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2771.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

**DECEMBER.**

DURING the month of December, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be 5 o'clock, p.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 25, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2769.**

**THE BUND ROAD.**

THE new Bund road, from Peking Road to Avenue Edward VII will be open to traffic from Monday, November 15. The public is notified that this new road is intended for slow and heavy freight vehicles and the main Bund road will be reserved for fast passenger traffic. From and including November 15 therefore, the use of this latter thoroughfare by motor trucks, handcarts, wheelbarrows and other freight carrying vehicles or by coolies carrying loads is prohibited, except for crossing purposes.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 13, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2770.**

**EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.**

*Public School for Boys, Evening Classes.*—It has been decided, upon the recommendation of the Headmaster, to reinstitute these classes provided a sufficient number of students present themselves for the formation of classes. Lectures and instruction will be given in the following subjects:—

1.—Elementary English, including one class in the Berlitz method (for beginners other than English-speaking students.)
2.—English Grammar and Composition.
3.—English Literature.
4.—Book-Keeping, Shorthand and Business Training.
5.—Elementary Arithmetic.
6.—French Conversation and Literature.
7.—Chinese.

Further information with regard to fees, etc., may be obtained on application to the Headmaster at the School, 200 North Szechuen Road Extension. Intending students are requested to send in their names with detailed information of requirements, not later than Friday, December 10. Suggestions sent in by groups of students requiring instruction in subjects other than those stated above will receive consideration and, where practicable, classes will be formed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 18, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2772.**

**GREAT WESTERN AND SICCAWEI ROADS.**

**RE-NAMING.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after January 1, 1921 Great Western Road from its junction with Avenue Edward VII at Manila Road to its junction with Avenue Haig will be re-named Avenue Foch, and Siccawei Road will be re-named Avenue Haig. The Chinese Characters for these roads will be as follows:—

Avenue Foch ( 福煦路 ) and Avenue Haig ( 海格路 ).

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 25, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2773.
### PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR CHINESE.

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of temporary Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Chinese, duties to commence on December 1. Applicants should be able to teach the usual English subjects, and should be able also to teach class singing and to play the pianoforte. A knowledge of Chinese is not required.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience in teaching, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the Headmaster, Public School for Chinese, Elgin and Cunningham Roads forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 25, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2774.
### PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR BOYS.

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of temporary Assistant Mistress required for Forms I and II in the Public School for Boys. Pay at the rate of Tls. 170 per mensem; service terminable by one month's notice on either side.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience in teaching, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the undersigned forth with.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 2, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Friday, November 26, 1920, at 12 noon, there were :—

*Present*:
Messrs. E. F. Mackay (*Chairman*)
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent*:
Mr. M. Benjamin

The meeting adjourned at 12.55 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Permanent Education Committee held on Tuesday, November 30, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present*:
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
Rev. Dr. D. MacGillivray
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent*:
Mr. E. I. Ezra

The meeting adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Advisory Committee appointed by the Council in connection with the visit of the Eastern Commission of the National Council for Combating Venereal Diseases held on Tuesday, November 30, 1920, at 5.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present*:
Mr. Skinner Turner (*Chairman*)
Drs. W. B. Billinghurst
J. W. Jackson
W. W. Peter
S. A. Ransom
Mr. F. Rawlinson
Mrs. C. F. Remer
Mr. S. Sakuragi
Dr. Mary Stone
Very Rev. C. J. F. Symons
Dr. E. S. Tyau

*Absent*:
Messrs. C. H. C. Platt
C. F. Remer

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, December 1, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present*:
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
S. Fessenden
D. Goh
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay

*Absent*:
Messrs. M. Benjamin
H. H. Girardet
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 5.40 p.m.

### Visit of the Eastern Commission of the National Council for Combating Venereal Diseases.

Referring to the note published in the Municipal Gazette of November 25, the following additional members have consented to serve on this Commission :—

Dr. Mary Stone.
Very Rev. C. J. F. Symons.
Dr. E. S. Tyau.

### Consular Body.

A letter from Mr. T. Raaschou informs the Council that he has handed over charge of the Swedish Consulate-General to Baron Evert Akerhielm, Acting Consul-General of Sweden for China and Hongkong.

### Municipal Salaries Commission.

Mr. J. W. Stephenson has accepted the Council's invitation to serve on the Commission in place of Lieut.-Colonel Hayley Bell, D.S.O., who has resigned owing to his departure from Shanghai.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Machine Gun Company.*—The resignation of Captain R. H. Gaskin from the command of the Company, owing to pressure of business, is accepted with regret. This officer is transferred to the Reserve of Officers with effect from this date.

Captain H. E. Middleton, M.B.E., formerly Lieutenant in the Company and since Captain in the Machine Gun Corps, is appointed to command the Company, *vice* Captain Gaskin, and the issue of a Captain's Commission to this officer is authorized with effect from this date.

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27.

*Health Department.*—Nurse A. C. M. Kavanagh is permitted to terminate her service on February 14, 1921.

Miss A. Hopkins is appointed Nurse under an agreement from November 22, terminable at three months' notice.

Miss A. Leps, candidate for an appointment as Probationer Nurse, is permitted to terminate her service on November 30.

*Public Works Department.*—The appointment of Assistant Inspector R. A. Thomas is confirmed under an agreement from May 1, terminable at three months' notice.

*Educational Department.*—Miss J. Philip, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Boys, is permitted to terminate her service on December 31.

Miss A. Stevens, Assistant Mistress, in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, is permitted to terminate her service on January 6, 1921.

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 1183 | Off Chaou-foong | The Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Co. | | | canopy |
| 1410 | Off East Yuhang | Sung Chong | | | addns. |
| 7293 | Off Seoul | Tsao Zen Kee | | | sheds |
| 6043 | Tengyueh | The Amos Bird Co. | | | addns. |
| 3812 | Off Thorburn | Elm & Co. | | | temporary movable watchman's house |
| 1562 | Tongshan | C. Luthy | | | godown |
| 3860 | Off Ward | Lin Tai & Co. | | | " |
| 3190 | Yangchow | Zoo May Doo | | | foundry |
| 6015 | Off Yangtszpoo | The Shanghai Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ld. | | | latrine |
| 4744, 4745 & 4750 | Off Gordon | Palmer & Turner | | | spinning & weaving mill |
| 1810 | Yates | Tam Wa | | | addns. |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 1180 | Off Kashing | H. M. Cumine | 10 | | |
| 867 | Woochang & Chapoo | Z. K. Sheng | 34 | | 3 gatehouses |
| W of 1630 | Chusan | Zee Shing Shing & Sons | | | addns. & wall |
| N of 5555 | Wayside & Lay | Tsao Zen Kee | 26 | | gatehouse |
| N of 3306 | Off Shuchang Ext. | Yao Chen Ming | | | addns. |

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**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, November 28, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 3 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 20 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 2 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 137 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Fire Brigade Report for October.**

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 21, as against 45 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 800 (Foreign Tls. 800: Chinese Nil) as against Tls. 23,500 (Foreign Tls. 5,200: Chinese Tls. 18,300) during October 1919. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 112,000 (Foreign Tls. 90,000 Chinese Tls. 22,000), as against Tls. 3,172,500 (Foreign Tls. 2,850,000: Chinese Tls. 322,500) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 13, Watch Towers 4, Police 2, and Staff 2. The district call was given on 1 occasion, the remaining 20 being station calls. These calls proved to be 13 small fires, 2 chimney fires, and 6 outside the Settlement.

The principal supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement were as follows:—Fusing of electric wires, child playing with matches, dropped match or cigarette end, joss paper, etc. One building was damaged by smoke, fire and water.

The loss in Chinese buildings was practically nil, the losses in each instance being so trivial as to be hardly worthy of consideration. It will be seen by the record that there were only 14 actual fires in the Settlement, thus constituting a record.

A difficult outbreak occurred on October 20, at a Japanese Dispensary, No. L539 Canton Road, where a quantity of ether was on fire. Smoke helmets and respirators had to be used, and the fire chemically extinguished. Slight damage only was caused.

Assistance was rendered, in Chapei, as follows:—

*Da Fung Silk Filature, October 2, at 9.43 p.m.*—The Hongkew Division laid on from Dixwell Road and were the principal factors in saving the main filature.

*Opposite Hong Yue Cotton Mill, October 4 at 12.30 a.m.*—This was large conflagration practically extinguished by the Brigade, in which a fairly extensive tallow and oil refinery was saved, although some of the matshed was alight along its walls.

*October 28, at 12.32 a.m.*—In this case a number of shops and dwellings, off North Soochow Road Extension, were in flames, burning embers being blown across the Creek. The Sinza Division laid on from the Creek, and in about half-an hour had the fire completely held.

Serious difficulty has been experienced, for many years, in getting licensees of entertainment buildings to realize their responsibility and see that the licence conditions are conformed to. Recently, licences in respect of some of the Cinema Halls have been suspended owing to flagrant breaches of the regulations. Even then numerous visits have been necessary by the Inspection Staff of this Department to get the requirements fulfilled.

Inspections to the number of 350 were made during the month nearly all of which were of licensed premises.

M. W. PETT,
*Chief Officer.*

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call: Time of | Call: How received | Alarm given | Locality | District: Municipal | District: Fire | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire: Hours | Time at fire: Minutes | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oct. 1 | 5.31 p.m. | Telephone | Station | 29 Nanking Rd. | Central | 3 | Foreign Offices & Flats | | 19 | | |
| 2 | 9.43 p.m. | " | " | Off Dixwell Rd. | Outside | | | | 2 | | |
| 3 | 9.20 p.m. | Staff | " | 43 Range Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Dwelling | | | | |
| 4 | 12.30 a.m. | Sinza Tower | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | 3 | | |
| 4 | 7.55 a.m. | Sinza Tower | " | French Concession | " | | | | | 40 | |
| 8 | 7.14 p.m. | Sinza Tower | District | 177 Bubbling Well Road | Western | 7 | Open Spaces | | 3 | | |
| 10 | 11.04 a.m. | Police | Station | N. Szechuen Rd. Extension | Outside | | | | | 20 | |
| 15 | 11.16 a.m. | Telephone | " | Cc 1838 E. Yuhang Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 15 | |
| 15 | 7.48 p.m. | Staff | " | Mm 166 Myburgh Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | | | 5 | Chimney |
| 17 | 12.09 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Jukong and N. Szechuen Rds. | Outside | | | | 1 | | |
| 20 | 5.25 a.m. | Telephone | " | 10 Magnolia Terrace and N. Szechuen Rd. Extn. | Northern | 2 | Japanese Dwelling | 1 damaged | 14 | | |
| 20 | 9.36 a.m. | " | " | Pd 148 Haining Road | " | 2 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 10 | |
| 20 | 10.02 a.m. | " | " | L540 Canton Road | Central | 4 | Japanese Dispensary | | 8 | | |
| 21 | 4.24 p.m. | Police | " | Central Police Station | " | 4 | Police Station | | | 5 | |
| 23 | 6.25 p.m. | Telephone | " | C1198 Woosung Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Shop | | | 15 | Chimney |
| 25 | 4.02 p.m. | " | " | 35 Wayside Rd. | Eastern | 1 | | | | 20 | |
| 27 | 9.10 p.m. | " | " | U28 Yuenchang Road | " | 1 | Chinese Shop | | | 10 | |
| 27 | 9.21 p.m. | " | " | 684 Kansuh Rd. | Northern | 8 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 20 | |
| 27 | 9.36 p.m. | " | " | Haining Road | " | 8 | | | | 5 | |
| 28 | 12.32 a.m. | " | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | 2 | | |
| 29 | 2.56 p.m. | " | " | Cf 88 Mukden Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 40 | |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

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**Public Band.**

On Sunday next, December 5, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.

THIRD CONCERT.

*"Old Classics"*

SOLOISTS:

Messrs. V. SIROIDO (Violin)
" W. CHERKASSOFF (Violin)
" T. PERCU (Flute)
" H. KUNZE (Harp)

1.—Ballet-Music from *"Pâris et Hélène"*
(*a*) "Entrance of the Athletes"
(*b*) "Chaconne—Gavotte—Chaconne" Gluck

2.—Concerto D minor for two Violins with String accompaniment only
(*a*) Vivace
(*b*) Largo ma non tanto
(*c*) Allegro Bach
Soloists: Messrs. SIROIDO and CHERKASSOFF

3.—Praeludium and Fuga
(*a*) Praeludium
(*b*) Choral
(*c*) Fuga Bach
(Orchestra arrangement by J. J. ABERT)

4.—Concerto C major for Harp and Flute with Orchestral accompaniment
(*a*) Allegro
(*b*) Andantino
(*c*) Rondo Mozart
Soloists: Messrs. KUNZE and PERCU

5.—Overture *"The Magic Flute"* Mozart

MAESTRO M. PACI, *Conductor.*

**Summary of General Municipal Rate, September Quarter, 1920.**

**Foreign.**

| | 1920. | | 1919. | | 1918. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. |
| | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | 701 | 3,499,314 | 714 | 2,753,586 | 694 | 2,560,167 |
| Northern do. | 1,013 | 988,918 | 1,019 | 949,856 | 1,017 | 937,015 |
| Eastern do. | 773 | 998,230 | 743 | 970,472 | 731 | 912,191 |
| Western do. | 1,026 | 1,352,584 | 1,011 | 1,289,908 | 1,007 | 1,247,282 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 721 | 479,226 | 665 | 432,774 | 616 | 398,348 |
| Total | 4,234 | 7,318,272 | 4,152 | 6,396,596 | 4,065 | 6,055,003 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 3,221 | 5,616,247 | 3,169 | 4,737,979 | 3,113 | 4,517,975 |
| do. Chinese | 911 | 1,454,952 | 890 | 1,319,360 | 863 | 1,275,230 |
| Unoccupied | 102 | 247,073 | 93 | 339,257 | 89 | 261,798 |
| Total | 4,234 | 7,318,272 | 4,152 | 6,396,596 | 4,065 | 6,055,003 |
| TAX COLLECTED:— | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | | 113,703 | | 113,308 | | 70,839 |
| Northern do. | | 32,503 | | 39,344 | | 25,933 |
| Eastern do. | | 33,400 | | 41,612 | | 26,209 |
| Western do. | | 43,732 | | 51,959 | | 33,840 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 12,933 | | 8,840 | | 5,488 |
| Total | | 236,271 | | 255,063 | | 162,309 |

**Chinese.**

| | 1920. | | 1919. | | 1918. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. |
| | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | 11,494 | 5,969,818 | 11,589 | 5,507,690 | 11,912 | 5,526,863 |
| Northern do. | 16,497 | 3,063,230 | 16,408 | 3,002,568 | 16,530 | 2,990,036 |
| Eastern do. | 17,564 | 1,618,886 | 17,571 | 1,605,396 | 17,020 | 1,536,573 |
| Western do. | 15,561 | 2,209,686 | 14,990 | 2,150,108 | 14,767 | 2,096,043 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 1,246 | 113,402 | 1,225 | 109,994 | 1,224 | 109,814 |
| Total | 62,362 | 12,975,022 | 61,783 | 12,375,756 | 61,453 | 12,259,329 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 2,156 | 537,870 | 2,005 | 387,089 | 1,905 | 457,130 |
| do. Chinese | 59,635 | 12,188,840 | 58,383 | 11,572,421 | 57,797 | 11,122,006 |
| Unoccupied | 571 | 248,312 | 1,395 | 416,246 | 1,751 | 680,193 |
| Total | 62,362 | 12,975,022 | 61,783 | 12,375,756 | 61,453 | 12,259,329 |
| TAX COLLECTED:— | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | | 203,540 | | 190,337 | | 154,757 |
| Northern do. | | 105,434 | | 104,947 | | 86,066 |
| Eastern do. | | 55,457 | | 55,523 | | 44,208 |
| Western do. | | 75,869 | | 71,330 | | 58,325 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 3,222 | | 1,831 | | 1,556 |
| Total | | 443,522 | | 423,968 | | 344,912 |

F. A. SAMPSON, *Acting Commissioner of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承認全份或幾份係本局自有權利

二 所有承攬價目雖是極低本局如亦有承辦之准認用款本局亦不承認付人自

三 擇定後之保證金

四 所有承攬人之資格及辦理保證人須付人知悉

五 目以後登入本局之公稱及承攬人遵照合同辦理的保證金錢則

本局有取消其承攬之權

本局有必將該款一律退還

本局有在此諸承攬信內登信

六 所有承攬信章應加蓋火漆面寫其承攬信項應交工部局二號江西路二十四號信

後明所收之錢款俟得的實封必須單內錢悉

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單費

信時送來之前以至用須在信定期十日上午十工

二時之前以至須在信定期十日上午十工

都局總辦處至須在信定期十日上午十工

面寫明承攬信項應交工部局二號江西路二十四號信

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|

### POLICE FORCE

Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 166 | Bean Oil, during 12 months from April 1<br>700 to 800 Catties per mensem | — | December 10, Noon |

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Information as to tenders under this Section and official tender forms may be obtained from the Health Officer, No. 1 Honan Road

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Mosquito Oil | 23,500 gallons | Imperial measure | — | December 10, Noon |
| 2 | Cross Oil | 1,100 ,, | | | |
| 3 | Iron Doors and Lids | 800 sets | as per sample | — | do. ,, |
| 4 | Oak Battens No. 1 size | 750 pcs. | as per standard samples | — | do. ,, |
| | ,, 2 ,, | 3,000 ,, | | | |
| | ,, 3 ,, | 2,000 ,, | | | |
| | ,, 4 ,, | 750 ,, | | | |
| 5 | Milk (Fresh) | 70,000 pints | for Hospitals, etc. | — | do. ,, |
| 6 | Market Provisions to monthly value of | about $1,100 | do. | — | do. ,, |
| 7 | Butcher Meat to monthly value of | about $520 | do. | — | do. ,, |

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 575 | Supply of Motor Truck Solid Tyres during 1921 | — | December 6, Noon |
| 576 | ,, ,, Motor Car Tyres ,, ,, | — | do. ,, |
| 577 | ,, ,, Stores—P.W.D. Workshops ,, ,, | — | do. ,, |
| 578 | ,, ,, Cast Iron and Brass Castings P.W.D. Workshops ,, ,, | — | do. ,, |
| 579 | ,, ,, Petroleum, Petrol, Oils, etc. P.W.D. Workshops ,, ,, | — | do. ,, |
| 580 | ,, ,, Coal ,, ,, | — | do. ,, |
| 581 | ,, ,, Road, Building Materials ,, ,, | — | do. ,, |
| 582 | ,, ,, Bamboo Ware ,, ,, | — | do. ,, |
| 583 | ,, ,, Foochow Poles ,, ,, | — | do. ,, |
| 584 | ,, ,, Turf ,, ,, | — | do. ,, |
| 585 | ,, ,, Flower Pots ,, ,, | — | do. ,, |
| 586 | ,, ,, Various Hardwoods ,, ,, | — | do. ,, |
| 587 | ,, ,, Oregon Pine ,, ,, | — | do. ,, |
| 588 | Raising Land and Roads | — | do. ,, |
| 589 | Barging Road Detritus | — | do. ,, |
| 590 | Transport of Materials from Pingchiao Quarry | — | do. ,, |
| 591 | Wheeling Materials | — | do. ,, |
| 592 | Construction of Private Drains | — | do. ,, |

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## TENDERS RECEIVED

### VOLUNTEER CORPS

Tenders Nos. 1-5

No. 1 1,000 yds. Khaki Serge
2 500 „ „ „ thick
3 200 „ Whipcord
4 600 „ Bedford Cord
5 12,000 „ Khaki Drill "Spinners Stock Port Brand"

| | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 per yard | No. 4 | No. 5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Edward, Wheen & Sons, Ld. | 14/4 | | | | |
| Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. | *13/4 | *13/6 | 38/2<br>28/2<br>*20/2 | *11/- | 3/- |
| Wisner & Co. | | | | | *2/9 |
| Fredk. Large & Co. | | | | | 2/7½ |
| P. C. Sah | Tls. 2.25 | Tls. 2.35 | Tls. 2.15 | | |
| P. B. Shroff | | | | | Tls. 0.80 |

### POLICE FORCE.

Tenders Nos. 155–165.

No. 155 200 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality
156 150 „ „ „ „ „ 2 „
157 2,400 „ „ „ „ „ 3 „
158 1,200 „ „ „ „ „ 4 „
159 7,000 „ „ Indigo Serge
160 900 „ Khaki Woollen Serge No. 1 quality
161 400 „ „ „ „ „ 2 „
162 2,000 „ Cotton Lining
163 200 White Blankets 68 × 90 4½-lb. each
164 500 Brown „ 68 × 90 5 „ „
165 1,700 Grey Brown Cotton Blankets 84 × 60 5-lb. each

| | 155 | 156 | 157 | 158 | 159 per yard | 160 | †161 | 162 | 163 each | 164 each | 1 e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| P. Heath & Co. | 32/6 | 32/6 | 32/6 | 32/6 | 12/- | 13/- | 13/- | 2/10<br>2/8<br>2/6 | | | |
| *Fredk. Large & Co. | 33/3 | 30/8 | 33/10 | 21/6 | *8/6 | | | | | | |
| *Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. | 37/8½ | 37/1½ | 33/10½ | 22/-<br>21/5<br>20/11<br>20/10 | 8/1 | 15/1½<br>*13/4½<br>13/2 | 15/1½<br>14/3<br>13/4½<br>13/2 | 2/8¼<br>2/7¼<br>2/6¼<br>2/6<br>2/5¾<br>2/4<br>2/3¾<br>2/3¼<br>2/2¼<br>2/2<br>2/1½<br>2/- | *25/11 | *17/- | *Tls. 1 |
| George McBain | 39/- | 35/9 | 38/- | 23/8 | 11/11 | 16/3 | 17/2 | 2/7¼<br>2/5½ | 43/7 | 34/- | |
| *Geddes & Co., Ld. | 36/10<br>34/5 | 34/3<br>*31/3 | 32/5 | 21/6<br>*21/- | 8/9¼ | 13/2 | 13/9 | 2/1<br>2/0¾<br>*2/0½ | | | |
| *The Shanghai Stores Co. | *31/11½ | 31/- | *30/- | 28/6<br>28/- | 11/0¾ | | | | 35/-<br>31/0½<br>25/2½ | 25/- | |
| Jones, Sweet & Co. | 33/3½ | 32/2 | 34/1 | 24/7¾ | 13/10¾ | | | 3/0½ | 31/2¾ | 23/10½ | |
| Wisner & Co. | 34/8 | 32/7 | 33/10 | 20/4 | | | | | | | |
| A. Arnaud-Coste & R. V. Dent | | | | | | 16/3½ | 15/8¾ | 2/1¾ | | | |
| Bowern & Co. | | | | | Rs. 9 | Rs. 9 | | | Rs. 19 | Rs. 19 | |
| Lam, Glines & Co., Inc. | G$6.47 | G$6.53 | G$9.01 | G$7.51 | G$4.68 | | | G$0.39 | | | |
| Dah Fong Hung | | | | | | | | | | | Tls. 2 |
| Wee Fong & Co. | | | | | | | | | | | Tls. 2 |

*Accepted
†Cancelled

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2746 *(Amended.)***

*(Translation)*

**BROTHELS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that under the authority of Resolution XV passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, and in pursuance of the recommendation contained in the report of the Special Vice Committee published in the Municipal Gazette of March 19, one-fifth of the brothel licences, selected by lot, will be withdrawn on April 1, 1921. A public drawing will take place at the Town Hall on Tuesday, December 21, at 3 o'clock p.m., when the brothels to be closed will be determined. The drawings will be public and all interested are invited to be present.

Tickets of admission may be obtained on application to The Revenue Office, No. 7A the Bund, and a list of the licensed brothels will be exhibited at the Police Stations and at the Revenue Office from Thursday, November 25.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2771.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

**DECEMBER.**

DURING the month of December, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be 5 o'clock, p.m.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 25, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2772.**

**GREAT WESTERN AND SICCAWEI ROADS.**

**RE-NAMING.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after January 1, 1921 Great Western Road from its junction with Avenue Edward VII at Manila Road to its junction with Avenue Haig will be re-named Avenue Foch, and Siccawei Road will be re-named Avenue Haig. The Chinese Characters for these roads will be as follows:—

Avenue Foch ( 福煦路 ) and Avenue Haig ( 海格路 ).

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 25, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2777.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR CHINESE.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Kindergarten Mistress in the Public School for Chinese. Applicants should be able to teach the usual English subjects. Pay at the rate of Tls. 170 per mensem, or Tls. 189.50 per mensem, for a certificated Mistress.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience in teaching, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the Headmaster, Public School for Chinese, Elgin and Cunningham Roads forthwith.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai. December 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2774.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR BOYS.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of temporary Assistant Mistress required for Forms I and II in the Public School for Boys. Pay at the rate of Tls. 170 per mensem; service terminable by one month's notice on either side.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience in teaching, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the undersigned forth with.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 2, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2775.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the following five Ratepayers having been duly nominated, are, in accordance with the terms of Article XVIII of the Land Regulations, considered to be elected as Councillors for the remainder of the Municipal year 1920:—

Messrs. H. H. Girardet
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

The remaining members of Council who were elected on February 16 and 17 last, are:—

Messrs. H. A. Macintyre
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
A. Brooke Smith

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 3, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2776.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Municipal Loans will be closed from December 16, to December 31, both days inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2778.**

TENDERS are invited for the purchase of tons 6, cwts. 18, lbs. 103 of ingots (tin and lead alloy) at present lying at the Sinza Police Station. Further information and inspection can be obtained on application to the Inspector in charge of the Sinza Police Station.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 9, 1920.

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AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Friday, November 26, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. A. W. Burkill (*Chairman*)
H. A. Macintyre
C. G. S. Mackie
S. B. Neill

*Absent*:
Mr. M. Benjamin

The meeting adjourned at 5.15 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, December 3, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
F. C. Butcher
A. W. Burkill
C. G. Humphrys
A. C. Hynes
D. McColl
W. L. Merriman
J. W. Stephenson

The meeting adjourned at 6.50 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Parks Committee held on Tuesday, December 7, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Rev. Br. Faust (*Chairman*)
Mr. F. Ayscough

The meeting adjourned at 5.10 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, December 8, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

*Absent*:
Messrs. M. Benjamin
H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 5.15 p.m.

### Council for 1920.

The resignation of Mr. D. Goh, as a member of Council, has been accepted with regret.

To fill the vacancies created by the resignations of Messrs. D. Goh and W. P. Lambe the following appointments to office and to membership of Committees have been made:—

*Vice Chairman of Council* Mr. E. F. Mackay.
*Watch Committee* Mr. H. G. Simms.
*Finance Committee* Mr. S. Sakuragi.
*Health Committee* Mr. S. Fessenden.
*Permanent Education Committee* Mr. H. G. Simms.

### Municipal Salaries Commission.

Mr. C. W. Atkinson has accepted the Council's invitation to serve on the Commission in place of Mr. W. C. Sprague who has resigned.

### Visit of the Eastern Commission of the National Council for Combating Venereal Diseases.

The Council has received a telegram from Japan stating that the Eastern Commission of the National Council for Combating Venereal Diseases, as to whose projected visit preliminary announcement was made in the Municipal Gazette of November 25, will arrive in Shanghai on December 12 or 13.

The Commission has been sent out by the National Council, under the auspices of the British Government, to discuss with members of the local medical faculty, with local educationalists and with the administrative authorities, those practical measures which would be most likely to result in a reduction of venereal diseases, the prevalence and ravages of which were recently the subject of exhaustive investigation by a Royal Commission appointed in Great Britain, the members of which subsequently became the Executive Committee of the National Council, which is recognized by the British Ministry of Health as its agent in undertaking educational propaganda throughout Great Britain.

The Commission's opening conference to be held on Wednesday, December 15, at 5 p.m., in the Assembly Hall of the Ellis Kadoorie School at the corner of Shanhai-kwan and Carter Roads, will be presided over by the Chairman of Council. Invitations to attend this conference are being issued and in due course the programme of further conferences, lectures and public meetings, drawn up by the Advisory Committee appointed by the Council as announced in the Municipal Gazette of November 25, will be published in the local daily press.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Reserve of Officers.*—In consideration of long and valued service in the Corps, and upon the recommendation of the Commandant, retired rank of Captain, with the right to wear the prescribed uniform, has been conferred on Captain G. A. Johnson upon his resignation from the Corps.

*American Co.*—Nine months' leave is granted to 2nd-Lieut. R. F. Wilner from December 18.

The renewal of Commissions for a period of three years from the dates stated is authorized.

| | |
|---|---|
| Lieut. S. B. Neill—Reserve of officers | 2. 6.19 |
| Capt. T. Yamauchi—Japanese Co. | 13.12.19 |
| Capt. H. D. Hilliard—Customs Co. | 13.12.19 |
| Lieut. D. M. de G. Gutterres—Portuguese Co. | 18. 1.20 |
| Capt. W. B. Billinghurst—Medical officer | 21. 1.20 |
| Capt. C. N. Davis—Medical officer | 21. 1.20 |
| Capt. G. Grayrigge—Chinese Co. | 15. 2.20 |
| Capt. A. M. Diniz—Portuguese Co. | 25. 3.20 |
| Capt. J. D. D. Gordon—Reserve of officers | 20. 5.20 |
| Major R. J. Marshall—Senior Medical officer | 7. 6.20 |
| Capt. R. H. Gaskin—Machine Gun Co. (Now Reserve of Officers) | 1.11.20 |
| Capt. J. E. Murray—Medical officer | 29.12.20 |

The renewal of the Commission of Lieut. R. C. Young, Engineers, from 20.6.20 to 27.11.20 (date of resignation) is authorized.

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4.

*Police Force.*—Probationary Constable N. Lboff is permitted to terminate his service on November 30.

Sergeant S. H. Rawlings was permitted to terminate his service on December 25.

*Electricity Department.* — Long leave is granted to the following from April 30, 1921:—

Mr. H. B. Woodford, Secretary to the Department.
Mr. C. S. Taylor, Power Engineer
Mr. A. H. Meggitt, Charge Engineer.
Mr. J. C. O'Kane, Charge Engineer from February 25, 1921.

*Public Band.*—The following are appointed temporarily as Musicians from November 1:—

P. Mentchynsky.
L. Novotni.
M. Kitaigorodsky.
W. Cerkassoff.

The following are re-engaged temporarily as Musicians from November 1:—

H. Kunze.
T. Cruz.
J. V. Alinsod.
H. G. dos Remedios.

*Secretariat.*—Miss E. Inwood is appointed Stenographer and Typist on probation from December 1.

### Public Band.

On Sunday next, December 12, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.

FOURTH CONCERT.

1st Part

"F. SMETANA"

1.—OVERTURE from—"The Bartered Bride"

2.—SYMPHONIC POEM "My Fatherland"
(*a*) "Visegrad"
(Old borough and Royal Castle in Bohemia).
(*b*) "Moldau"
(A description of the source of the river Moldau.—Flutes and Clarionets reproduce the rocking murmur of the waves as accompaniment to a Bohemian Folk Song. The sound of Horns announce the passing of the Hunt; then follows a rural wedding; then a dance of Nymphs in the Moonlight, the St. Johan's Rapids and the Moldau in full flood).

2nd Part

"AN. DVORAK"

3.—SYMPHONY No. 5 in E minor "From the NEW WORLD"
(*a*) Adagio—Allegro molto
(*b*) Largo
(*c*) Scherzo
(*d*) Allegro con fuoco

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

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The following land transactions are recorded:—

ROAD EXTENSIONS AND WIDENINGS.

| Road | Lot No. Cad. | Lot No. Consular | Area in Road | Surplus | Acquired from | Compensation |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fokien | 353 | B.C. 1726 | Mow 0.105 | — | Messrs. Hansons | Assessed value + 10%, or Tls. 2,079 |
| do. | 353A | B.C. 2075 | " 0.019 | — | do. | do. or " 397 |
| East Seward | 638 | B.C. 9042 | " 0.136 | — | do. | do. or " 822.80 |
| Bubbling Well | 2571 | B.C. 2609 | " 0.068 | — | J.R. Twentyman | *Give and take arrangement |
| Hart* | 2711 | B.C. 5145 | " 0.086 | — | Edward Wheen | Assessed value + 10%. or Tls. 331 |

* *Bubbling Well Road—Cad. Lot 2571.*

With the improved line of Bubbling Well Road Mow 0.114 of the road area adjacent to this lot is no longer required for road purposes and the Council has consented to its incorporation in the lot upon payment of a contribution of Tls. 124, which is based on the net gain to the lot of Mow 0.046 at the assessed value.

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

| Site | Lot No. Cad. | Lot No. Consular | Area | Acquired from | Compensation |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fearon Road Electric Light Station | unregistered W. of Cad. Lot 1082 | | Mow 0.993 | Chinese Owner | Tls. 12,600 |
| Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese | 2230 (Portion of) | B.C. 10,010 | Mow 0.500 | Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. | Tls. 1,250 |

SURPLUS LAND SOLD.

| Road | Lot No. Cad. | Lot No. Consular | Area | Purchaser | Sale Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hungjao | — | — | Mow 0.094 | N. L. Sparke | *Tls. 136 |

* The purchaser is granted access 50 feet in width from Hungjao Road to the land sold, on his having agreed to pay any contribution by way of rates which may at a later date be assessed on residents in the neighbourhood, in analogy to the existing procedure in cases of property abutting on Municipal Roads beyond limits.

## Municipal Loan 1920.

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on December 7:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 173,400 | |
| One Investor of | 100,000 | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | |
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | 50,000 | |
| Yangtsze Insurance Association Ld. | 50,000 | |
| One Investor of | 50,000 | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | |
| One Investor of | 35,000 | |
| Tokwa Boseki Kaisha, Ld. | 34,000 | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | |
| One Investor of | 30,000 | |
| E. H. Dunning | 28,000 | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | |
| One Investor of | 20,000 | |
| One Investor of | 17,000 | |
| Shanghai Silk Spinning Co., Ld. | 16,300 | |
| S. J. Betines | 14,000 | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 12,000 | 24,000 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 11,000 | 22,000 | |
| Four Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 40,000 | |
| | | Tls. 1,005,700 |
| 341 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 544,900 |
| 371 Foreign Investors | | Tls. 1,550,600 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 |
| 41 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 62,200 |
| 43 Chinese Investors | | Tls. 85,200 |
| | | Total Tls. 1,635,800 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, December 5, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 684,500 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 4 | 4 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 | 20 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 6 | 3 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 142 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | *Foreign* |
| 43 | Off The Bund | The Union Club | | water closet |
| 148 | Honan and Tientsin | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | Bank |
| 138 | Off Kiangse | " | | garage |
| 39 | Kiukiang | Y. Hirano | | altns. & addns. |
| W of 159 | Off Haining | Dong Ching Kee | | 6 temporary sheds, covered way & repairs |
| 605 | N. Soochow & Tiendong | Chow Sing Ching | 9 | 2 godowns |
| 315 | Off Dixwell | Brandt & Rodgers | | addns. |
| 234 | B'bling Well & Myburgh | Stewardson & Spence | | stables, quarters & latrine |
| N of 6250 | Off Connaught | C. Luthy | | factory |
| 740 | Off West Soochow | Yao An Kee | | 2 godowns |
| 2476 | Yuyuen | H. M. Cumine | | garage |
| | | | | *Chinese* |
| 3315 | Baikal and Whashing | The Pacific Trading Co. | 60 | gatehouse & latrine |
| 283 | Dixwell | Wah Tung | | altns. & addns. |
| 380 | Off E. Yalu | Mow Yeh Kung Sze | 21 | gatehouse |
| 7260 | Meichow | Tuck Tai | | 18 bungalows |
| 412 | Park | Ching Yun | | addns. |
| S of 4347 | Off Tonquin Ext. | Ta Yun Yun | | 6 bungalows |

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# CENSUS OF THE CHINESE POPULATI(

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| NATIVE OF | CENTRAL DISTRICT | | | | NORTHERN DISTRICT | | | | EASTERN DI | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Males | Females | Children | Total | Males | Females | Children | Total | Males | Females |
| Kiangsu | 35,777 | 20,842 | 17,193 | 73,812 | 26,108 | 19,310 | 21,249 | 66,667 | 28,152 | 21,471 |
| Chekiang | 32,894 | 11,734 | 12,051 | 56,679 | 24,981 | 18,236 | 19,733 | 62,950 | 25,567 | 19,653 |
| Kwangtung | 5,128 | 914 | 1,422 | 7,464 | 11,344 | 7,722 | 9,535 | 28,601 | 5,296 | 3,986 |
| Anhui | 2,833 | 451 | 689 | 3,973 | 2,575 | 1,504 | 1,766 | 5,845 | 4,537 | 3,265 |
| Hupei | 714 | 147 | 194 | 1,055 | 900 | 625 | 801 | 2,326 | 2,265 | 1,831 |
| Chihli | 1,520 | 519 | 521 | 2,560 | 958 | 710 | 887 | 2,555 | 2,497 | 1,981 |
| Fukien | 347 | 58 | 86 | 491 | 998 | 850 | 852 | 2,700 | 1,903 | 1,491 |
| Shantung | 1,152 | 88 | 178 | 1,418 | 800 | 611 | 672 | 2,083 | 2,029 | 1,538 |
| Kiangsi | 518 | 94 | 118 | 730 | 847 | 537 | 556 | 1,940 | 1,229 | 947 |
| Honan | 179 | 29 | 38 | 246 | 317 | 258 | 256 | 831 | 858 | 562 |
| Szechuan | 245 | 26 | 23 | 294 | 329 | 229 | 245 | 803 | 657 | 440 |
| Shansi | 129 | 4 | 8 | 141 | 237 | 164 | 175 | 576 | 459 | 277 |
| Hunan | 160 | 36 | 28 | 224 | 154 | 106 | 120 | 380 | 475 | 303 |
| Kweichow | 64 | 4 | 18 | 86 | 61 | 46 | 33 | 140 | 23 | 18 |
| Shensi | 18 | 7 | 23 | 48 | 32 | 27 | 26 | 85 | 194 | 134 |
| Kwangsi | 10 | 11 | 17 | 38 | 140 | 82 | 74 | 296 | 287 | 162 |
| Yunnan | 52 | 8 | 14 | 74 | 59 | 24 | 21 | 104 | 96 | 68 |
| Kansu | 25 | 15 | 16 | 56 | 84 | 45 | 39 | 168 | 73 | 51 |
| Manchuria | 10 | — | — | 10 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| | 81,775 | 34,987 | 32,637 | 149,399 | 70,924 | 51,086 | 57,040 | 179,050 | 76,597 | 58,178 |
| In Foreign Hongs, Houses, Mills, etc. | 6,011 | 428 | 416 | 6,855 | 5,027 | 1,591 | 1,087 | 7,705 | 6,726 | 5,294 |
| In Villages and Huts | — | — | — | — | 26 | 22 | 45 | 93 | 2,920 | 3,242 |
| In Shipping and Boats | 639 | 56 | 107 | 802 | 3,452 | 358 | 423 | 4,233 | 1,237 | 518 |
| Totals | 88,425 | 35,471 | 33,160 | 157,056 | 79,429 | 53,057 | 58,595 | 191,081 | 87,480 | 67,232 |
| Against Totals for 1915 | 84,280 | 33,365 | 31,964 | 149,609 | 69,001 | 44,221 | 48,359 | 161,581 | 69,898 | 46,232 |
| " " 1910 | 75,343 | 30,050 | 28,268 | 133,661 | 58,532 | 39,587 | 41,689 | 139,808 | 48,380 | 31,761 |
| " " 1905 | 73,205 | 28,393 | 27,224 | 128,822 | 56,368 | 37,939 | 40,921 | 135,228 | 41,394 | 25,000 |
| " " 1900 | 70,935 | 27,513 | 26,531 | 124,979 | 42,645 | 24,630 | 25,831 | 93,106 | 33,406 | 19,804 |
| | | | | | Hongkew Settlement | | | | | |
| Against Totals for 1895 | 70,679 | 28,182 | 27,583 | 126,444 | Males 54,436 | | Females 29,253 | | Children 30,862 | |

| Period | CENTRAL DISTRICT | | | | NORTHERN DISTRICT | | | | EASTERN DISTRICT | | | | WESTERN DISTR | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Males | Females | Children | Total | Males | Females | Children | Total | Males | Females | Children | Total | Males | Females | Children |
| 1920 | 81,775 | 34,987 | 32,637 | 149 399 | 70,924 | 51,086 | 57,040 | 179,050 | 76,597 | 58,178 | 66,600 | 201,375 | 62,923 | 44,495 | 45,234 |
| 1915 | 77,627 | 32,747 | 31,049 | 141.423 | 61,866 | 42,598 | 47,098 | 151.562 | 57,850 | 38,754 | 42,352 | 138,956 | 42,406 | 32,494 | 32,374 |
| 1910 | 66,309 | 29,292 | 27,396 | 122.997 | 53,419 | 38,289 | 40,794 | 132.502 | 36,288 | 25,016 | 26,966 | 88,270 | 28,558 | 20,105 | 20,881 |
| 1905 | 66,157 | 27,625 | 26,507 | 120,289 | 53,064 | 37,240 | 40,095 | 130.399 | 30,873 | 20,710 | 22,026 | 73,609 | 27,889 | 18,928 | 19,283 |
| 1900 | 62,648 | 26,739 | 25,763 | 115,150 | 38,390 | 23,164 | 25,027 | 86,581 | 27,177 | 16,669 | 17,139 | 60,985 | 16,197 | 10,634 | 10,161 |
| | | | | | | | Hongkew Settlement | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | *Males* | *Females* | *Children* | *Total* | | | | | |
| 1895 | 62,813 | 27,063 | 26,328 | 116,204 | | | 48,347 | 25,664 | 29,091 | 103,102 | | | | | |

F. A. Sampson,

*Acting Commissioner of Revenue.*

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# OF SHANGHAI ON OCTOBER 16, 1920

*nch Settlement*).

| | WESTERN DISTRICT | | | | GRAND TOTALS | | | | AGAINST GRAND TOTALS FOR | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Total | Males | Females | Children | Total | Males | Females | Children | Total | 1915 | 1910 | 1905 | 1900 | 1895 |
| 73,947 | 31,888 | 23,306 | 22,979 | 78,173 | 121.925 | 84,929 | 85,745 | 292,599 | 230,402 | 180,331 | 169,001 | 141,8 55 | 101,176 |
| 67,607 | 20,067 | 13,777 | 14,699 | 48,543 | 103,509 | 63,400 | 68,870 | 235,779 | 201,206 | 168,761 | 134,033 | 109,419 | 77,533 |
| 14,149 | 1,583 | 1,057 | 1,162 | 3,802 | 23,351 | 13,679 | 16,986 | 54,016 | 44,811 | 39,366 | 54,559 | 33,561 | 31,200 |
| 11,721 | 3,177 | 2,242 | 2,119 | 7,538 | 13,122 | 7,462 | 8,493 | 29,077 | 15,471 | 5,263 | 7,422 | 4,320 | 2,590 |
| 6,124 | 820 | 479 | 449 | 1,748 | 4,699 | 3,082 | 3,472 | 11,253 | 7,997 | 3,353 | 4,744 | 2,021 | 1,121 |
| 6,648 | 1,791 | 1,295 | 1,410 | 4,496 | 6,766 | 4,505 | 4,988 | 16,259 | 7,211 | 4,623 | 4,674 | 2,469 | 2,237 |
| 5,064 | 670 | 514 | 531 | 1,715 | 3,918 | 2,913 | 3,139 | 9,970 | 5,165 | 2,134 | 3,358 | 2,184 | 963 |
| 5,387 | 674 | 318 | 348 | 1,340 | 4,655 | 2,555 | 3,018 | 10,228 | 5,158 | 2,197 | 2,863 | 1,379 | 720 |
| 3,334 | 529 | 338 | 350 | 1,217 | 3,123 | 1,916 | 2,182 | 7,221 | 5,353 | 1,488 | 2,659 | 905 | 839 |
| 2,087 | 233 | 130 | 135 | 498 | 1,587 | 979 | 1,096 | 3,662 | 2,481 | 832 | 773 | 224 | 198 |
| 1,631 | 336 | 250 | 237 | 823 | 1,567 | 945 | 1,039 | 3,551 | 3,244 | 972 | 1,235 | 301 | 229 |
| 1,026 | 79 | 49 | 58 | 186 | 904 | 494 | 531 | 1,929 | 2,135 | 704 | 785 | 373 | 200 |
| 1,098 | 518 | 372 | 352 | 1,242 | 1,307 | 817 | 820 | 2,944 | 2,798 | 680 | 1,266 | 378 | 212 |
| 58 | 81 | 49 | 55 | 185 | 229 | 117 | 123 | 469 | 944 | 469 | 723 | 51 | 26 |
| 469 | 126 | 97 | 107 | 330 | 370 | 265 | 297 | 932 | 1,424 | 630 | 688 | 51 | 18 |
| 611 | 96 | 83 | 89 | 268 | 533 | 338 | 342 | 1,213 | 1,464 | 587 | 619 | 172 | 21 |
| 226 | 81 | 48 | 51 | 180 | 288 | 148 | 148 | 584 | 1,025 | 407 | 602 | 25 | 12 |
| 188 | 131 | 65 | 78 | 274 | 313 | 176 | 197 | 686 | 926 | 516 | 393 | 20 | 11 |
| — | 43 | 26 | 25 | 94 | 53 | 26 | 25 | 104 | — | — | — | — | — |
| 201,375 | 62,923 | 44,495 | 45,234 | 152,652 | 292,219 | 188,746 | 201,511 | 682 476 | 539,215 | 413,313 | 390,397 | 299,708 | 219,306 |
| 14,642 | 10,444 | 5,299 | 1,580 | 17,323 | 28,208 | 12,612 | 5,705 | 46,525 | 33,168 | 25,646 | 12,458 | 10,384 | 6,991 |
| 11,889 | 2,192 | 2,438 | 3,614 | 8.244 | 5,138 | 5,702 | 9,386 | 20.226 | 36,772 | 36,442 | 37,503 | 23,853 | 8,429 |
| 2,220 | 2,364 | 487 | 506 | 3,357 | 7,692 | 1,419 | 1,501 | 10,612 | 11,246 | 12,604 | 12,358 | 11,331 | 6,269 |
| 230,126 | 77,923 | 52,719 | 50,934 | 181,576 | 333,257 | 208,479 | 218,103 | 759,839 | 620,401 | 488,005 | 452,716 | 345,276 | 240,995 |
| 164.159 | 61,009 | 41,814 | 42,229 | 145,052 | 284,188 | 165 632 | 170.581 | 620 401 | | | | | |
| 111,071 | 44,920 | 28,526 | 30,019 | 103,465 | 227,175 | 129,924 | 130,906 | 488,005 | | | | | |
| 91,597 | 41,550 | 27,100 | 28,419 | 97.069 | 212,517 | 118,432 | 121,767 | 452,716 | | | | | |
| 71,896 | 26,438 | 15,947 | 12,910 | 55,295 | 173,424 | 87,894 | 83,958 | 345,276 | | | | | |
| al 51 | — | — | — | — | 125,115 | 57,435 | 58,445 | 240,995 | | | | | |

| IN FOREIGN HONGS, HOUSES AND MILLS | | | | In Villages and Huts Within Limits (not numbered or assessed) | | | | IN SHIPPING AND BOATS | | | | GRAND TOTALS | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Males | Females | Children | Total | Males | Females | Children | Total | Males | Females | Children | Total | Males | Females | Children | Total |
| 28,208 | 12,612 | 5,705 | 46,525 | 5,138 | 5,702 | 9,386 | 20,226 | 7,692 | 1,419 | 1,501 | 10,612 | 333.257 | 208,479 | 218,103 | 759,839 |
| 21,015 | 7,504 | 4,649 | 33,168 | 15,328 | 10,257 | 11,187 | 36,772 | 8,096 | 1,278 | 1,872 | 11,246 | 284,188 | 165,632 | 170,581 | 620,401 |
| 17,105 | 5,615 | 2,926 | 25,646 | 15,494 | 10,504 | 10,444 | 36,442 | 10,002 | 1,103 | 1,499 | 12,604 | 227 175 | 129.924 | 130,906 | 488,005 |
| 8,574 | 2,166 | 1,718 | 12,458 | 16,077 | 10,718 | 10,708 | 37,503 | 9,883 | 1,045 | 1,430 | 12,358 | 212,517 | 118,432 | 121,767 | 452,716 |
| 7,595 | 1,927 | 862 | 10,384 | 11,926 | 7,950 | 3,977 | 23,853 | 9,491 | 811 | 1,029 | 11,331 | 173,424 | 87,894 | 83,958 | 345,276 |
| 5,138 | 1,233 | 620 | 6,991 | 4,210 | 2,806 | 1,413 | 8,429 | 4,607 | 669 | 993 | 6,269 | 125,115 | 57,435 | 58,445 | 240,995 |

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

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## Health Officer's Report for November.

A very successful month of free vaccination against Smallpox may be recorded at the Branch Health Offices among the infants of the Chinese community, which is all the more remarkable in the complete absence of cases of Smallpox to serve as a spur.

There was a moderate prevalence of Typhoid fever. Every case is due to the transference of particulate infection from the bowel discharges of one person to the mouth of another. As all such particulate infection can be destroyed by subjection to the temperature of boiling water, prevention is possible. It is here that the simple precautions given in the Public Health Notice as regards the sterilization of food are of most value. In addition there are fortunately specific vaccines for the Typhoid fevers producing a degree of immunity which is valuable not only in resisting infection but in reducing the severity of the disease. As a result the Typhoid fevers are on the way to extinction in places where Public Health measures can be properly organized and enforced. That a person who has had typhoid vaccination subsequently acquires the disease, is not sufficient to condemn vaccination. Even in vaccination against Smallpox the vaccinated in a small number of cases get Smallpox. It is, like the Einstein theory, a question of relativity. One may take all reasonable precautions against fire, yet fires may occur. Precaution reduces the chances. The same applies to vaccination. Typhoid vaccination may be looked upon as a form of life insurance with a very small premium to pay. The best plan would be to have such vaccination free for all and easy facilities provided for its application.

Some Diphtheria of a mild type was also present. The important fact to remember about Diphtheria is that it is never due to bad drains, but invariably derived from the nose or throat of a previous case or carrier.

There was no further threat of Cerebrospinal fever.

The question of the disposal of house refuse is one which is likely to be more difficult in the future. Shanghai is rather fortunate in having a daily removal from all houses within the Settlement, a circumstance which vastly reduces the number of flies and rats and consequently the diseases carried by these parasitic animals. An important point to note is that there is no such thing as the destruction of refuse. A refuse destructor which burns refuse still has some 30 per cent. of ash to dispose of. The best way is to utilize refuse by returning it to the soil for agriculture. Shanghai is fortunate in having a demand from the farmers for about 40 per cent. of the refuse it produces. The problem now is how best to dispose of the remaining 60 per cent.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse and a special summary of Plague Prevention.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign Resident | Foreign Non-resident | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Typhoid fever | 10 | 3 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| Scarlet fever | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 | 1 | 83 |
| Beri-beri | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Dysentery | 8 | 0 | 10 |
| From all causes | 29 | 13 | 609 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Typhoid fever | 7 |
| Paratyphoid fevers | 1 |
| Diphtheria | 7 |
| Scarlet fever | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 |
| Dysentery | 8 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases admitted—Diphtheria | 11 | 6 |
| Scarlet fever | 4 | 5 |
| Cerebrospinal fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 | 0 |
| Discharged | 7 | 16 |
| Died | 1 | 4 |
| Remaining last day of month | 23 | 11 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 8,516 |
| Bacterial " " | 123 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 5 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 530 |
| Analyses | 66 |

RABIES OBSERVATION

| | |
|---|---|
| Dogs received for observation | 1 |
| Dogs biting people | 1 |
| Returned to owners | 1 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 38 | 8 |
| Surgical | 39 | 0 |
| Maternity | 18 | 6 |
| Mental | 7 | 0 |
| Infectious | 0 | 1 |
| Total | 102 | 15 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen | 2,327 | 11 | 2,827 | 0 | 1 |
| Sheep | 3,343 | 0 | 3,343 | 14 | 1 |
| Calves | 515 | 0 | 515 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs | 586 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK.

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 306 | 582 | 199 | 339 | 1426 |
| Rats plague infected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation | 1200 | 2200 | 2490 | 400 | 6230 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1591 | 2996 | 3102 | 619 | 8308 |
| Poisoned baits laid | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier | 0 | 0 | 208 | 0 | 208 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox | 387 | 532 | 685 | 322 | 1,906 |
| Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease | 2 | 23 | 6 | 7 | 38 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 14 | 75 | 66 | 19 | 174 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 89 | 111 | 315 | 456 | 971 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 1,0 6 | 1,228 | 2,193 | 2,260 | 6,767 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 12 | 95 | 438 | 66 | 611 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 1 | 34 | 0 | 35 |
| Defective drainage amended | 26 | 20 | 31 | 36 | 113 |
| Insanitary wells abolished | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 3 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 16 |
| " " repaired | 76 | 3 | 100 | 67 | 246 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 1 | 3 | 27 | 4 | 35 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 2 | 117 | 58 | 177 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 25 | 12 | 2 | 39 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 0 | 26 | 0 | 26 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 12 | 12 | 8 | 26 | 58 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 57 | 65 | 59 | 57 | 238 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 5 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 0 | 10 | 16 | 22 | 48 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 0 | 500 | 555 | 500 | 1,555 |
| Hawkers licensed | 694 | 757 | 676 | 437 | 2,564 |
| Food prosecutions | 0 | 47 | 9 | 7 | 63 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 0 | 39 | 9 | 0 | 48 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,765 | 5,058 | 2,878 | 3,550 | 15,251 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 2,827 | 1,089 | 474 | 801 | 5,191 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 6,214 | 3,968 | 2,404 | 3,114 | 15,700 |

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE MUNICIPAL LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Name of Dairy | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Teh Kee | Waung Tse Ngoo | M. 1503 Avenue Road | 4.9% added water |

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LABORATORY REPORT ON WATER.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks' water.
Sample received November 20, 1920.
Report sent out November 24, 1920.

Physical Characters.—Yellowish green colour with slight opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 12.5 |
| Appearance on Ignition—slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 8.3 |
| (a) Temporary | 4.9 |
| (b) Permanent | 3.4 |
| Chlorine | 1.9 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0490 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0016 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0093 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° c. | 0.0432 |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 37° C. for 48 hours showed an average of 15 microbes per c.c.

Nutrient agar plates at 20° C. for 72 hours showed an average of 55 microbes per c.c.

Organisms of the coli group were present after 48 hours in quantities of 5 c.c. and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Shows satisfactory filtration.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Parks Report for November.**

| | |
|---|---|
| *Roadside Trees—* | |
| Trees pruned, fastened, etc. | 553 |
| Tree-borers destroyed | 3,951 |
| Dead trees removed | 92 |
| *Road Widening—* | |
| Trees transplanted | 96 |
| *Nurseries—* | |
| Trees transplanted | 145 |
| Shrubs transplanted | 3,136 |
| Seedlings | 21,248 |
| *Plants Bedded Out at—* | |
| Public Recreation Ground | 150 |
| Jessfield Park | 140 |
| | 290 |

*Trees Transplanted—*

At Hongkew Recreation Ground 3

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,265 |
| Football | 352 |
| Hockey | 88 |
| Players | 1,705 |
| Non-players | 11,607 |
| Visitors | 13,312 |

D. MACGREGOR,
*Superintendent of Parks and Open Spaces.*

Countersigned:
CHAS. H. GODFREY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 凡有份承攬本局各項工程者必須將其姓名或商號及其所有之產業或資本情形開列於下

三 擇定有信譽之人承辦本局各項工程

四 行定有保證之後准攬用本局款項

五 未有保證之後不准承攬本局款項

六 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

目前本局所有之工程仍照舊辦理

所有本局所有之工程必須登報公告

本局所有之工程將該項工程之說明書及圖樣各送一份在公信處及本局工程處備閱

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2746 *(Amended.)***

*(Translation)*

**BROTHELS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that under the authority of Resolution XV passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, and in pursuance of the recommendation contained in the report of the Special Vice Committee published in the Municipal Gazette of March 19, one-fifth of the brothel licences, selected by lot, will be withdrawn on April 1, 1921. A public drawing will take place at the Town Hall on Tuesday, December 21, at 3 o'clock p.m., when the brothels to be closed will be determined. The drawings will be public and all interested are invited to be present.

Tickets of admission may be obtained on application to The Revenue Office, No. 7A the Bund, and a list of the licensed brothels will be exhibited at the Police Stations and at the Revenue Office from Thursday, November 25.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, September 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2770.**

**EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.**

*Public School for Boys, Evening Classes.*—It has been decided, upon the recommendation of the Headmaster, to reinstitute these classes provided a sufficient number of students present themselves for the formation of classes. Lectures and instruction will be given in the following subjects:—

1.—Elementary English, including one class in the Berlitz method (for beginners other than English-speaking students.)
2.—English Grammar and Composition.
3.—English Literature.
4.—Book-Keeping, Shorthand and Business Training.
5.—Elementary Arithmetic.
6.—French Conversation and Literature.
7.—Chinese.

Further information with regard to fees, etc., may be obtained on application to the Headmaster at the School, 200 North Szechuen Road Extension. Intending students are requested to send in their names with detailed information of requirements, not later than Monday, December 20. Suggestions sent in by groups of students requiring instruction in subjects other than those stated above will receive consideration and, where practicable, classes will be formed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, November 18, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2771.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

**DECEMBER.**

DURING the month of December, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be 5 o'clock, p.m.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, November 25, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2779.**

**PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENTS.**

THE Council's attention has been drawn to the fact that certain public entertainments have recently been held without a licence: the attention of the Public is therefore directed to Bye-law XXXIV attached to the Land Regulations which prohibits the holding of any entertainment, to which the public are admitted, without a licence first obtained from the Council.

This regulation includes theatrical performances, concerts, exhibitions, dances, etc.; and the Police have directions to prevent the holding of any such entertainment unless licensed.

To obviate inconvenience application should be made at least five clear days before the entertainment is to be held, upon a form to be obtained on application from the Revenue Office.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 16, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2777.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR CHINESE.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Kindergarten Mistress in the Public School for Chinese. Applicants should be able to teach the usual English subjects. Pay at the rate of Tls. 170 per mensem, or Tls. 189.50 per mensem, for a certificated Mistress.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience in teaching, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the Headmaster, Public School for Chinese, Elgin and Cunningham Roads forthwith.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2774.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR BOYS.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of temporary Assistant Mistress required for Forms I and II in the Public School for Boys. Pay at the rate of Tls. 170 per mensem; service terminable by one month's notice on either side.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience in teaching, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the undersigned forth with.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 2, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2775.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the following five Ratepayers having been duly nominated, are, in accordance with the terms of Article XVIII of the Land Regulations, considered to be elected as Councillors for the remainder of the Municipal year 1920 :—

Messrs. H. H. Girardet
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

The remaining members of Council who were elected on February 16 and 17 last, are :—

Messrs. H. A. Macintyre
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
A. Brooke Smith

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 3, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2776.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Municipal Loans will be closed from December 16, to December 31, both days inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2778.**

TENDERS are invited for the purchase of tons 6, cwts. 18, lbs. 103 of ingots (tin and lead alloy) at present lying at the Sinza Police Station. Further information and inspection can be obtained on application to the Inspector in charge of the Sinza Police Station.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2780.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Saturday and Monday, December 25 and 27, 1920, and on Saturday and Monday, January 1 and 3, 1921.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 16, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2782.**

**HOUSE NUMERATION.**

THE numbering of the houses hereunder specified will be altered on January 1, 1921 as follows :—

| Present Number | | Occupant | New Number | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 144 | Great Western Road | Shai Yue Kee | 144 | Avenue Foch |
| 176 | ,, | Loh Vee Zung Ka | 176 | ,, |
| 306 | ,, | Quin, J. | 306 | ,, |
| 382 | ,, | The Belgian Trading Co. | 382 | ,, |
| 384 | ,, | Heath, P. | 384 | ,, |
| 386 | ,, | Martin, R. M. J. | 386 | ,, |
| 388 | ,, | Sienkevitch, B. C. | 388 | ,, |
| 390 | ,, | Raven, T. B. von | 390 | ,, |
| 392 | ,, | Sayer, G. Burton | 392 | ,, |
| 394 | ,, | Dawe, J. J. | 394 | ,, |
| 396 | ,, | Forde, F. H. | 396 | ,, |
| 398 | ,, | Puthod, A. | 398 | ,, |
| 400 | ,, | Taggart, W. P. G. | 400 | ,, |
| 402 | ,, | Katz, J. B. | 402 | ,, |
| 404 | ,, | Botelho, J. H. | 404 | ,, |
| 406 | ,, | Yue Ching | 406 | ,, |
| 414 | ,, | Wong Cho Chen | 414 | ,, |
| 452 | ,, | Holland, G. C. F. | 452 | ,, |
| 502 | ,, | Abraham, D. E. J. | 502 | ,, |
| 504 | ,, | Sprague, W. C. | 504 | ,, |
| 506 | ,, | Fredericks, J. A. | 506 | ,, |
| 508 | ,, | Muller, E. J. | 508 | ,, |
| 510 | ,, | Radcliffe, Miss M. V. | 510 | ,, |
| 1502 | ,, | McColl, D. | 1502 | ,, |
| 1780 | ,, | Jewish Club | 6 | Great Western Road. |
| 1800 | ,, | Blix, C. | 9 | ,, |
| 1803 | ,, | Tichenor, C. R. | 11 | ,, |
| 1998 | ,, | Massey, P. W. | 23 | ,, |
| 2000 | ,, | Anderson, A. L. | 25 | ,, |
| — | ,, | McMeekin, H. W. P. | 43 | ,, |
| — | ,, | Millington, F. C. | 49 | ,, |
| 2017 | ,, | Rowe, E. S. B. | 63 | ,, |
| 2021 | ,, | Worcester, W. G. | 73 | ,, |
| 342 | Siccawei Road | Paturel, C. | 342 | Avenue Haig |
| 346 | ,, | Euren, S. Y. | 346 | ,, |
| 448 | ,, | Sah, C. P. | 448 | ,, |
| 452 | ,, | Raynes, J. A. | 452 | ,, |
| 454 | ,, | Hansen, H. R. | 454 | ,, |
| 556 | ,, | Tibbey, H. M. | 556 | ,, |
| 630 | ,, | Sung Lee Ping | 630 | ,, |
| 636 | ,, | Nie Yuen Foo | 636 | ,, |
| 640 | ,, | Tong, Y. C. | 640 | ,, |
| 642A | ,, | Zar, T. D. | 642A | ,, |
| 644 | ,, | Liang Mong Chow | 644 | ,, |
| 646 | ,, | Li Ming | 646 | ,, |
| 648 | ,, | Chien, Y. M. | 648 | ,, |
| 650 | ,, | Chang Kung Cho | 650 | ,, |
| 658 | ,, | Hykes, Dr. J. R. | 658 | ,, |
| 760 | ,, | Li Hung Chang Temple | 760 | ,, |
| 858 | ,, | Neubourg, P. H. | 858 | ,, |
| 860 | ,, | Tiefenbacher, H. | 860 | ,, |
| 862 | ,, | Nanyang College | 862 | ,, |
| 882 | ,, | The Marist Brothers | 882 | ,, |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 16, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2781.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FOREIGN CHILDREN.**

THE schools will reopen on Thursday, January 6, at 8.30 a.m., with the exception of the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys which will re-open on Monday, January 10.

The attention of parents is directed to the following scale of monthly fees:—

*Public School for Boys.*

200 North Szechuen Road.
Boys over 10 years of age $12
Boys under 10 years of age 8

*Public School for Girls.*

28 Boone Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten 5

Extra subject:—
Piano 6

24 Kungping Road.
Children under 8 years of age $8
Kindergarten children 5

88 Avenue Road.
Girls over 10 years of age $12
Girls under 10 years of age 8
Boys under 8 years of age 8
Kindergarten children 5

Admission to the Avenue Road School is restricted to boys under 8 years of age. Admission to the Kungping Road School is restricted to girls and boys under 8 years of age.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*

63 Haskell Road.
Boarders $30
Day Scholars 9

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*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*

15 Boone Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Upper School, Boarders | $20 |
| Upper School, Day Scholars | 6 |
| Lower School, Boarders | 18 |
| Lower School, Day Scholars | 5 |

Kindergarten children in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls will be charged the same rates as for the Lower School.

The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions:—

| For a family of | Public Schools | Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | Thomas Hanbury School for Girls |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2 children | 20% | $1.80 | $1.20 |
| 3 or more children | 33⅓% | 3.00 | 2.00 |

Children of non-resident parents, unless already in attendance at the schools, will not be admitted. The term *non-resident* implies residence in Shanghai of less than six months.

Forms for the admission of new pupils may be obtained on application at the several schools, and should be presented by the new pupils themselves, when attending at the Schools for examination and admission on Thursday, January 6, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., except in the case of the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys for which the day and hour of attendance will be Monday, January 10, at 9 a.m.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 16, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2783.

### CHINESE WATCHMEN.

EMPLOYERS of Chinese Watchmen under Police Supervision are notified that, in order to strengthen control and simplify administration, the wages of such watchmen will be paid direct by the Council, who will make a charge of $2 per mensem in respect of each man to cover the cost of the additional supervision. The monthly cost of a watchman will accordingly be $17 for 12 hours, or $14 for 8 hours, duty per diem, for which employers will receive a debit note in due course from the Revenue Office. These modifications of the existing arrangements will take effect from January 1, 1921.

Uniform, if required, is supplied at rates which can be obtained on application to the Assistant Commissioner of Police (Chinese), Gordon Road Police Station (Telephone No. West 882) to whom all enquiries regarding Chinese Watchmen should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 16, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, December 10, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphrys
A. C. Hynes
D. McColl
W. L. Merriman
J. W. Stephenson

*Absent:*

Mr. C. W. Atkinson

The meeting adjourned at 6.50 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Health Committee held on Monday, December 13, 1920, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. H. H. Girardet (*Chairman*)
S. Fessenden
S. J. Halse
Dr. J. W. Jackson

*Absent:*

Dr. R. J. Marshall

The meeting adjourned at 5 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Watch Committee held on Tuesday, December 14, 1920, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. S. Fessenden (*Chairman*)
H. H. Girardet
H. G. Simms

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, December 15, 1920, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

*Absent:*

Messrs. H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay

The meeting adjourned at 4.40 p.m.

## Municipal Loan 1920.

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on December 14:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 173,400 | |
| One Investor of | 100,000 | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | |
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | 50,000 | |
| Yangtsze Insurance Association Ld. | 50,000 | |
| One Investor of | 50,000 | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | |
| One Investor of | 35,000 | |
| Tokwa Boseki Kaisha, Ld. | 34,000 | |
| One Investor of | 31,000 | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | |
| One Investor of | 30,000 | |
| E. H. Dunning | 28,000 | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | |
| One Investor of | 17,000 | |
| Shanghai Silk Spinning Co., Ld. | 16,300 | |
| S. J. Betines | 14 000 | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 12,000 | 24,000 | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 11,000 | 22,000 | |
| Mrs. M. S. Crow | 10,000 | |
| Four Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 40,000 | |
| | | Tls. 1,026,700 |
| 351 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 557,400 |
| 382 Foreign Investors | | Tls. 1,584,100 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 |
| 42 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 65,200 |
| 44 Chinese Investors | | Tls. 88,200 |
| | | Total Tls. 1,672,300 |

E. F. GOODALE,

*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

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**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, December 12, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 23,307 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 759,839 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 6 | 3 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 17 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 0 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 114 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 274 | Shantung | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | altns. |
| 712 | Fusan | Stewardson & Spence | | | addns. |
| 1249 | Off East Yuhang | Z. T. Sung | | | addns. |
| Unreg. E of 460 | Hailar | Tsung Kee | | | watchman's lodge |
| Unreg. N of 5200 | Off Tsitsihar & Lay | Dong Kee & Co. | | | fitting shop |
| 2446 | Off Yangtszepoo | New Engineering & Shipbuilding Works, Ld. | | | water closet |
| Unreg. E of 3224 | Yulin | S. J. Powell | 1 | | servants' quarters & entrance gates |
| 4308 | Markham | E. E. Lever | | | block offices, flatts & godown |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| Unreg. S of 940 | Urga | Zee Shan Kee & Son | 4 | | |

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Sergeant F. Shipley from December 26.

*Health Department.*—Mr. N. J. L. Simpson is appointed 2nd Attendant, Mental Ward, under agreement from December 1.

Mr. A. Fanthorpe is appointed Pharmacist under agreement from December 5.

Probationer Nurse R. Cantorovitch is appointed Assistant Nurse from November 6, the date of renewal of her agreement.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. A. J. Enright is appointed Clerical Assistant on three months' probation from November 29.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. W. H. Corneck is re-engaged temporarily as Shorthand Mistress in the Public and Thomas Hanbury Schools for Girls, from January 1, 1921.

*Finance Department.*—Miss W. Wells is appointed Stenographer and Typist on probation from December 7.

**Public Band.**

On Sunday next, December 19, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.

FIFTH CONCERT.

"Beethoven's Works"

To celebrate the 150th Birthday Anniversary of the Great Master.

1st Part.

1.—Leonora-Overture No. 3.

2.—Harps—Quartet in E flat major Op. 74

(*a*) Poco Adagio-Allegro
(*b*) Adagio ma non troppo
(*c*) Presto (Scherzo)
(*d*) Allegretto con Variazioni

for two Violins, Viola and Cello
1st Violin: V. Siroido
2nd Violin: G. Lestuzzi
Viola: B. Gershgorn
Cello: P. Brunelli

2nd Part.

3.—Symphony No. 3 "Eroica" in E flat major Op. 55

(*a*) Allegro con brio
(*b*) Adagio assai: "Marcia Funebre
(*c*) Scherzo: Allegro Vivace
(*d*) Finale: Allegro molto (Variazioni)

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

**Report of Commissioner of Police for November 1920.**

Strength of the Force on Nov. 30 1920.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 208 | |
| Japanese | 43 | |
| Sikhs | 677 | |
| Chinese | 1,451 | |
| | | 2,388 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 100 | |
| Followers | 229 | |
| | | 329 |
| | Total | 2,717 |

*Murder.*—On November 29 the dead body of male Chinese with the throat cut was found lying on a grave mound off the Tsitsihar Road to which place the body had undoubtedly been carried after death. Two men have been arrested in connexion with the case and are at present under remand pending further investigation.

*Manslaughter.* — An American citizen named Jack Leo Welch, who had spent the night of November 6 with a Chinese prostitute in licensed brothel No. 207 Fearon Road, shot the girl dead the following morning with a pistol which he produced from beneath his pillow. Welch was tried at the U. S. Court for China, convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to two years' imprisonment and a fine of $500.00 on November 12.

*Robbery.*—During the month two cases of armed robbery occurred in the Settlement, one being reported in Sinza and the other in Gordon Road District. A case of attempted armed robbery was also reported in the Yangtszepoo District. In connexion with these reports two persons were arrested. One was sentenced to be handed over to the Military Governor while the other is at present detained in hospital as the result of a bullet wound inflicted by the detective in making the arrest.

Three persons have been arrested for participating in an armed robbery outside the Settlement limits, two of whom are still under remand while the case against the third has been dismissed.

Three cases of armed highway robbery were reported, one being in Sinza, one in Bubbling Well and the other in Yangtszepoo District. Five persons have been apprehended in connexion with these cases and are still under remand awaiting trial.

In the Bubbling Well case a public licensed motor car was used in the commission of the robbery which occurred during the tiffin hour on November 20 when three armed men intercepted a coolie conveying over $8,000 in specie on the Connaught Road. The robbers after threatening the coolie took from his wheelbarrow a box containing $4,200 which they placed in their waiting motor car and decamped. Four arrests have been made but the principals and property have still to be located.

Two reports of highway robbery were also received, one from West Hongkew and the other from Gordon Road District.

*Stolen Property.*—397 reports of property stolen were made to the Police during the month. In 154 cases investigations were made with successful results. The return shows an increase of 51 on the previous month and of 107 on the figures for the corresponding month of last year.

*Burglary: Warning to Householders.*—With the advent of the cold weather and the possibility of the increase of burglaries in foreign houses the following warning,

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which was previously published in the press, is reissued for general information:

"Entry into houses is usually effected through a verandah window. One method is to open the outer shutters by removing a slat so that an arm can be inserted and the bolts pulled, and then to cut a whole pane of glass out of the window. Another method, when the shutters cannot be opened because the space between them and the window is too small for the arm to be inserted, is to remove a shutter slat, cut out a piece of window glass, insert the arm, turn the knob and so open the window.

"In cases where entry has been effected in one of these ways it is almost always found by the police that one of the bolts, either on the window or the door, has been left unfastened when the house was shut up for the night. This is due to the carelessness of the servant who has not shot the bolt into its socket, or of the householder who has not had the fastenings kept in proper repair.

"It is difficult to render the ordinary verandah window proof against a determined burglar, but the following measures, if adopted, will make entry more difficult:—

"1.—Window and shutter fastenings to be in good order. Bolts to be kept oiled and sockets well screwed in. Warped shutters, which prevent the bolts being shot home, to be repaired. Servants to be impressed with the importance of properly securing all fastenings at night.

"2.—Shutter slats to be closed and properly hooked up or wedged so as to render them immovable from the outside. This makes cutting them out much more difficult and noisy.

"3.—A screwed bolt-fastening between window and shutter makes it impossible to open either until the bolt is removed. The latter passes through a hole in the window frame and screws into a socket in the shutters. Its position should be such that a hand inserted from the outside to turn the window handle as described above, cannot reach the bolt head to unscrew it.

"4.—An additional bolt, top and bottom, on the window frame would usually frustrate an entry by the second of the two methods mentioned above."

*Gang of Thieves.*—An organized gang of nine Cantonese thieves were arrested during the month against whom no less than 48 charges of larceny and one of burglary were proved. In 45 of these cases the property was stolen from foreign occupied residences in consequence of doors and windows having been left open. They were each sentenced to one year's imprisonment and expulsion. Most of the property was recovered.

*Crimes reported outside Settlement limits.*—Twenty cases of robbery and piracy, two of which were accompanied by murder, have been reported in the press during the month as having occurred outside limits in the neighbourhood of Shanghai. The most serious case was that which occurred at Fungyi near Sungkiang on November 7 when about 70 pirates made a sudden attack on the Water Police and after overpowering them proceeded to rob a pawnshop from which they stole $1,000 in cash and a quantity of jewellery.

Two cases of murder were also reported, in one of which the body of an unknown Chinese male bearing knife wounds was found in Chapei. In the other the occupant of a house in the Chinese City was attacked and killed by three or four unknown persons when answering their knock at the door.

*Executions.*—Two Chinese who were arrested in connexion with the murder of the 'sing song' girl Lien Ying and who were handed over to the Military Governor for trial, were executed at Lunghua in the presence of a representative of the Municipal Police on November 23.

*Attempts to restore peace.*—Despite the Presidential Decree issued on October 30 announcing that the North and South had been united, nothing tangible appears to have been effected in this direction. Following the defeat of General Lu Yung-ting's party, which was finally effected on September 27 when General Chen Chiun-ming entered Canton, Drs. Wu Ting-fang, Sun Yat-sen, Mr. Tang Shao-yi and other Southern leaders, who sought Shanghai's hospitality when differences with their military colleagues compelled them to leave Canton, have returned to the South, while it is now the turn of Messrs. Tsen Chun-hsuan and Wen Tsung-yao, two of the most prominent of their Southern political adversaries, to seek refuge here.

*National Citizens' Convention.*—The local society for the promotion of a national citizens' convention continues to hold frequent meetings, and, in accordance with a project started during the month to extend its influence, has sent two of its members on a lecturing tour to outports and the interior.

*Strikes and Unemployment.*—There were three strikes affecting about 450 workers during the month, while some 9,060 workers are out of employment as a result of the closing down of 13 silk filatures. These factories closed in accordance with a decision reached at a meeting of silk filature proprietors on November 15 to suspend business in order to limit the production of silk until the market for this commodity is stabilized by assistance from the Government or a revival of business.

*Anti-Japanese Boycott.*—Several meetings with the object of reviving the anti-Japanese boycott were held during the month under the auspices of the Boycott 'Bad' Goods Society which has made the presence of Japanese soldiers at Hungchun a pretext for renewing this agitation.

*Disbanding of Soldiers.*—1,383 disbanded soldiers, en route from Tsongchow, Chihli, to their homes in Yunnan and Kwangtung, passed through Shanghai during the month. These soldiers formed part of the Chung Woo Army raised by General Lung Chi-kwang, a former Tuchun of Kwangtung, for the purpose of reconquering that province for the North. Some of them deserted while in Shanghai.

*Price of Rice.*—The price of rice increased slightly during November. At the beginning of the month it cost from $7.90 to $8.60 per picul, and at the end of the month the price ranged from $8.60 to $9.40 per picul.

*Identification Office.*—During the month 686 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 148 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 133 records were received from the French Police out of which number 57 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For Identification | 819 |
| Identified | 205 |
| Percentage | 25 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 6 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 32 |
| Total | 38 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 10.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 449 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 89 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 64 | *Second offenders.* |
| 35 | *Third offenders.* |
| 1 | *Habitual offender* (minor). |
| 48 | *Habitual offenders* (serious). |
| 686 | |

*Return of Convict Labour for November*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed for the P.W.D. | Tls. 39.49 |
| Total | Tls. 39.49 |
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. | Tls. 4,000.96 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 2,257.88 |
| Total | Tls. 1,743.08 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. 1,782.57 |

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Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.

K. J. McEuen,
*Commissioner of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:—* | |
| Assault | 4 |
| Manslaughter (Involuntary) | 1 |
| 2.—*Offences Against Property:—* | |
| Larceny | 2 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:—* | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:—* | |
| Dogs | 2 |
| Handcart | 1 |
| Motor cars | 2 |
| Ricsha | 1 |
| *Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations:—* | |
| Nuisance | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 21 |
| Failing to comply with the Enemy subject Regulations | 1 |
| Obstruction | 1 |
| Vagrancy | 1 |
| Riding a bicycle after sunset without a light | 2 |
| Total | 40 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,260 | 1,260 |
| Others | 36 | 827 | 863 |
| Total | 36 | 2,087 | 2,123 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cautioned | 2 |
| Compensation | 1 |
| Dismissed | 1 |
| Fined | 19 |
| Handed over to Naval Authorities | 2 |
| Handed over to Chinese Authorities | 1 |
| Imprisonment | 9 |
| " and Fined | 2 |
| Remanded | 1 |
| Sent on board ship | 2 |
| Total | 40 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on November 30.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 6 |
| Louza Station | 1 |
| Hongkew Station | 15 |
| Harbin Road Station | 5 |
| West Hongkew Station | 12 |
| Wayside Station | 14 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 1 |
| Sinza Station | 19 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 5 |
| Gordon Road Station | 8 |
| Gaol | 1,624 |
| Reformatory | 52 |
| Total | 1,762 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN October 30 and November 26

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 45,023.80 |
| Recovered | 12,894.95 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 289 | 640 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 289 | 640 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 31/10/20 | 47 | 289 |
| Captured | 242 | |
| Returned | 59 | 289 |
| Killed | 192 | |
| At Observation Kennels | — | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 38 | |

## Report of the Commissioner of Public Works for November.

In view of the gradual change in the nature of the street traffic, due mainly to the advent of the motor truck, the condition of many of the wooden bridges calls for consideration. Most of these bridges are very old, and they are extensively patched nearly every year.

When most of them were designed present traffic conditions could hardly have been anticipated, and in any case it would not then have been economical to design the bridges for problematical heavy traffic.

Under existing regulations motor freight vehicles are permitted up to a gross weight of 24,000 lbs., nearly 11 tons, and although the existing bridges may carry these loads it is only with a very considerably reduced factor of safety, and the vibration due to heavy loads constantly passing will gradually bring about a dangerous condition.

Regulations prohibiting vehicles over certain weights crossing wooden bridges are under consideration, the result of which will be that all heavy motor trucks will have to cease using the wooden bridges, and cross by the steel and concrete bridges instead.

ROADS.

*Thibet Road.*—The lowering of the carriageway and footpaths at the junction with Sinza and Peking Roads has been completed, and the road ballasted and metalled to Soochow Road, thus completing the Thibet Road along the line of the old Defence Creek, from Avenue Edward VII, to the Soochow Creek.

Temporary refuge islands have been erected at the road junction experimentally.

*N. Szechuen Road.*—Asphaltic concrete has been laid between Tiendong Road and Woochang Road. The section south of Tiendong Road has not been done, in view of the approaching reconstruction of Szechuen Road bridge and approaches.

*Holung Road.*—Raising and grading completed from Yangtszepoo Creek to Meichow Road.

*Meichow Road.*—Raising, grading, and culverting completed from Hochien Road to Holung Road.

*Linching Road.*—Raising, grading, and culverting completed from Ward Road to Pingliang Road.

DRAINAGE.

*Weihaiwei Road.*—A 3-ft. diameter culvert is being laid between Yates Road and Seymour Road, and the side ditch filled in.

*Range Road.*—A 1-ft. 6-in. by 1-ft. sewer has been laid between North Honan Road and Haskell Road. The old sewer has been left in to carry the drainage from the south side of the road.

CREEKS AND RIVERS.

*Soochow Creek.*—The concrete bunding west of Tatung Road is about half completed. The work is proceeding in short lengths to allow of the cofferdam timber being used several times over. This necessarily renders progress slow.

In connexion with this work two overhead bridges are being constructed to enable cargo to be transported direct from the adjoining flour mill to the boats in the creek without the usual obstruction occasioned by a string of coolies crossing the road with their loads.

A wooden jetty has been constructed west of N. Thibet Road.

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—The electric light fittings and other internal fixtures have been put in position, and the Departmental work dependent thereon proceeded with. The concrete look-out at the top of the tower is in hand.

*Louza Police Station Extension.*—The concrete to second floor has now been put in.

*Hongkew Police Station Extension.*—Excavations for foundations are in progress.

*Isolation Hospital Observation Suite.*—Concrete foundations are in hand.

*Gordon Road Police Station Gymnasium.*—First floor level has been reached.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—1,089 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month. The average number of coolies and artisans employed was 206.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings—collected cartloads | 4,106 |
| Ashes cartloads | 1,179 |
| Used for raising land | 468 |
| Water used for street watering | 4,646,000 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,867 |
| Artisans | 559 |
| Foremen | 234 |
| Mafoos | 153 |

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*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 5,625 pieces |
| Machine made | 2,804 „ |
| Total | 8,429 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 29 admissions during the month, and 70 bundles of wood chopped.

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 97 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates issued | 51 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 47 |
| New lots put under taxation | 24 |
| Assessed value of land placed under taxation | Tls. 64,846 |
| Official plans prepared | 42 |
| Surveys made in connexion with road widenings and/or extensions | 47 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 97 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Northern District | 17 |
| Western „ | 10 |
| Outside limits | 46 |

*New Buildings.*

| | |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 411 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 86 |
| Plans approved | 62 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,800 |
| Boundary walls erected | 466 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 4 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 26 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 57 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

**Summary of Revenue for November.**

| Description | Estimate for 1920 | 1920 | | | 1919 | | | 1918 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 | Number | Amount | Total from January 1 |
| | Tls. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. | | Tls. cts. | Tls. cts. |
| LAND TAX | 1,055,000 | — | 24,152.24 | 997,243.52 | — | 28,795.19 | 1,020,748.67 | — | 3,704.62 | 888,353.21 |
| GENERAL MUNICIPAL RATE— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign | 861,000 | — | 132,164.74 | 839,271.70 | — | 91,268.61 | 756,301.65 | — | 65,650.10 | 627,754.58 |
| Chinese | 1,285,000 | — | 148,213.71 | 1,168,213.70 | — | 121,300.16 | 1,070,040.10 | — | 59,618.48 | 944,544.12 |
| Special Advertisement Rate | 1,500 | — | 8.13 | 1,484.76 | — | — | 1,320.40 | — | 45.50 | 1,356.95 |
| WHARFAGE DUES | 350,000 | — | — | 265,617.93 | — | — | 186,593.00 | — | — | 141,555.33 |
| LICENCE FEES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hotel and Tavern | 17,000 | 4 | 192.00 | 15,679.50 | 5 | 304.00 | 15,392.50 | 6 | 327.00 | 16,503.70 |
| Foreign Liquor Seller | 25,000 | 5 | 275.00 | 26,850.00 | 7 | 362.50 | 24,250.00 | 2 | 150.00 | 23,675.00 |
| Billiard & Bowling Saloon | 600 | — | — | 618.00 | — | — | 552.00 | 1 | 8.00 | 424.00 |
| Eating House | 10,000 | 543 | 1,533.53 | 9,482.14 | 554 | 1,460.93 | 9,038.15 | 392 | 1,203.59 | 8,348.86 |
| Chinese Club | 5,100 | 4 | 100.00 | 4,826.05 | 1 | 25.00 | 5,070.90 | 3 | 54.20 | 4,095.90 |
| Chinese Lodging-house | 13,000 | 16 | 243.00 | 11,256.70 | — | — | 11,898.50 | 2 | 18.00 | 12,605.00 |
| Foreign Lodging-house | — | 71 | 76.66 | 305.68 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Chinese Wine-shop | 36,000 | 634 | 4,171.40 | 25,295.25 | 875 | 6,661.50 | 34,657.10 | 560 | 4,625.00 | 34,038.50 |
| Tea-shop | 17,000 | 615 | 1,292.00 | 14,687.50 | 628 | 1,288.50 | 15,257.00 | 649 | 1,369.00 | 14,743.50 |
| Fruit Shop and Stall | 7,000 | 161 | 1,181.35 | 6,720.73 | 115 | 817.77 | 6,737.02 | 15 | 102.12 | 6,238.28 |
| Foreign Theatre and Cinematograph | 6,500 | 14 | 595.00 | 6,320.50 | 13 | 429.00 | 5,638.00 | 10 | 380.00 | 3,942.50 |
| Chinese Theatre, etc. | 8,500 | 18 | 709.00 | 8,169.00 | 13 | 609.00 | 7,719.00 | 18 | 693.00 | 7,188.00 |
| Other Entertainments | 3,200 | 20 | 283.00 | 2,651.50 | 15 | 204.00 | 2,790.00 | 12 | 175.00 | 2,092.00 |
| Brothel | — | 2 | 1.44 | 1,280.61 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pawn-shop | 33,000 | — | — | 22,959.36 | — | — | 24,701.89 | — | — | 22,191.88 |
| Exchange Shop | 9,000 | 518 | 1,163.00 | 6,688.00 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tobacco Shop | 15,000 | 982 | 2,114.10 | 11,893.27 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cargo Boat | 6,700 | 1,078 | 650.41 | 5,950.10 | 871 | 570.12 | 5,963.17 | 763 | 443.66 | 5,626.96 |
| Ferry and Passenger Boat | 1,200 | 61 | 87.47 | 100.07 | 63 | 95.13 | 1,024.08 | 66 | 95.70 | 1,046.59 |
| Launch | 3,500 | 34 | 68.00 | 3,926.00 | 33 | 66.00 | 3,587.00 | 30 | 60.00 | 3,176.00 |
| Chinese Boat | 4,500 | 1,702 | 402.38 | 4,294.26 | 1,678 | 408.83 | 4,175.22 | 1,257 | 301.12 | 3,779.69 |
| Sampan | 1,000 | 164 | 117.89 | 965.58 | 176 | 132.27 | 905.22 | 150 | 108.67 | 844.30 |
| Private Pony and Carriage | 10,000 | P. 140 / C. 31 | 243.26 | 9,706.56 | P. 30 / C. 13 | 71.39 | 10,438.06 | P. 59 / C. 19 | 143.54 | 11,396.72 |
| Livery Stable | 11,000 | P. 321 / C. 299 | 1,090.93 | 11,199.04 | P. 265 / C. 246 | 932.81 | 11,198.04 | P. 405 / C. 256 | 1,037.21 | 11,206.31 |
| Motor Vehicles | 70,000 | V. 403 / D. 437 | 4,196.39 | 77,664.49 | 132 | 1,080.53 | 50,686.67 | 68 | 513.77 | 39,455.63 |
| Cart | 37,000 | 2,625 | 3,632.00 | 38,408.00 | 2,263 | 3,193.50 | 33,447.50 | 1,774 | 2,550.50 | 28,830.00 |
| Private Ricsha | 70,000 | 156 | 349.46 | 73,532.60 | 181 | 278.74 | 57,590.59 | 155 | 243.21 | 53,016.19 |
| Public Ricsha | 140,000 | 8,000 | 11,514.55 | 127,664.05 | 8,000 | 11,899.50 | 128,139.55 | 8,000 | 11,704.65 | 127,274.57 |
| Sedan-chair | 100 | 2 | 4.30 | 93.30 | 7 | 10.64 | 125.28 | 3 | 8.63 | 130.93 |
| Wheel-barrow | 53,000 | 9,639 | 4,821.23 | 49,779.87 | 9,665 | 4,835.57 | 46,933.33 | 7,999 | 4,005.38 | 44,392.83 |
| Firearms | 500 | — | — | 230.00 | — | — | 225.00 | 1 | 75.00 | 300.00 |
| Dog | 8,000 | 174 | 623.79 | 7,471.86 | 116 | 432.06 | 6,776.70 | 64 | 92.72 | 3,473.64 |
| RENT OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES— | | | | | | | | | | |
| Markets | 118,840 | 6,463 | 10,148.13 | 107,989.78 | 6,255 | 10,189.23 | 103,294.66 | 5,947 | 9,411.53 | 100,165.02 |
| Town Hall | 1,000 | — | — | 1,130.00 | — | — | 410.00 | — | 130.00 | 520.00 |
| Firemen's Quarters | — | — | — | — | — | — | 805.50 | — | 316.00 | 2,255.00 |
| Assessed Rentals of Mun. Quarters | 6,000 | — | 440.00 | 4,566.23 | — | 425.00 | 4,818.78 | — | 415.00 | 4,815.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 | — | 325.36 | 1,800.40 | — | 41.28 | 1,607.10 | — | 15.32 | 1,321.26 |
| REVENUE FROM PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL UNDERTAKINGS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waterworks Company | 26,300 | — | — | 27,522.86 | — | — | 26,003.60 | — | — | 32,362.34 |
| Gas Co., Ld. | 1,000 | — | — | 750.00 | — | — | 750.00 | — | — | 750.00 |
| Mutual Telephone Co., Ld. | 7,330 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 7,331.50 | — | — | 7,331.50 |
| Electric Construction Co. Ld | 62,000 | — | — | 48,547.56 | — | — | 41,846.00 | — | — | 35,43 .91 |
| Electricity Department | 309,000 | — | — | 309,000.00 | — | — | 242,000.00 | — | — | 364,000.00 |
| Convict Labour | 7,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Concreteware Manufactory | 20,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pingchiao Quarry | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tungchow Road Workshop | 8,000 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total Tls. | 4,742,870 | | 352,134.85 | 4,368,043.51 | | 288,188.76 | 3,988,788.43 | | 169,795.22 | 3,642,553.70 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Commissioner of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 凡承攬各項本局需用物料者必須自有資本倘承攬人之信譽不足以應付目前之需要亦准用銀行保證書或他人之保證書代替之

二 凡有以後登載入各人之信及承攬人之姓名或公司名稱者亦須有本局認定之人負責方准辦理

三 本局有取消所有投標之權

四 本局有權將投標人之姓名及其投標之價目公開宣佈

五 本局必須將其投標人之姓名及其投標之價目公開宣佈

六 凡投標人之信封上須寫明投標人之姓名及其投標之價目

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 168 | Supply of Firewood 40,000 to 50,000 lb. per mensem during 1921 | — | December 18, Noon |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 594 | Electric Wiring, Hongkew Police Station (Indians) | — | December 18, Noon |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road | | |
| 206 | Hardware Sundries for the six months ending June 30, 1921 | Tls. 5 | December 29, Noon |
| 207 | Gun Metal and Brass Castings for the twelve months ending December, 31, 1921. | — | December 23, ,, |
| 208 | Cast Iron Castings for the twelve months ending December, 31, 1921 Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | — | do. ,, |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### POLICE FORCE

Tender No. 166.

Bean Oil, during 12 months from January 1, 1921, 700 to 800 Catties per mensem

| | |
|---|---|
| Yuen Mow & Co. | $0.23 per catty |
| * Van Yue Sun | 0.19 ,, |

* Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2785.

### TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

THE following Regulations for the governance, control, direction and facilitation of traffic within the limits of the Foreign Settlement and on Municipal roads or alleyways outside such limits, have been authorized by the Council under the powers conferred by Bye-law XXXVI, annexed to the Land Regulations for the said Foreign Settlement. The said Regulations will have effect from January 1, 1921, on which date the existing Regulations will cease to be effective:—

1.—Certain Terms and Expressions used in these Regulations shall be defined as under:—

*Traffic.*—Vehicles and pedestrians making use of a highway.

*Highway.*—Any space intended for vehicular or pedestrian traffic.

Synonymous terms: Road, Street, Thoroughfare.

*Roadway.*—That portion of a highway intended for the use of vehicles.

*Footpath.*—That portion of a highway intended for the use of pedestrians.

*Kerb (Curb).*—The edge of a roadway, whether marked or understood.

*Safety Zone.*—Any portion of a roadway from which vehicles are excluded.

*Street Island.*—A raised portion of a roadway forming a safety zone. The term includes:—

(*a*) Traffic Island—a refuge for the use of pedestrians or a turning or division point for vehicular traffic.

(*b*) Tramway Island or Loading Platform—a refuge at a tramway stopping place for the use of passengers entering or leaving tram cars.

*Vehicle.*—Any conveyance (but not including a horse). Provided (1) that skaters, children's perambulators and invalids' chairs shall be considered as vehicles only when on a roadway but as pedestrians when on a footpath; (2) that in these Regulations the term 'vehicle,' expressed or implied, shall apply to tramcars only in so far as their being confined to rails will allow.

*Horse.*—Any animal used as a conveyance or for draught purposes.

*Driver.*—Any person who for the time being is in charge of a vehicle on a highway.

*Pedestrian.*—Any person on foot on a highway. Provided that skaters, children's perambulators and invalids' chairs shall be considered as pedestrians when on a footpath but as vehicles when on a roadway.

*Passenger.*—Any occupant of a vehicle other than the driver or a servant of the owner of the vehicle actually in the performance of his duty.

*Tramcar.*—Any vehicle which is confined to rails on a roadway.

*Railless Car.*—Any vehicle, other than a tramcar, which is propelled by electricity and is dependent on an overhead cable for its power supply.

*Motor Vehicle.*—Any vehicle which is propelled by an internal combustion engine or by electricity; provided that tramcars and railless cars are not considered as motor vehicles.

*To Rank.*—To stand a vehicle parallel with the kerb.

*To Park.*—To stand a vehicle at an angle with the kerb.

*Vehicle Stand.*—A portion of a roadway or other space specially set apart for the ranking or parking of vehicles.

2.—Every person using a highway, whether as a driver, pedestrian or passenger, shall thereby incur an obligation to facilitate the movement of traffic and promote public safety.

3.—No person shall walk on a highway in a dangerous, reckless, negligent or otherwise improper manner.

4.—No person shall walk on a highway in such a manner as to cause unnecessary obstruction to other traffic.

5.—No person shall drive a vehicle on a highway in a dangerous, reckless, negligent or otherwise improper manner.

6.—No person shall drive a vehicle on a highway, or cause a vehicle to occupy any portion of a highway, in such a manner as to cause unnecessary obstruction to other traffic.

7.—No person shall enter or leave a vehicle on a highway in such a manner as to cause unnecessary obstruction to other traffic, or unless such vehicle is drawn in close to the kerb.

8.—No person shall load or unload cargo or goods on a highway in such a manner as to cause unnecessary obstruction to traffic.

9.—No person shall carry or place a load or any other article on a highway in such a manner as to cause unnecessary obstruction to traffic.

10.—Every driver or pedestrian on a highway shall promptly obey the instructions or signals of police on duty.

11.—No driver shall exceed a safe, reasonable and considerate speed, having due regard to the rights of other users of the highway, to existing traffic conditions, to the state of the road surface and to the presence of dangerous points, whether indicated or otherwise.

12.—A driver shall keep to the left hand side of the roadway—the slower his speed the nearer the kerb.

13.—A driver when turning a corner to the left shall keep as near the left hand kerb as possible

14.—A driver when turning a corner to the right shall make a wide sweep and shall enter the new roadway (if possible) to the left of its centre line.

15.—A driver when passing a street island situated in the centre of a highway, or to the right of its centre line facing the direction of travel, shall do so to the left.

16.—A driver when passing another vehicle going in the opposite direction shall do so to the left.

17.—A driver when passing another vehicle going in the same direction (except a tramcar) shall do so to the right.

18.—A driver when passing a tramcar whether moving or stationary going in the same direction shall, if practicable, do so to the left.

19.—A driver when passing a tramcar going in the same direction, which has stopped to take up or set down passengers, shall do so at a slow speed and in a considerate manner; or, if necessary, he shall stop until the roadway is clear.

20.—No driver shall attempt to pass another vehicle going in the same direction unless a clear view ahead can be obtained.

21.—A driver shall slow down when passing over a bridge or street crossing or when turning a corner or rounding a bend where a clear view ahead cannot be obtained.

22.—A driver of a motor vehicle approaching a horse on a highway shall slow down or stop if necessary, or if requested to do so.

23.—A driver shall, in the event of an accident on a highway in which his vehicle is in any way concerned, immediately stop his vehicle in order to ascertain the extent of any damage or injury and to render any necessary assistance. He shall remain until notified by the police that his presence is no longer required; or, in the event of no police officer being available, he shall report the occurrence to a police station without undue loss of time.

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24.—No driver shall cause a vehicle continuously to overlap or travel abreast of another vehicle on a highway when by so doing an obstruction to other traffic is caused.

25.—No driver shall cause a vehicle to remain at the entrance to any premises in such a manner as to obstruct access thereto, longer than is necessary for the expeditious taking up or setting down of passengers, or the loading or unloading of freight or goods.

26.—No driver shall back his vehicle or turn it round in a roadway if by so doing he obstructs or endangers other traffic.

27.—A driver when stopping his vehicle in a roadway for the purpose of taking up or setting down passengers or for any other reason (except in obedience to police signals), shall do so as close to the kerb as possible.

28.—No driver shall cause a vehicle to stop to take up or set down passengers, or otherwise to remain stationary (except in obedience to police signals), between a street island and the nearer kerb; or, in the case of a centrally situated island, between the island and either kerb.

29.—A driver setting down or taking up passengers at any of the undermentioned places shall observe the following rules:—

*Shanghai Club.—Set down* facing South and draw off in the same direction.

*Park* on south end of Bund Vehicle Stand.

*Masonic Club.—Set down* facing North and draw off in the same direction.

*Rank* on north end of Bund Vehicle Stand.

*Take up* facing North and leave in the same direction.

*Race Club Meetings.—Set down* facing West and draw off in the same direction.

*Rank* in Myburgh and Mohawk Roads.

*Take up* facing West and leave in the same direction.

*Town Hall.—Set down* facing West and draw off in the same direction.

*Rank* in Kwangse and Kweichow Roads.

*Take up* facing West and leave in the same direction.

*Lyceum Theatre.—Set down* facing North and draw off in the same direction.

*Rank* in Soochow Road facing Museum Road.

*Take up* facing South and leave in the same direction.

*Victoria Theatre.—Set down* facing East and draw off in the same direction.

*Rank* in Haining Road.

*Take up* facing West and leave in the same direction.

*Apollo Theatre.—Set down* facing North and draw off in the same direction.

*Rank* in Haining Road, moving to east side of North Szechuen Road north of theatre entrance, facing South, after 11.30 p.m.

*Take up* facing South and leave in the same direction.

*Olympic Theatre.—Set down* facing East and draw off in the same direction.

*Rank* in Burkill Road east of Carter Road, facing West.

*Take up* facing East and leave in the same direction.

30.—No driver shall use a horn, bell, or other form of warning signal unnecessarily, or in such a manner as to cause public annoyance.

31.—The following signals are authorized and shall be used by drivers, as required, for the information of other drivers and of police on duty:—

(1) *"I am stopping."*—Extend the right arm vertically upward; or horizontally to the right and move it up and down.

(2) *"I am turning to the right."*—Extend the right arm horizontally to the right.

(3) *"I am turning to the left."*—Extend the right arm horizontally to the right, and wave it towards the left across the body.

(4) *"I am going straight on."*—Extend the arm horizontally forward.

(5) *"Come on," or "Go past."* Extend the right arm horizontally to the right and wave the hand in a forward direction.

(In the case of a motor vehicle having a left hand drive, the corresponding signal must be made with the left arm.)

32.—No person shall stand or sit on or otherwise occupy the footboard of a vehicle in motion on a highway.

33.—No person who is not a passenger in the said vehicle shall hold on to any part of a vehicle in motion on a highway.

34.—No person shall drive a motor vehicle on a highway who is not in possession of a licence from the Council or the French Council to do so. Such licences are issued by the Police of the respective Councils, after examination, to competent persons over the age of seventeen years.

35.—No person shall drive a vehicle on a highway when under the influence of liquor, or when for any reason he is physically or otherwise incompetent to do so.

36.—No vehicle shall be driven on a highway when such vehicle is so constructed, equipped, loaded or enclosed as to be dangerous, to obstruct traffic, to scatter its contents, to unduly damage the road surface, to create undue noise in transit or to prevent the driver from having a sufficient view for safety; or when by reason of inefficient brakes or other mechanical defect it is not under complete and immediate control.

37.—No vehicle, in respect of which an identification number plate (plates) or card is issued by the Council or the French Council, shall be driven on a highway unless such plate (plates) or card of the regulation pattern is affixed thereto as prescribed in the licence conditions.

38.—No vehicle, except skaters, children's perambulators and invalids' chairs shall make use of a footpath, or shall enter or cross a safety zone.

39.—A vehicle driven on or occupying any portion of a highway between the hours of sunset and sunrise shall carry one or more lighted lamps as prescribed in the licence conditions. Provided that no light carried shall cause serious inconvenience or danger to any other user of the highway; that in the case of motor vehicles which carry head lamps only in front a suitable means be provided for reducing the power of the light; that when meeting other motor or horse drawn vehicles, or when using any highway within the area East of Carter Road and West of Muirhead Road, the full power of headlights be suitably reduced; and that all lamps carried be subject to approval by the Council.

40.—A motor vehicle shall carry an instrument capable of giving audible and sufficient warning of its approach, and such instrument shall be subject to the Council's approval. The use of gongs, sirens, whistles or bells on motor vehicles other than those belonging to the Fire Brigade is prohibited.

41.—A vehicle in the service of the Fire Brigade, when proceeding to or from a fire (i.e., with the carillon bell continuously rung) shall always have the right of way. On its approach all other traffic shall immediately draw in to the side of the roadway where it shall stop, clear of crossings and street islands, until the Fire Brigade vehicle has passed.

42.—A vehicle in the service of a municipal department or a repair vehicle of a public service company or an ambulance shall, in an emergency, have the right of way over all other traffic.

43.—No vehicle shall tow more than one other vehicle; and no tow connexion shall exceed a clear length of sixteen feet.

44.—No motor vehicle shall pass another motor vehicle in motion, proceeding in the same direction, in the section of Bubbling Well and Nanking Roads between Mohawk Road and the Bund.

45.—No empty passenger vehicle, or one which is occupied only by a paid driver, shall (except for purposes of crossing) be driven on Nanking Road, east of Thibet Road, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 10 a.m., noon and 2 p.m., and 4 p.m. and 6 p.m.; or on the main Bund Road south of Peking Road.

46.—No motor truck, wagon, hand-cart, wheelbarrow or other freight vehicle, or coolie carrying a load, shall (except for purposes of crossing) use any portion of Bubbling

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Well Road, Nanking Road, or the main Bund road south of Peking Road, unless the immediate destination of such vehicle or coolie can be reached in no other way.

47.—Except on a duly authorized Vehicle Stand, the ranking or parking of vehicles on a highway shall as a rule be permitted to a limited extent and/or for a limited time only; and shall be dependent on the exigencies of traffic.

The Vehicle Stands authorized for rickshas only are indicated by signboards. Those authorized for the ranking or parking of motor or horse drawn vehicles are specified hereunder :—

(1) Bund (Centre) between Avenue Edward VII and Peking Road.
(2) Avenue Edward VII (Centre) between the Bund and Kiangse Road.
(3) Hankow Road (Centre) between Honan Road and Kiangse Road.
(4) Soochow Road (North side) between the Garden Bridge and Chapoo Road Bridge.
(5) Whangpoo Road (South side) East of Astor Road.
(6) Avenue Edward VII (North side) between Yunnan Road and Thibet Road.
(7) Thibet Road (East side) between Nanking Road and Burkill Road.
(8) Thibet Road (East side) between Nanking Road and Kiukiang Road.
(9) Bubbling Well Road (South side) between the main Race Club gate and a point opposite Myburgh Road.

48.—No vehicle shall be ranked or parked for an extended period in Nanking Road between Shantung Road and the Bund. Temporary ranking and parking accommodation in this section is provided for the vehicles of persons visiting business premises, such places are marked by means of white lines on the kerb and no vehicle shall be ranked or parked except where the kerb is so marked. No vehicle shall be ranked or parked on the south side of the above section of Nanking Road between the hours of 11.45 a.m. and 12.30 p.m., Sundays excepted.

49.—No vehicle shall be ranked or parked in Whangpoo Road between Astor Road and the Garden Bridge.

50.—No person shall walk, or drive or cause a vehicle to remain on a highway or section of a highway in contravention of an order made by the Commissioner of Police restricting or prohibiting the use of such highway or section of a highway by pedestrians or vehicles.

For the better regulation of traffic the Commissioner of Police is authorized, in his discretion and as circumstances may require, to restrict or prohibit the passage of pedestrians or vehicles upon any specified highway or section of a highway, either generally, or in a stated direction, or within certain hours; and any such restriction or prohibition shall have the effect of a Traffic Regulation authorized by the Council.

51.—No person shall cause a vehicle to be ranked or parked at any place on a highway after the receipt of notice from a police officer that such ranking or parking is prohibited.

52.—No vehicle when ranked at the side of a roadway shall have its inner wheel or wheels more than 4 inches from the kerb.

53.—The excessive discharge of smoke from the exhaust of a motor vehicle on a highway is prohibited.

54.—The use of an open exhaust or "cut-out" on a motor vehicle on a highway is prohibited.

55.—No person shall drive a horse-drawn wagon or similar heavy vehicle on a highway at a faster pace than a common walk.

56.—No horse, whether attached to a vehicle or not, shall be left on a highway unattended or in such a condition that it is not under complete and immediate control.

57.—A led horse on a highway shall be led by the near rein against the traffic on the right hand side of the roadway facing the direction of travel.

58.—A person leading a horse on a highway between the hours of sunset and sunrise shall carry a lighted lamp.

59.—A person riding a horse or a coolie carrying a load on a highway shall conform generally to traffic regulations regarding vehicles and their drivers.

60.—No horse shall be harnessed or unharnessed on a highway in such a manner as to cause unnecessary obstruction to traffic.

61.—Traffic at the jetties and pontoons on the River and Soochow Creek is under the control of the Police, who have instructions to prevent overcrowding the jetties and overloading the pontoons and otherwise to maintain public access thereto. The landing stage immediately to the north of the Customs pontoon is open exclusively for passenger traffic, while the use of the remainder of the jetties and pontoons between the Soochow Creek and Avenue Edward VII is confined to the landing and shipping of cargo.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 23, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2690.**

**TRAFFIC.**

THE Chapoo Road Bridge will be closed to traffic from Thursday, January 6, for a period of one month during repairs, prior to the reconstruction of the Szechuen Road Bridge.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2786.**

**MOTOR BICYCLES AND PRIVATE, PUBLIC AND TRADE MOTOR CARS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the following amended licence conditions will be enforced from January 1, 1921 :—

MOTOR BICYCLE LICENCE.

1.—That unless with the consent of the Council this licence be not transferable to any other person.

2.—That this licence refers only to the vehicle in respect of which it is issued, which vehicle is described in the application form; and that the corresponding licence number be not used on any other vehicle.

3.—That the licensee and the driver conform to all Traffic Regulations in force for the time being.

4.—That the number of the licence be exhibited in a conspicuous position :—(*a*) in front of the machine, showing to either side, on a number plate having duplicate faces affixed lengthwise to the front mud-guard; and (*b*) at the back of the machine, showing rearwards, on a number plate affixed crosswise to the back mud guard or in other suitable manner. That the figures composing the number be white on a black ground; that they be 1¾ inches high and 5/16 inch broad in all parts, that the width of the space occupied by each figure except the figure 1 be 1¼ inches and that the space between adjoining figures be ¼ inch; that the figures be maintained at all times easily legible, undefaced, and unobscured by any portion of the vehicle or by any object attached thereto.

5.—That between sunset and sunrise the vehicle carry :—

(*a*) a lighted lamp exhibiting a white light towards the front and so maintained at all times as to be clearly visible at a reasonable distance; and
(*b*) a lighted tail lamp exhibiting a red light towards the rear and so placed and maintained at all times as to render every figure of the licence number easily distinguishable at a reasonable distance.

That if a side car be attached to the said vehicle, a lighted lamp exhibiting a white light towards the front so maintained at all times as to be clearly visible at a reasonable distance be affixed thereto in such a manner as to indicate the extreme width of such side car.

6.—That the driver produce this licence and his driver's licence when called upon to do so by the Police.

7.—That the licensee be responsible for any damage caused by the negligence of the driver or other person in charge of the vehicle.

8.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid to any employe of the Council.

9.—That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, the whole or any part of

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the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

PRIVATE MOTOR CAR LICENCE.

1.—That unless with the consent of the Council this licence be not transferable to any other person.

2.—That this licence refers only to the vehicle in respect of which it is issued, which vehicle is described in the application form; and that the corresponding licence number be not used on any other vehicle.

3.—That the licensee and the driver conform to all Traffic Regulations in force for the time being.

4.—That the number of this licence be exhibited in a conspicuous position at the back of the vehicle; that the figures composing the number be white on a black ground; that the figures be 3½ inches high and ⅝ inch broad in all parts, that the width of the space occupied by each figure except the figure 1 be 2½ inches and that the space between adjoining figures be ½ inch; that the figures be maintained at all times easily legible, undefaced, and unobscured by any portion of the vehicle or by any object attached thereto.

5.—That between sunset and sunrise the vehicle carry:—

(a) two lighted lamps, one on each side, exhibiting a white light towards the front and so maintained at all times as to be clearly visible at a reasonable distance; and
(b) a lighted tail lamp exhibiting a red light towards the rear and so placed and maintained at all times as to render every figure of the licence number easily distinguishable at a reasonable distance.

6.—That the driver produce this licence and his driver's licence when called upon to do so by the Police.

7.—That the driver furnish to the Police the earliest information possible regarding any criminally suspicious conduct or movements of any person driven by him.

8.—That the licensee be responsible for any damage caused by the negligence of the driver or other person in charge of the vehicle.

9.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid to any employe of the Council.

10.—That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

PUBLIC MOTOR CAR LICENCE.

1.—That unless with the consent of the Council this licence be not transferable to any other person.

2.—That this licence refers only to the vehicle in respect of which it is issued, which vehicle is described in the application form; and that the corresponding licence number be not used on any other vehicle.

3.—That the licensee and the driver conform to all Traffic Regulations in force for the time being.

4.—That the number of this licence be exhibited in a conspicuous position at the back of the vehicle; that no licence number plate other than that issued by the Council be used, and that the figures thereon be maintained at all times easily legible, undefaced, and unobscured by any portion of the vehicle or by any object attached thereto.

5.—That between sunset and sunrise the vehicle carry:—

(a) two lighted lamps, one on each side, exhibiting a white light towards the front and so maintained at all times as to be clearly visible at a reasonable distance; and
(b) a lighted tail lamp exhibiting a red light towards the rear and so placed and maintained at all times as to render every figure of the licence number easily distinguishable at a reasonable distance.

6.—That the driver produce this licence and his driver's licence when called upon to do so by the Police.

7.—That the driver furnish to the Police the earliest information possible regarding any criminally suspicious conduct or movements of any person driven by him.

8.—That the licensee keep a register wherein shall be entered the name and address of any person hiring the car in respect of which this licence is issued, whether the hirer pays cash or not for the hire, which register shall at all times be open for inspection by the Police.

9.—That the licensee be responsible for any damage caused by the negligence of the driver or other person in charge of the vehicle.

10.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid to any employe of the Council.

11.—That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

TRADE MOTOR CAR LICENCE.

1.—That unless with the consent of the Council this licence be not transferable to any other person or firm.

2.—That the number plate corresponding to this licence may be used on any motor vehicle *bonâ fide* the property of the licensee or temporarily in his charge; provided that in no circumstances shall it be used on a vehicle which is let out for hire or be duplicated for use on two vehicles at the same time.

3.—That the licensee and the driver conform to all Traffic Regulations in force for the time being.

4.—That the number of this licence be exhibited in a conspicuous position at the back of the vehicle; that no licence number plate other than that issued by the Council be used, and that the figures thereon be maintained at all times easily legible, undefaced, and unobscured by any portion of the vehicle or by any object attached thereto.

5.—That between sunset and sunrise the vehicle carry:—

(a) Two lighted lamps, one on each side, exhibiting a white light towards the front and so maintained at all times as to be clearly visible at a reasonable distance; and
(b) A lighted tail lamp exhibiting a red light towards the rear and so placed and maintained at all times as to render every figure of the licence number easily distinguishable at a reasonable distance.

6.—That the driver produce this licence and his driver's licence when called upon to do so by the Police.

7.—That the driver furnish to the Police the earliest information possible regarding any criminally suspicious conduct or movements of any person driven by him.

8.—That the licensee be responsible for any damage caused by the negligence of the driver or other person in charge of the vehicle.

9.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid to any employe of the Council.

10.—That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council, the whole or any part of the money deposited as security be liable to forfeiture at the option of the Council, and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 23, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2787.

### VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.

### JANUARY, 1921.

DURING the month of January, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be as follows:—

| 1st-10th | 11th-20th | 21st-End of month. |
|---|---|---|
| 5.14 | 5.23 | 5.33 |

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 23, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2788.**

**BROTHELS.**

THE following is a list of brothel licences drawn on December 21, 1920, for closure on March 31, 1921.

| No. of Licence | No. of Licence | No. of Licence | No. of Licence | No. of Licence | No. of Licence | No. of Licence | No. of Licence |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 10 | 116 | 196 | 353 | 438 | 578 | 694 | 790 |
| 14 | 121 | 198 | 357 | 439 | 582 | 700 | 799 |
| 23 | 123 | 216 | 359 | 456 | 587 | 710 | 802 |
| 24 | 127 | 218 | 364 | 457 | 589 | 714 | 817 |
| 25 | 140 | 221 | 368 | 458 | 592 | 716 | 821 |
| 34 | 141 | 233 | 370 | 463 | 600 | 718 | 823 |
| 44 | 142 | 235 | 371 | 471 | 601 | 720 | 829 |
| 45 | 144 | 264 | 372 | 475 | 607 | 721 | 833 |
| 49 | 156 | 265 | 377 | 487 | 612 | 726 | 837 |
| 55 | 159 | 273 | 382 | 490 | 628 | 729 | 841 |
| 56 | 161 | 278 | 386 | 502 | 629 | 732 | 844 |
| 61 | 164 | 296 | 390 | 508 | 635 | 740 | 852 |
| 65 | 165 | 301 | 400 | 516 | 646 | 741 | 857 |
| 72 | 173 | 304 | 404 | 523 | 656 | 743 | 859 |
| 78 | 177 | 305 | 414 | 530 | 658 | 757 | 870 |
| 84 | 178 | 321 | 426 | 537 | 659 | 761 | 878 |
| 102 | 179 | 332 | 428 | 543 | 660 | 766 | 883 |
| 103 | 182 | 337 | 432 | 547 | 664 | 767 | 884 |
| 104 | 187 | 340 | 433 | 554 | 665 | 770 | 885 |
| 108 | 189 | 343 | 434 | 558 | 687 | 783 | 897 |
| 113 | 193 | 344 | 435 | 568 | 688 | 785 | |
| 115 | 195 | 345 | 437 | 569 | 692 | 789 | |

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 23, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2779.**

**PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENTS.**

THE Council's attention has been drawn to the fact that certain public entertainments have recently been held without a licence: the attention of the Public is therefore directed to Bye-law XXXIV attached to the Land Regulations which prohibits the holding of any entertainment, to which the public are admitted, without a licence first obtained from the Council.

This regulation includes theatrical performances, concerts, exhibitions, dances, etc.; and the Police have directions to prevent the holding of any such entertainment unless licensed.

To obviate inconvenience application should be made at least five clear days before the entertainment is to be held, upon a form to be obtained on application from the Revenue Office.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 16, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2783.**

**CHINESE WATCHMEN.**

EMPLOYERS of Chinese Watchmen under Police Supervision are notified that, in order to strengthen control and simplify administration, the wages of such watchmen will be paid direct by the Council, who will make a charge of $2 per mensem in respect of each man to cover the cost of the additional supervision. The monthly cost of a watchman will accordingly be $17 for 12 hours, or $14 for 8 hours, duty per diem, for which employers will receive a debit note in due course from the Revenue Office. These modifications of the existing arrangements will take effect from January 1, 1921.

Uniform, if required, is supplied at rates which can be obtained on application to the Assistant Commissioner of Police (Chinese), Gordon Road Police Station (Telephone No. West 882) to whom all enquiries regarding Chinese Watchmen should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 16, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24a Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2784.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL**

**Six per cent. Sterling Loan, 1920. Issue of Debentures to Bearer (with Interest Coupons attached)**

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after Tuesday, December 28, 1920, Bankers' Receipts Nos. 1-123, 125-196, 198-219, 221-236, 238-258, 260-299, 301-320, 323-350, 352-356 (being in respect of subscriptions received prior to September 1, 1920) may be exchanged for Debentures to Bearer, with Interest Coupons attached, at the office of the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, Administration Building, Hankow Road. For their own protection, holders of Bankers' Receipts are advised to attend personally at the above address, or to give a written authority to any person acting as their proxy in the matter.

Interest Coupon No. 1, payable on December 31, 1920, must be lodged with the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 56 Szechuen Road, two clear days before the date of payment. Payment will be made (at the option of the Debenture Holder to be declared in writing at the time of lodgement with the Bank) either by sterling demand draft on London at par, or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative Interest Coupon.

A further notification will be issued in due course as to the exchange of Bankers' Receipts not specified above, and relative to subscriptions received subsequent to August 31, 1920, in respect of which interest does not become payable until June 30, 1921.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 21, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2776.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Municipal Loans will be closed from December 16, to December 31, both days inclusive.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2777.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR CHINESE.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Kindergarten Mistress in the Public School for Chinese. Applicants should be able to teach the usual English subjects. Pay at the rate of Tls. 170 per mensem, or Tls. 189.50 per mensem, for a certificated Mistress.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience in teaching, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the Headmaster, Public School for Chinese, Elgin and Cunningham Roads forthwith.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 9, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2774.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR BOYS.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of temporary Assistant Mistress required for Forms I and II in the Public School for Boys. Pay at the rate of Tls. 170 per mensem; service terminable by one month's notice on either side.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience in teaching, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the undersigned forth with.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 2, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2789.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Kindergarten Mistress in the Public School for Girls. Pay Tls. 189.75 per mensem.

Preference will be given to candidates (if American) who are university graduates, having specialised in Kindergarten work; or to candidates (if British) who possess the Higher Certificate of the National Froebel Union.

Applications should state age, nationality, qualifications, and experience in teaching, etc., and should be forwarded, together with copies of testimonials and certificates, to the undersigned forthwith.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2780.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Saturday and Monday, December 25 and 27, 1920, and on Saturday and Monday, January 1 and 3, 1921.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 16, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2782.**

**HOUSE NUMERATION.**

THE numbering of the houses hereunder specified will be altered on January 1, 1921 as follows :—

| Present Number | | Occupant | New Number | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 144 | Great Western Road | Shai Yue Kee | 144 | Avenue Foch |
| 176 | ,, | Loh Vee Zung Ka | 176 | ,, |
| 306 | ,, | Quin, J. | 306 | ,, |
| 382 | ,, | The Belgian Trading Co. | 382 | ,, |
| 384 | ,, | Heath, P. | 384 | ,, |
| 386 | ,, | Martin, R. M. J. | 386 | ,, |
| 388 | ,, | Sienkevitch, B. C. | 388 | ,, |
| 390 | ,, | Raven, T. B. von | 390 | ,, |
| 392 | ,, | Sayer, [illegible]rton | 392 | ,, |
| 394 | ,, | Dawe, [illegible] J. | 394 | ,, |
| 396 | ,, | Forde, F. H. | 396 | ,, |
| 398 | ,, | Puthod, A. | 398 | ,, |
| 400 | ,, | Taggart, W. P. G. | 400 | ,, |
| 402 | ,, | Katz, J. B. | 402 | ,, |
| 404 | ,, | Botelho, J. H. | 404 | ,, |
| 406 | ,, | Yue Ching | 406 | ,, |
| 414 | ,, | Wong Cho Chen | 414 | ,, |
| 452 | ,, | Holland, G. C. F. | 452 | ,, |
| 502 | ,, | Abraham, D. E. J. | 502 | ,, |
| 504 | ,, | Sprague, W. C. | 504 | ,, |
| 506 | ,, | Fredericks, J. A. | 506 | ,, |
| 508 | ,, | Muller, E. J. | 508 | ,, |
| 510 | ,, | Radcliffe, Miss M. V. | 510 | ,, |
| 1502 | ,, | McColl, D. | 1502 | ,, |
| 1780 | ,, | Jewish Club | 6 | Great Western Road. |
| 1800 | ,, | Blix, C. | 9 | ,, |
| 1803 | ,, | Tichenor, C. R. | 11 | ,, |
| 1998 | ,, | Massey, P. W. | 23 | ,, |
| 2000 | ,, | Anderson, A. L. | 25 | ,, |
| — | ,, | McMeekin, H. W. P. | 43 | ,, |
| — | ,, | Millington, F. C. | 49 | ,, |
| 2017 | ,, | Rowe, E. S. B. | 63 | ,, |
| 2021 | ,, | Worcester, W. G. | 73 | ,, |
| 342 | Siccawei Road | Paturel, C. | 342 | Avenue Haig |
| 346 | ,, | Euren, S. Y. | 346 | ,, |
| 448 | ,, | Sah, C. P. | 448 | ,, |
| 452 | ,, | Raynes, J. A. | 452 | ,, |
| 454 | ,, | Hansen, H. R. | 454 | ,, |
| 556 | ,, | Tibbey, H. M. | 556 | ,, |
| 630 | ,, | Sung Lee Ping | 630 | ,, |
| 636 | ,, | Nie Yuen Foo | 636 | ,, |
| 640 | ,, | Tong, Y. C. | 640 | ,, |
| 642A | ,, | Zar, T. D. | 642A | ,, |
| 644 | ,, | Liang Mong Chow | 644 | ,, |
| 646 | ,, | Li Ming | 646 | ,, |
| 648 | ,, | Chien, Y. M. | 648 | ,, |
| 650 | ,, | Chang Kung Cho | 650 | ,, |
| 658 | ,, | Hykes, Dr. J. R. | 658 | ,, |
| 760 | ,, | Li Hung Chang Temple | 760 | ,, |
| 858 | ,, | Neubourg, P. H. | 858 | ,, |
| 860 | ,, | Tiefenbacher, H. | 860 | ,, |
| 862 | ,, | Nanyang College | 862 | ,, |
| 882 | ,, | The Marist Brothers | 882 | ,, |

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 16, 1920.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2781.

### PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FOREIGN CHILDREN.

THE schools will reopen on Thursday, January 6, at 8.30 a.m., with the exception of the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys which will re-open on Monday, January 10.

The attention of parents is directed to the following scale of monthly fees:—

*Public School for Boys.*

200 North Szechuen Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Boys over 10 years of age | $12 |
| Boys under 10 years of age | 8 |

*Public School for Girls.*

28 Boone Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Girls over 10 years of age | $12 |
| Girls under 10 years of age | 8 |
| Boys under 8 years of age | 8 |
| Kindergarten | 5 |
| Extra subject:— | |
| Piano | 6 |

24 Kungping Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Children under 8 years of age | $8 |
| Kindergarten children | 5 |

88 Avenue Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Girls over 10 years of age | $12 |
| Girls under 10 years of age | 8 |
| Boys under 8 years of age | 8 |
| Kindergarten children | 5 |

Admission to the Avenue Road School is restricted to boys under 8 years of age. Admission to the Kungping Road School is restricted to girls and boys under 8 years of age.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*

63 Haskell Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Boarders | $30 |
| Day Scholars | 9 |

*Thomas Hanbury School for Girls.*

15 Boone Road.

| | |
|---|---|
| Upper School, Boarders | $20 |
| Upper School, Day Scholars | 6 |
| Lower School, Boarders | 18 |
| Lower School, Day Scholars | 5 |

Kindergarten children in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls will be charged the same rates as for the Lower School.

The above scale of fees is subject to the following reductions:—

| For a family of | Public Schools | Thomas Hanbury School for Boys | Thomas Hanbury School for Girls |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2 children | 20% | $1.80 | $1.20 |
| 3 or more children | 33⅓% | 3.00 | 2.00 |

Children of non-resident parents, unless already in attendance at the schools, will not be admitted. The term *non-resident* implies residence in Shanghai of less than six months.

Forms for the admission of new pupils may be obtained on application at the several schools, and should be presented by the new pupils themselves, when attending at the Schools for examination and admission on Thursday, January 6, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., except in the case of the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys for which the day and hour of attendance will be Monday, January 10, at 9 a.m.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, December 16, 1920.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, December 29, 1920, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

*Absent:*

Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

### Municipal Loan 1920.

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on December 28:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 201,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 100,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | 50,000 | | |
| Yangtsze Insurance Association Ld. | 50,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 50,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 35,000 | | |
| Tokwa Boseki Kaisha, Ld. | 34,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 31,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 30,000 | | |
| E. H. Dunning | 28,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 25,000 | 50,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 17,000 | | |
| Shanghai Silk Spinning Co., Ld. | 16,300 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 12,000 | 24,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 11,000 | 22,000 | | |
| Mrs. M. S. Crow | 10,000 | | |
| Four Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 40,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 1,104,300 | |
| 371 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 591,100 | |
| 404 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 1,695,400 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 43 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 66,200 | |
| 45 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 89,200 |
| | | | Total Tls. 1,784,600 |

E. F. GOODALE,

*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

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## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25.

*Police Force.*—Probationary Assistant Warder J. Hardy is dismissed the Force from December 16.

Constable A. E. Worwood is transferred to be Assistant Warder on probation from December 21.

*Public Band.*—Mr. L. Oftchinikoff is appointed temporarily as Musician from November 27.

*Educational Department.*—Mr. G. M. Hope is appointed temporarily as Assistant Master in the Public School for Chinese from December 10.

## Public Band.

On Sunday next, January 2, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.

SEVENTH CONCERT.

"Weber—Wagner—Berlioz—Liszt."

1.—Overture "Preciosa" Weber

2.—Two Fragments from "Siegfried"

(a) "Life in the Forest"

(b) Siegfried's Song

"Forging of the Sword" Wagner

3.—(a) "Love Scene" from "Romeo and Juliette"

(b) "Hungarian March" from "The Damnation of Faust" Berlioz

4.—Symphonic Poem "Les Préludes" Liszt

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, December 26, 1920. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 24,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 780,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 3 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 19 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 128 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 41A | Kiukiang | C. Luthy | | | b'ock offices |
| 733 207 | Off Range Sing Dong Ka Loong | Chun Wei Ping P. Y. Tsauh | 1 | | addns. watchman's lodges, servant's quarters & boundary wall |
| 2255 6015 | Off Baikal Off Kwangsin | Dong Chi Kee Y. Ohara | 1 | | godown |
| 6054 | Off Yangtszepoo | Municipal Electricity Department | | | shed |
| Unreg. N of 5201 | Macao | Naigai Wata Kaisha | | | watchman's lodge, latrines & boundary wall |
| 4390 | Off West Soochow | " | | | blacksmiths shop & 2 sheds |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 531 & 532 | Hoopeh | Chang Yuen Shun | 2 | | |
| 207 | Sing Dong Ka Loong | P. Y. Tsauh | | 4 | |
| 94 | Tsepoo | Lan Zoong Foong | | 1 | |
| Unreg. N of 7491 | Pingliang | Chow Tsen Hsing | 13 | | |
| 5775 | Ward | Tsao Zen Kee | 45 | | |
| 6837 & 6838 | Yangtszepoo | Zah Sue Kee | 24 | | 2 gatehouses |
| Unreg. N of 5201 | Macao | Naigai Wata Kaisha | 9 | | |
| 584 | Sinza | Ti Loong Kung Sze | 6 | | gatehouse |

## Fire Brigade Report for November.

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 42, as against 21 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 20,875 (Foreign Tls. 4,400: Chinese Tls. 16,475), as against Tls. 16,150 (Foreign Tls. 12,000: Chinese Tls. 4,150) during November 1919. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 918,500 (Foreign Tls. 252,500: Chinese Tls. 666,000) as against Tls. 506,700 (Foreign Tls. 146,700: Chinese Tls. 360,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 26, Watch Towers 15, Messenger 1. The District call was given on 8 occasions, the remaining 34 being Station calls. These calls proved to be 30 small fires, 2 chimney fires, 3 false alarms, and 7 fires outside the Settlement.

The principal supposed cau fires within the Settlement a follows:—Dropped match or rette end, lamp upset, overh machinery, fire crackers, spar embers from stoves, fusin electric wires.

Of these 3 buildings were troyed, and 21 others were mo less damaged by fire, smoke water.

There was an exceptional nu of calls during the month, b is pleasing to be able to report the losses were very low. one or two instances there grave suspicion as to the cau the fire. The worst loss durin month was:—

*November 15, 4.14 a.m., H. 2 Hoopeh Road.*—A Disper was in flames, as were upper floors of Nos: H 290/1. entral Division, however, con the damage to these two build but only after a difficult task about 20 minutes.

*November 16, 2.44 a.m. LH off Baikal Road.*—When the H kew Division arrived a dwel house used for the storage of ton was found to be in fla The upper floors were already much overloaded, and alth water was sparingly used, walls collapsed without warn burying nine men of the Divi The men were extricated great difficulty with the assist of the Police on duty and a spectators, whose kindly aid much appreciated by the Dep ment. Three men were so severel jured and burnt, that they detained in Hospital, Fire Jackson being the most b burnt. All are progressing fav ably, except Chinese Fireman 41, whose right leg had to amputated. The other six were taken to Hospital and there treated, but not detained.

*November 25, 2.26 p.m., S. 219 Fearon Road.*—A ginning mill in flames, and the fire had through to an egg factory. greatest care had to be exercise this fire, as the premises, conve Chinese dwellings, were so o loaded that they were in a stat collapse. Exceptional measu were taken, firemen being tailed to shore up the floors, an large quantity of the heavier n chandize being removed to ground floor, whilst the fire wa progress.

The last two fires again illust the absolute necessity of prev ing buildings, constructed dwellings, being converted i industrial buildings, especially congested blocks.

As usual, valuable assistance rendered to the Chapei Brigade several occasions.

M. W. PET
*Chief Offi*

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RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call | | Alarm given | Locality | District | | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire | | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Time of | How received | | | Municipal | Fire | | | Hours | Minutes | |
| Nov. 2 | 3.22 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | Station | Woosung-Quinsan Roads | Northern | 2 | | | | 20 | False alarm |
| 3 | 12.16 a.m. | Telephone | District | L54 Canton Road | Central | 4 | Chinese Shop | 1 damaged | 15 | | |
| 3 | 4.56 a.m. | ,, | Station | Z215 Miller Rd. | Northern | 2 | Chinese Dwelling | ,, | 8 | | |
| 3 | 3.17 p.m. | ,, | ,, | East Yalu Road | Eastern | 1 | Open Space | | | 25 | |
| 4 | 9.11 a.m. | ,, | ,, | Thibet Road | Western | 7 | Gas Works | 1 damaged | 9 | | |
| 4 | 11.18 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | District | Chapei | Outside | | | | 3 | | |
| 4 | 4.42 p.m. | Telephone | Station | P253 N. Honan Road | Northern | 8 | Chinese Shop | | | 30 | One boy injured |
| 5 | 3.49 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | N. Szechuen Rd. Extension | Outside | | | | 1 | 10 | |
| 6 | 4.01 p.m. | Central Tower | ,, | French Concession | ,, | | | | 1 | 5 | |
| 8 | 12.17 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | 9 Bubbling Well Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | | 1 | | |
| 8 | 7.10 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Sinza Road | ,, | 7 | | | | 20 | Tramcar |
| 9 | 7.28 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | Yuhang and Miller Roads | Northern | 2 | | | | 20 | False alarm |
| 9 | 8.08 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | Yangtszepoo Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Hut | 1 damaged | 1 | | |
| 10 | 5.40 p.m. | ,, | District | N. Honan Road Extension | Outside | | | | | 35 | |
| 10 | 7.46 p.m. | ,, | Station | JA119 off Singkeipang Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 15 | |
| 15 | 4.14 a.m. | Central Tower | District | H292/3 Hoopeh Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Dispensary | 2 damaged | 25 | | |
| 15 | 10.04 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | Ichang Road | Western | 7 | Matshed | 1 destroyed | 1 | | Contractor's yard |
| 16 | 2.44 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | LH1510 off Baikal Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Godown | 1 destroyed 2 damaged | 139 | | |
| 16 | 12.58 p.m. | Telephone | Station | C253 Honan Road | Central | 3 | Chinese Shop | | | 25 | |
| 16 | 2.44 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | J2656/7 A East Seward Road | Eastern | 1 | ,, | 3 damaged | 27 | | |
| 17 | 2.42 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | G694/5 Fokien Road | Central | 5 | ,, | | | 15 | |
| 17 | 4.20 a.m. | ,, | ,, | I666 Chekiang Road | ,, | 5 | Chinese Hotel | | 8 | | |
| 17 | 6.28 p.m. | Central Tower | ,, | Wing On Nanking Road | ,, | 5 | General Store | | | 10 | Chimney |
| 17 | 8.10 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | RC125 Hailar Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Yard | | | 35 | |
| 18 | 2.21 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | E265/6 Shanse Road | Central | 4 | Chinese General Store | | 10 | | |
| 18 | 6.00 p.m. | Messenger | ,, | C1066 off Woosung Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 10 | |
| 19 | 11.00 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | N. Szechuen Rd. Extension | Outside | | | | 2 | | |
| 19 | 12.30 p.m. | ,, | ,, | N. Szechuen Rd. Extension | ,, | | | | | 15 | |
| 20 | 12.00 noon | ,, | ,, | J510 Taku Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | 6 damaged | 21 | | |
| 20 | 3.22 p.m. | ,, | ,, | 61 Carter Road | ,, | 7 | Foreign Residence | | | 15 | Chimney |
| 20 | 9.40 p.m. | ,, | ,, | 4 Ichang Road | ,, | 7 | Flour Mill | | | 50 | |
| 21 | 9.52 a.m. | ,, | ,, | RB 233/4 Urga Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Factory | | | 20 | |
| 21 | 9.35 p.m. | Sinza Tower | District | Mokanshan Rd | Western | 7 | | | 5 | | 70 huts on unassessed property |
| 22 | 9.35 p.m. | Telephone | Station | LD 486 Wayside Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shop | | | 15 | |
| 23 | 12.16 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | BB 378 off Market Street | ,, | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | | 1 | 10 | |
| 23 | 8.39 p.m. | Telephone | Station | B18 Nanking Road | Central | 4 | Japanese Shop | | | 10 | |
| 25 | 12.09 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | N. Szechuen Rd. Extension | Outside | | | | | 25 | |
| 25 | 2.26 p.m. | ,, | District | S219 Fearon Rd. | Northern | 2 | Japanese Factory | 1 destroyed 4 damaged | 51 | | |
| 26 | 5.39 a.m. | Telephone | Station | 29 Medhurst Rd. | Western | 7 | Foreign Residence | | | 50 | |
| 27 | 5.30 p.m. | ,, | ,, | S219 Fearon Rd | Northern | 2 | Japanese Factory | | 184 | | |
| 28 | 12.25 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | Station | Kashing-Woosung Roads | ,, | 2 | | | | 15 | False alarm |
| 28 | 6.49 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | JJ330 Chaoufoong Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shop | | | 15 | |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 凡有承攬各項本局自有採辦之權

二 所有承攬本局自有採辦之權

三 人鄉行未定估定本辦理之價必准攬承辦目錄價目表

四 所有承攬各人之信及報價承攬人之照辦理的寬不承認辦本局付人自寄

五 本局有以後承攬人之合人局亦有權利

六 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

本局必取登記之後其該款承攬本辦如是權利

明所收入本說明清單公若干

後仍將該款一律退還

所有款錢之後將該款錢得在此期內

部面寫其承攬信項工安封物固必須知之

二部面寫明承攬信項工安封物固必須知之

信送時辦送至江西路二十四號

送時辦送至江西路二十四號

送來之前辦理以須在定期日上午十工

來之前辦理以須在定期日上午十工

最前以此次概況或交挂號

前以此次概況或交挂號

番以此次概況或交挂號

用此信章費

清單

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 595 | Steel Bars and Wire required for Concreteward Yard<br>$\frac{5}{16}$ inch round 25 tons<br>$\frac{3}{8}$ ,, ,, 8 ,,<br>$\frac{3}{4}$ ,, square 10 ,,<br>No. 22 gauge wire 3 ,, | — | December 31, Noon |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### POLICE FORCE

Tender No. 168

Supply of Firewood, 40,000 to 50,000-lbs. per mensem during 1921

| | |
|---|---|
| Lo Jang Hsing & Co. | $1.00 per 120-lbs. |
| *Ha Zing | 1.00 ,, 130 ,, |
| Ning Tai & Co. | 1.00 ,, 130 ,, |

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Annual Contracts for the year ending December 31, 1921

575 *Dunlop Rubber Co. (Far East), Ld.
Supply of Motor Truck Solid Tyres. Prices as per schedule.
Also tendered :—
Auto Palace Co.

576 *Auto Palace Co.
Supply of Motor Car Tyres. Prices as per schedule.
Also tendered :—
Dunlop Rubber Co. (Far East), Ld.

577 *W. Z. Zee & Sons
Supply of Stores at P.W.D. Workshops. Prices as per schedule.
Other tenderers are :—
Yut Sae Chang & Co.
Ching Chong & Co.
Shun Kee & Co.

578 *Tai Chong Iron Foundry

| | Tls. per 100 lbs. |
|---|---|
| Iron Manhole and Gully covers | 4.00 |
| Standards for railings | 4.00 |
| Pavement tubes | 4.40 |
| Machine Shop castings (Iron) | 4.80 |
| Machine Shop castings (Brass) | 42.00 |

579 *Asiatic Petroleum Co. (North China), Ld.

| | $ per 10 gallons |
|---|---|
| Petroleum, 1st Quality | †6.30 |
| ,, 2nd ,, | †5.25 |
| ,, for marine motors | †5.04 |
| ,, Mixture | †4.12 |

†Retail price current on date of delivery less 5%.

| | $ per Am. gallon |
|---|---|
| Petrol, 1st Quality | ‡0.80 |
| ,, 2nd ,, | ‡0.75 |

‡Retail price current on date of delivery less 10 dollar cents per American Gallon.

| | Tls. per Imp. gallon |
|---|---|
| *Vacuum Oil Co. | |
| Medium Engine Oil | 0.69 |
| Heavy Cylinder Oil | 1.05 |
| Special Oil for Stone Crushers | 0.48 |
| Light Machine Oil | 0.66 |

| | Tls. per 10 gallons |
|---|---|
| Light Motor Engine Oil (in tins) | 15.90 |

| | Tls. per gallon |
|---|---|
| Light Motor Engine Oil (in barrels) | 1.24 |

| | Tls. per Imp. gallon |
|---|---|
| Marine Motor Engine Oil (in tins) | 1.33 |
| Marine Motor Engine Oil (in barrels) | 1.38 |

| | Tls. per lb. |
|---|---|
| Greases for motor cars | 0.128 |
| ,, ,, engines | 0.08 |
| ,, ,, cart axles | 0.076 |

| | Tls. per Imp. gallon |
|---|---|
| Harness Oil | 0.84 |

*Dodwell & Co., Ld.

| | Tls. per Imp. gallon |
|---|---|
| Light Motor Engine Oil (in tins) | 1.00 |
| Medium ,, ,, ,, ( ,, ) | 1.35 |
| Heavy ,, ,, ,, ( ,, ) | 1.40 |
| Light ,, ,, Oil (in barrels) | 1.00 |
| Medium ,, ,, ,, ( ,, ) | 1.35 |
| Heavy ,, ,, ,, ( ,, ) | 1.40 |

Other tenderers are :—
Arnhold Bros. Ld.
The Texas Co.

580 *Sun Nee Coal Co.

| | Tls. per ton |
|---|---|
| Japanese Unscreened Coal for delivery at Quarry | 8.95 |
| Ditto for delivery in Settlement | 8.50 |
| Kaiping Dust Coal for Workshops | 9.45 |
| No. 1 House Coal | 16.00 |
| Best Kitchen | 13.80 |
| No. 2 ,, ,, | 12.90 |

| | per picul |
|---|---|
| Charcoal | 2.50 |
| Firewood | 1.00 |

*Y. S. Kumsoo

| | per ton |
|---|---|
| Japanese Coke | 11.00 |

*Fuchung Corporation

| | |
|---|---|
| Screened Anthracite | 15.00 |

* Accepted

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## TENDERS RECEIVED *(contd.)*

Other tenderers are :—

King Tai Sing
Hiou Tack Coal Yard
Old Yung Kee
Hopkins, Dunn & Co., Ld.
Sze Fong Coke Co.
Zung Kee Coal Co.

581 *Yung Shing Co. per 1,000 Tls

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Blue bricks 10-in. by 5-in. by 1¾-in. | | 6.40 |
| ,, ,, 6 ,, ,, 3 ,, ,, 1½ ,, | | 2.80 |
| Red ,, 10 ,, ,, 5 ,, ,, 2 ,, | | 7.20 |
| Roof tiles 7 ,, ,, 7 ,, ,, ½ ,, | | 3.00 |
| Colouring powder | per 100-lb. | 3 30 |
| Lime | ,, | 0.70 |
| Paper | ,, | 0.65 |
| Glue in sheets | ,, | 8.80 |
| Ningpo sand, coarse | per fong | 4.70 |
| ,, fine | ,, | 5.80 |
| Decomposed sand | ,, | 6.50 |
| Limestone chips | ,, | 5.50 |
| Soochow granite, 2-in. broken | ,, | 6.00 |
| ,, granite chips | ,, | 6.70 |
| ,, granite spalls | ,, | 6.80 |
| Setts | per 1,000 | 6.00 |
| Kerb | per lineal foot | 0.22 |
| Channel | ,, | 0.22 |
| Broken bricks | per fong | 3.00 |
| Ningpo gravel | ,, | 6.50 |

Other tenderers are :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Dau Shing Kee | Tsong Chun Lai |
| Wong Chung Zi | Wong Chun Kee |
| Sung Kee | Lih Shing Co. |
| Pao San Stone Ld. | Siang Kee |
| | Zar Zun Kee |
| Sung Yun Kee & Co. | Chang Kee Dong |
| | Tung Chow Ta Yuen Co. |
| Pou An Transporting Co. | Yung Kee |

582 *Yung Kee Tls.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bamboo Brooms | (1) per 100 | 3.63 |
| ,, | (2) ,, | 3.49 |
| ,, | (3) ,, | 6.20 |
| ,, | (4) ,, | 1.80 |
| Bamboo Baskets | (1) ,, | 39.80 |
| ,, | (2) ,, | 6.70 |
| ,, | (3) ,, | 2.20 |
| Bamboo Spouts for Watering Buckets | per 100 | 1.40 |
| Bamboo Scrapers | ,, | 1.80 |
| ,, Riddles, ⅛-in. gauge | ,, | 14.70 |
| Straw Brushes | ,, | 0.15 |
| Rope | per lb. | 0.069 |
| Split carrying Bamboos | each | 0.035 |
| Round ,, | ,, | 0.078 |
| Bamboo gully scoop handles | ,, | 0.087 |
| Long Split Bamboos | ,, | 0.028 |
| Reed mats, double | ,, | 0.08 |
| ,, single | ,, | 0.04 |
| Gully bucket handles | ,, | 0.03 |
| Rake handles | ,, | 0.035 |
| Bamboo fencing | (a) per chang | 1.90 |
| ,, | (b) ,, | 1.10 |
| ,, | (c) ,, | 3.45 |
| ,, | (d) ,, | 0.65 |
| ,, | (e) ,, | 1.15 |

Other tenderers are :—

Ziang Kee
Koo Yao Kee

583 *Kwang Tai & Co. Tls.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Foochow Poles | 9-ft. by 3-in. | 0.15 |
| ,, | 9 ,, ,, 4 ,, | 0.26 |
| ,, | 9 ,, ,, 5 ,, | 0.40 |
| ,, | 10 ,, ,, 3 ,, | 0.26 |
| ,, | 10 ,, ,, 4 ,, | 0 35 |
| ,, | 10 ,, ,, 5 ,, | 0.46 |
| ,, | 10 ,, ,, 6 ,, | 0.60 |
| ,, | 11 ,, ,, 3 ,, | 0.28 |
| ,, | 11 ,, ,, 4 ,, | 0.35 |
| ,, | 11 ,, ,, 5 ,, | 0.46 |
| ,, | 11 ,, ,, 6 ,, | 0 60 |
| ,, | 12 ,, ,, 3 ,, | 0.40 |
| ,, | 12 ,, ,, 4 ,, | 0.50 |
| ,, | 12 ,, ,, 5 ,, | 0.60 |
| ,, | 12 ,, ,, 6 ,, | 0.85 |
| ,, | 13 ,, ,, 3 ,, | 0.35 |
| ,, | 13 ,, ,, 4 ,, | 0.45 |
| ,, | 13 ,, ,, 5 ,, | 0.60 |
| ,, | 13 ,, ,, 6 ,, | 0.80 |
| ,, | 14 ,, ,, 3 ,, | 0.35 |
| ,, | 14 ,, ,, 4 ,, | 0.50 |
| Foochow Poles | 14-ft. by 5-in. | 0.65 |
| ,, | 14 ,, ,, 6 ,, | 1.00 |
| ,, | 14 ,, ,, 7 ,, | 1.40 |
| ,, | 15 ,, ,, 4 ,, | 0.65 |
| ,, | 15 ,, ,, 5 ,, | 0.85 |
| ,, | 15 ,, ,, 6 ,, | 1.20 |
| ,, | 15 ,, ,, 7 ,, | 1.60 |
| ,, | 15 ,, ,, 8 ,, | 2.40 |
| ,, | 16 ,, ,, 5 ,, | 0.90 |
| ,, | 16 ,, ,, 6 ,, | 1.30 |
| ,, | 16 ,, ,, 7 ,, | 1.70 |
| ,, | 16 ,, ,, 8 ,, | 2.50 |
| ,, | 16 ,, ,, 9 ,, | 3.40 |
| ,, | 16 ,, ,, 10 ,, | 4.60 |
| ,, | 16 ,, ,, 11 ,, | 6.50 |
| ,, | 16 ,, ,, 12 ,, | 7.50 |
| ,, | 17 ,, ,, 6 ,, | 1.70 |
| ,, | 17 ,, ,, 7 ,, | 2.40 |
| ,, | 17 ,, ,, 8 ,, | 3.30 |
| ,, | 17 ,, ,, 9 ,, | 4.30 |
| ,, | 17 ,, ,, 10 ,, | 6.30 |
| ,, | 17 ,, ,, 11 ,, | 8.00 |
| ,, | 17 ,, ,, 12 ,, | 9.00 |
| ,, | 20 ,, ,, 7 ,, | 3.50 |
| ,, | 20 ,, ,, 8 ,, | 4.50 |
| ,, | 20 ,, ,, 9 ,, | 5.50 |
| ,, | 20 ,, ,, 10 ,, | 7.50 |
| ,, | 20 ,, ,, 11 ,, | 11.50 |
| ,, | 20 ,, ,, 12 ,, | 15.00 |
| ,, | 25 ,, ,, 7 ,, | 3.50 |
| ,, | 25 ,, ,, 9 ,, | 6.00 |
| ,, | 30 ,, ,, 7 ,, | 4.50 |
| ,, | 30 ,, ,, 9 ,, | 7.00 |
| ,, | 30 ,, ,, 11 ,, | 17.00 |
| ,, | 35 ,, ,, 8 ,, | 7.00 |
| ,, | 35 ,, ,, 10 ,, | 16.00 |
| ,, | 40 ,, ,, 8 ,, | 10.00 |
| ,, | 40 ,, ,, 10 ,, | 20.00 |

Other tenderers are :—

Jardine, Matheson & Co. Ld.
China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ld.
Nee Kee
Yung Kee

584 *Yung Kee

| Turf delivered at— | | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Public Gardens, Soochow Road and Bund foreshores and Jessfield Park | per fong | 0.69 |
| Central District | ,, | 0.75 |
| Northern ,, | ,, | 0.75 |
| Eastern ,, | ,, | 0.75 |
| Western ,, | ,, | 0.75 |

Other tenderers are :—

Tai Shing Co. Nee Kee
Yao King Kee

585 *Loh Tuh Kwang

Flower pots per 100 Tls. 1.15 to 16.00

Also tendered :—

Lee Zung Shing

586 Various Hardwoods
*Shun Tah Lumber Co.

| per 1,000 sup. ft. | | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Selangan Batu planks to 20-ft. | | 77.00 |
| ,, ,, logs | ,, 20 ,, | 90.00 |
| Balow planks | ,, 20 ,, | 77.00 |
| ,, logs | ,, 20 ,, | 90.00 |
| Singapore redwood (16-ft. p'anks) 8-in. by 1-in. | | 54.50 |
| ,, 8 ,, ,, 1¼ ,, | | 54.50 |
| ,, 8 ,, ,, 2 ,, | | 54.50 |
| ,, 8 ,, ,, 3 ,, | | 54.50 |
| ,, 8 ,, ,, 4 ,, | | 54.50 |
| Japanese pine, 6½-ft. by ¾-in. | | 50.00 |
| ,, 6½ ,, ,, ½ ,, | | 50.00 |
| ,, 6½ ,, ,, 1 ,, | | 50.00 |
| ,, 7½ ,, ,, ½ ,, | | 50.00 |
| ,, 7½ ,, ,, 1 ,, | | 50.00 |
| ,, 8 ,, ,, 1 ,, | | 50.00 |
| Japanese fir planks 4-in. by 12-in. up to 30-ft. | | 50.00 |
| Teak | | 225.00 |
| Chinese Oak planks from 7-ft. | | 135.00 |
| Felloes (a) each | | 1.00 |
| (b) ,, | | 0.95 |
| (c) ,, | | 0.42 |
| Spokes (a) ,, | | 0.25 |
| (b) ,, | | 0.30 |
| (c) ,, | | 0.10 |
| Shafts (a) ,, | | 6.50 |
| ,, (b) ,, | | 1.50 |

Other tenderers are:—

Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld.
Kwang Tai & Co.

587 *China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ld.

| Oregon Pine | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Planks to 24-ft. per 1,000 sup. ft. | 50.00 |
| ,, ,, 40 ,, ,, ,, | 53.00 |
| Birdsmouthing, per lineal foot | 0.01 |
| Logs to 40-ft. per 1,000 sup. ft. | 50.00 |
| ,, ,, 50 ,, ,, ,, | 55.00 |
| Floor boarding, 6-in. by 1-in. | 65.00 |
| ,, ,, 6 ,, ,, 1¼ ,, | 68.00 |
| Ceiling laths, per 1,000 | 7.00 |

Others tenderers are:—

Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld.
Kwang Tai & Co.
Shun Tah Lumber Co.
Shun Kee & Co.

588 *Yung Kee

Raising Land and Roads

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Northern District | Tls. 1.18 | per fong |
| Eastern ,, | 1.20 | ,, |
| Western ,, | 1.05 | ,, |
| Garden Soil ,, | 1.28 | ,, |

Other tenderers are :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Wong Yong Kee | Nee Kee |
| Koo Yao Kee | Wong Chong Zi |
| Sung Soong Kee | Sung Kee |
| Yee Yong Chong | Ching Kee |
| Dau Shing Kee | Y. T. Chu |

589 *Sze Shung Kee

| | |
|---|---|
| Barging road sweepings | per boat per mensem Tls. 13.60 |
| Barging other materials | per fong Tls. 1.30 |

Other tenderers are :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Wong Soy Kee | Dau Shing Kee |
| Song Kee | Sung Soong Kee |
| Ching Kee | Zee Yong Chong |
| Wong Chung Zi | Sung Kee |

590 *Lih Shing & Co.

| | |
|---|---|
| Transport of Materials from the Quarry at Pingchiao | per fong Tls. 4.50 |

Other tenderers are:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Wang Chun Kee | Wong Chung Zi |
| Chang Kee Dong | Z. Kee |
| Tungchow Ta Yuen Co. | Tsong Chun Lai |
| | Sung Yun Kee & Co. |
| Tai Kee | Fung Yuen |
| G. N. Marshall & Co. Ld. | Pou An Transporting Co. |
| Zah Zung Kee | Pao-san Stone Co., Ld. |
| Sang Kee | |

592 *Van Zung Kee

Construction of Private drains

| | | Under Roads Tls. per foot | Under Tramways Tls. per foot | Private Properties Tls. per foot |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Concrete drains | 12-in. | 0.90 | 0.95 | 0.60 |
| | | 0.95 | 0.97 | 0.65 |
| ,, | 9-in. | 0.85 | 0.90 | 0.50 |
| | | 0.90 | 0.95 | 0.55 |
| ,, | 6-in. | 0.65 | 0.70 | 0.40 |
| | | 0.70 | 0.75 | 0.45 |
| ,, | 4-in. | 0.50 | 0.55 | 0.35 |
| | | 0.55 | 0.60 | 0.36 |
| Bends K | 6-in. | 0.70 | 0.70 | 0.60 |
| | 4-in. | 0.50 | 0.50 | 0.45 |
| Junctions 12 by | 6-in. | 1.30 | 1.30 | 1.20 |
| ,, 12 by | 4-in. | 1.20 | 1.20 | 1.10 |
| ,, 9 by | 6-in. | 1.10 | 1.10 | 1.00 |
| ,, 9 by | 4-in. | 1.00 | 1.00 | 0.95 |
| ,, 6 by | 4-in. | 0.90 | 0.90 | 0.90 |
| ,, 4 by | 4-in. | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 |
| Yard Gullies | 4-in. | 1.30 | 1.30 | 1.30 |
| ,, | 6-in. | 2.50 | 2.50 | 2.50 |
| Brick manholes | | 9.00 | 9.00 | 9.00 |

Also tendered:—

Sung Yong Kee

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2702.**

**7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920.**

**Price of Issue Until Further Notice 92½ Per Cent.**

UNDER the authority of Resolution VII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2784.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL**

**Six per cent. Sterling Loan, 1920.**

**Issue of Debentures to Bearer (with Interest Coupons attached)**

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after Tuesday, December 28, 1920, Bankers' Receipts Nos. 1-123, 125-196, 198-219, 221-236, 238-258, 260-299, 301-320, 323-350, 352-356 (being in respect of subscriptions received prior to September 1, 1920) may be exchanged for Debentures to Bearer, with Interest Coupons attached, at the office of the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, Administration Building, Hankow Road. For their own protection, holders of Bankers' Receipts are advised to attend personally at the above address, or to give a written authority to any person acting as their proxy in the matter.

Interest Coupon No. 1, payable on December 31, 1920, must be lodged with the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 56 Szechuen Road, two clear days before the date of payment. Payment will be made (at the option of the Debenture Holder to be declared in writing at the time of lodgement with the Bank) either by sterling demand draft on London at par, or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative Interest Coupon.

A further notification will be issued in due course as to the exchange of Bankers' Receipts not specified above, and relative to subscriptions received subsequent to August 31, 1920, in respect of which interest does not become payable until June 30, 1921.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 21, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2690.**

**TRAFFIC.**

THE Chapoo Road Bridge will be closed to traffic from Thursday, January 6, for a period of one month during repairs, prior to the reconstruction of the Szechuen Road Bridge.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 30, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2787.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

**JANUARY, 1921.**

DURING the month of January, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be as follows:—

| 1st-10th | 11th-20th | 21st-end of month. |
|---|---|---|
| 5.14 | 5.23 | 5.33 |

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 23, 1920.

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AT the meeting of a Sub-Committee of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Sunday, December 19, 1920, at 5.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. G. Humphreys
A. C. Hynes

The meeting adjourned at 7.45 p.m.

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AT the meeting of a Sub-Committee of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Wednesday, December 29, 1920, at 5.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. G. Humphreys
A. C. Hynes

The meeting adjourned at 7.30 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Library Committee held on Thursday, December 30, 1920, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Rev. Dr. D. MacGillivray (*Chairman*)
Mr. R. N. Macleod
Rev. C. J. F. Symons

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.

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AT the meeting of a Sub-Committee of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Monday, January 3, 1921, at 5.30 pm., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
A. C. Hynes
F. C. Butcher

The meeting adjourned at 7.25 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Chinese Educational Committee held on Tuesday, January 4, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Rev. Dr. D. MacGillivray (*Chairman*)
Messrs. M. Benjamin
C. F. Garstin

*Absent:*

Mr. Y. C. Tong

The meeting adjourned at 6.05 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, January 5, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

*Absent:*

Mr. H. H. Girardet

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

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### Electricity Committee.

The resignation of Mr. C. G. S. Mackie of his seat on the above Committee has been accepted with regret.

### Police Force.

*Foreign Branch Quarters.*—The leases from Messrs. Lester, Johnson and Morriss of Nos. 7 and 12 Avenue Road have been renewed for a further period of three years terminating on January 14, 1924 and December 31, 1923, respectively.

### Educational Department.

Mr. H. O. White's Bursary for the year ending December 31, 1920, has been awarded to Victor F. Viccajee, as being the best all-round pupil in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.

### Ricsha Shelters.

*Bubbling Well Carriage Turn.*—After consideration of reports by the Commissioner of Police and the Commissioner of Public Works it has been decided to erect two ricsha shelters, one in Bubbling Well Road immediately south of St. George's Farm and one in Yuyuen Road immediately north of St. George's Farm.

### Advertising Kiosks.

Letter from Messrs. Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. on the above subject, with Council's reply:—

Shanghai, December 7, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—On behalf of a client we beg to apply to the Council for permission to erect 120 advertising kiosks at certain points in the principal streets of the Settlement, as shown on the enclosed plan, which would of course be modified to suit the Council's views and in no case would any Kiosks be erected in front of doorways or entrances. The Kiosks would be built of reinforced concrete in two sizes, 2-ft. 6-in. and 3-ft. 6-in. across the base, and 11 feet high above the footpath. They will be made hollow and erected in one or two pieces, all work to be done at night so as not to interfere with the traffic.

As you are no doubt aware these kiosks are very popular on the Continent and have not been found to be any obstruction to traffic.

An annual fee would be paid for the privilege of erecting these kiosks on the side walk and after a period of ten years the kiosks to become the property of the Council, who might then lease them for advertising or utilize them for some other purpose.

During the first ten years the Council to have the sole right to use the interior of the kiosks for any purpose they thought fit and no doubt arrangements might be made with the Chinese Post Office to use many of them for letter boxes.

The structures would be designed to have a pleasing appearance, the plan of course being subject to the Council's approval.

During the first ten years, the income the Council will derive from the kiosks may not seem large, but it should be recollected that after ten years, when the kiosks belong to the Council, a substantial amount would be derived by the Council leasing them out.

Although these kiosks may be considered an innovation in the Settlement, and prejudice may be aroused thereby, we trust the matter may be considered impartially, as a step to bring Shanghai in line with Western cities.

Yours faithfully,

ATKINSON & DALLAS, LD.

CHAS. H. GODFREY, Esq.,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 29, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of December 7, containing certain proposals that a number of Kiosks be erected in the streets for advertising purposes.

In reply thereto, I am directed to inform you that after having given this matter careful consideration the Council is averse thereto.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,

E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

MESSRS. ATKINSON & DALLAS, LD.

### Municipal Loan 1920.

#### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on January 4, 1921:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs Tls. | 201,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 100,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | 50,000 | | |
| Yangtsze Insurance Association Ld. | 50,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 50,000 | 100,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 35,000 | | |
| Tokwa Boseki Kaisha, Ld. | 34,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 31,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 30,000 | | |
| E. H. Dunning | 28,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co , Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The Canton Insurance Office, Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 17,000 | | |
| Shanghai Silk Spinning Co., Ld. | 16,300 | | |
| One Investor of | 15,000 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14.000 | | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 12,000 | 24,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 11,000 | 22,000 | | |
| Mrs. M. S. Crow | 10,000 | | |
| Five Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 50,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 1,179,300 | |
| 379 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 599,700 | |
| 415 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 1,779,000 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 47 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 73,700 | |
| 49 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 96,700 |
| | | | Total Tls. 1,875,700 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

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### Easement.

Permission has been granted to the Heng Foong Cotton Manufacturing Company to lay a 3-in. steam pipe under Whashing Road connecting their boiler room and new mill, on the following conditions:—

1.—That the pipe and its connexions be laid in such a manner as may be approved by the Commissioner of Public Works.

2.—That the position of the pipe and/or any of its connexions shall be changed at any time should the Council so require, at the sole expense of the applicants.

3.—That the Council shall not be held responsible for any damage which may be caused to the pipe or its connexions through leakage or otherwise which may be caused by the carrying out of any Public Works and that any damage or accident arising in connexion with the said pipe of whatsoever nature shall be the sole responsibility of the applicants who shall indemnify the Council against all such damage or accident.

4.—That the pipe shall be removed by the applicants at any time upon the receipt of six months' notice by the Council requiring the same, and any work in connexion with the opening up or replacement of the public road or footpath arising therefrom shall be done to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works and at the sole expense of the applicants.

5.—That on the breach of or failure to observe these conditions on the part of the applicants the permit granted shall be rescinded and the said pipe removed forthwith.

### Public Lighting.

After consideration of reports by the Commissioner of Police and the Commissioner of Public Works, it has been decided to provide additional lighting, at an estimated annual cost of Tls. 832.50, for the roads hereafter mentioned.

The lights will be 60 C.P. metallic filaments, centrally suspended, and will be provided as follows:—

*Ferry Road*, between Sinza Road and Robison Road—10.

*Penang Road*, between Gordon Road and Kiaochow Road—5.

*Mokanshan Road*, between Tonquin Road and West Soochow Road—6.

*Tonquin Road*, between West Soochow Road and Robison Road—1.

*Singapore Road*, between Kiaochow Road and Ferry Road—3.

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOK FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 1.

*Public Works Department.*—Assistant Inspectors E. Tompkins and J. E. Morgan are promoted to be Inspectors under new agreements from January 1, 1921, terminable at three months' notice.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. W M. Patrick is appointed Electrical Winder under agreement from December 29.

*Public Band.*—The appointment of Musician P. Brunelli is confirmed under agreement from October 1.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. M. A. Mitchell, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is transferred to be temporary Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, from January 6, 1921.

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, January 2, 1921. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 24,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 780,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Diphtheria | 7 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 4 |
| Tuberculosis | 2 | 15 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 0 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 6 | 116 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

### Public Band.

On Sunday next, January 9, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.

EIGHTH CONCERT.

"Mendelssohn—Schubert—Brahms"

1.—Overture "Fingal's Cave" Mendelssohn

2.—Symphony B minor No. 8 "Unfinished" Schubert
(a) Allegro moderato
(b) Andante con moto

3.—Symphony D major (Second—Op. 73) Brahms
(a) Allegro non troppo
(b) Adagio non troppo
(c) Allegretto grazioso
(d) Allegro con spirito

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 57 | Off Canton | The Robert Dollar Co. | | | water closet installation altns. |
| 526 | Hankow & Hoopeh | Sung Chi Kee | | | |
| 65 | Hongkong & Kiangse | Palmer & Turner | | | block offices |
| 2277 | Wayside & Dalny | A. Lafuente | | | conversion of godown into factory & quarters |
| 4608 | Mokanshan | Liu Yoen Dar | | | boundary wall |
| 3240 | Off Seymour | R. A. Curry | | | staircase |
| 805 | Off West Soochow | Foh Sing Flour Mill | | | covered way |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 348 Unreg. S of 940 | Off E. Yalu Urga | Ong Koh Kee Heh Shing | 13 | | addns. |
| Unreg. E of 6445 | Off Yangtszepoo | Sung Yea Fo | 3 | | |
| 2721 Unreg. W of 2556 | Yulin Annam | Yen Ta Loong Tse Ah King | 14 2 | | |
| Unreg. E of 4400 | Penang & Moji Extn. | Zee Heng Tai | 11 | | |
| Unreg. N of 3443 | Off Sinza | Chang Quai Tseng | | | addns. |

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承認全份真實幾份係本局自有稽利

二 所有未定行估價之准攬價目認承辦雖是極低本局亦有如亦有不承認辦付人自亦

三 擇定之後該承攬人須覓妥保人合同辦理之實保

四 所有承攬人之信及承攬之價

五 所有取後登入各人之公若俾知悉

六 所有承攬信後仍將該款一律退還

本局所收之錢俟得有的實

明清單之錢數在此單內登信

面寫明送至西路二十四號十工部局總辦處須在二日上午信

漆其承攬何項工料封物必於火

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

信送時之最前以用此次概免交說明

部局辦處須送信二十號

清單費

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 596 | Supplying labour for ballasting a 12-foot strip of Hungjao Road, between the Tungwen College and Warren Road | — | January 17, Noon |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### POLICE FORCE

Sale of Alloy

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Yu Van Mow | 37 | cents per lb. |
| Yee Zung Metal Co. | 38.1 | ,, ,, |
| Si Yi Fong | 39 | ,, ,, |
| Yui Yoong Chang | 39.1 | ,, ,, |
| Doong Woo Tin Factory | 39.5 | ,, ,, |
| Chen Yong Tai | 41 | ,, ,, |
| Yut Sae Chang & Co. | 41.1 | ,, ,, |
| *Yue Tai Sei Kee Metal Co. | 41.5 | ,, ,, |

* Accepted

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By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2791.**

**PUBLIC LIBRARY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that from January 1, 1921, the subscription to the Public Library will be as follows:—

$8.00 per year.
4.50 ,, half-year.
2.50 ,, quarter.
1.00 ,, month.

Residents desirous of subscribing should communicate with the Librarian at the Town Hall.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 13, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2792.**

(*Translation*)

**RICE PROFITEERING.**

FROM investigations made by the Council into the causes contributing to the present abnormally high price of rice, it appears that, in their greed for personal gain and unmindful of the hardships and suffering caused to poor people, certain persons have accumulated stocks of rice, which they are withholding from the market, creating a temporary shortage of supplies, and forcing up the price to an unwarranted figure.

Rice is the staple food of the Chinese people, and profiteering or speculating in the food of the people is an offence against the law, and severely punishable.

Notice is accordingly given that any persons profiteering in rice, whether by the withholding of stocks or by any other means, are liable to prosecution with severe penalties on conviction, and with confiscation of their stocks.

The public is earnestly requested to report any cases of rice profiteering that may come to its knowledge. Such reports should be in writing, addressed to the Commissioner of Police, Central Police Station, Foochow Road, and should give as full particulars as possible, so as to facilitate prosecution against the concerned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 13, 1921.

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AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Friday, January 7, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
H. A. Macintyre
S. Sakuragi

The meeting adjourned at 7.20 p.m.

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AT the meeting of a Sub-Committee of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, January 7, 1921, at 5 o'clock p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphreys
A. C. Hynes

The meeting adjourned at 7.45 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Monday, January 10, 1921, at 12.15 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
H. A. Macintyre
S. Sakuragi

The meeting adjourned at 12.45 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Tuesday, January 11, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. F. Mackay (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 6.40 p.m.

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AT the meeting of a Sub-Committee of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Wednesday, January 12, 1921, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphreys
A. C. Hynes

The meeting adjourned at 7.45 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, January 12, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

*Absent:*
Mr. H. H. Girardet

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

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### Court of Foreign Consuls.

A communication from the Consular Body informs the Council of the election of the representatives of Great Britain, Denmark and the Netherlands, to constitute the Court for 1921, in accordance with the provisions of Article XXVII of the Land Regulations.

### Consular Body.

A letter from Mr. Manuel de Veiga Menezes, Consul for Brazil, informs the Council that he has assumed charge of the Brazilian Consulate as from December 23.

### General Hospital.

A communication from the Consular Body informs the Council of the election of the Consuls-General for Japan, Italy and Portugal as representatives on the Board of Governors for the ensuing year.

### Electricity Committee.

Mr. P. Peebles has accepted an invitation to serve on this Committee in the place of Mr. C. G. S. Mackie, resigned.

### Police Force.

*Foreign Branch Quarters.*—The lease from Mr. H. M. Cumine of No. 10 Temple Lane has been renewed for a further period of three years terminating on November 30, 1923.

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**Road Extensions and Widenings.**

*Bubbling Well Road.*—With reference to the correspondence published in the Municipal Gazette of September 12, 1918, the negotiations relative to the acquisition of Mow 0.768 ex Cadastral Lot No. 242, required for improving the line of this road, have been concluded in terms of the following correspondence:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 10, 1920.

SIR,—You will recall that in 1918 you entered a protest at the widening of the Bubbling Well Road to its full scheduled width as affecting your property Lot 242 and that the Council of that year replied that it had no intention of requiring surrender of the scheduled area until the lot was put to some other use than at that time, or until rebuilding should take place.

Conditions have changed greatly during the past two years and the Council of to-day recognizes that this widening is now urgently required in the public interest and I am directed, therefore, to request that you will be so good as to favour me with your claim for compensation in respect thereto. The land required ex your lot for widening the road measures in depth 25 ft. at the western end and 21 ft. 6 at the eastern end, the total area required being Mow 0.768.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

S. A. HARDOON, Esq.

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Messrs. Platt & Co. at this stage took up the matter on behalf of Mr. Hardoon and a letter was addressed to them repeating the request for submission of Mr. Hardoon's claim at an early date. The following reply was received:

Shanghai, October 13, 1920.

SIR,—We have to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated October 1, and in reply we are instructed to inform you that Mr. Hardoon assesses his claim for compensation at Tls. 20,000.

In estimating this figure Mr. Hardoon has in mind not only the present value of the property and the way in which it will be affected by the proposed surrender, but also the fact that the diminution in area of the property will very adversely affect future building development.

We are, Sir,
Your obedient servants,
PLATT & CO.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 25, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 13 relative to the area required ex Cadastral Lot 242 in connexion with the widening of Bubbling Well Road, and in reply thereto to request that you will be so good as to forward me a detailed statement as to computations on which the claim for compensation at Tls. 20,000 is based.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
S. H. LEWIS,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Messrs. PLATT & CO.

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Shanghai, November 24, 1920.

SIR,—With reference to the correspondence which has already passed between us and to the conversation which Mr. Gregson had with you yesterday, we are instructed to state that in view of all the circumstances, Mr. Hardoon has decided to confine his claim for compensation to the assessed value of Cadastral Lot 242W (Tls. 12,000 per mow) plus 10 per cent. plus reinstatement: this last to be carried out by the Council and to include, where necessary, the removal and replanting of trees and shrubs.

Mr. Hardoon requests that the Council should notify him and his tenants occupying Nos. 106 and 108 Bubbling Well Road when it is intended to proceed with the work.

We are, Sir,
Your obedient servants,
PLATT & CO.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, December 6, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of November 24 relative to Cadastral Lot 242, Bubbling Well Road, and in reply thereto to state that the Council accepts Mr. Hardoon's claim for compensation at the assessed value of the land for 1921, that is Tls. 12,000 per mow, plus 10 per cent., or a total of Tls. 10,138 for the required area of Mow 0.768.

I ani, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
S. H. LEWIS,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Messrs. PLATT & CO.

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The following land transactions are recorded :—

ROAD EXTENSIONS AND WIDENINGS.

| *Road* | *Lot No. Cad.* | *Lot No. Consular* | *Area in Road* | *Surplus* | *Acquired from* | *Compensation* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Holung | 7899 | B.C. 5631 | Mow 0.052 | — | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | Nil compulsory surrender |
| do. | 7547 | J. C. 492 | " 0.057 | — | Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | do. |
| do. | 7850 | B.C. 5837 | " 0.172 | — | S. J. Powell | do. |
| do. | 7534 | B.C. 6097 | " 0.069 | — | Davies & Brooke | do. |
| Kwenming | 1954 | B.C. 7396 | " 0.030 | — | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | do. |
| Scott | — | Pao U.S.C. 49 | " 0.411 | — | Fleming, Davies & Bryan | Tls. 2,466 |
| Pingting | 6026) 6027) | — — | " 11.994 | — | Lever Bros. (China) Ld. | see footnote* |
| Bubbling Well | 241 | Belg. C. 10 | " 0.725 | — | Belgian Consulate | †assessed value +10% or Tls. 9,570 |
| do. | 242 | B.C. 851 | " 0.768 | — | S. A. Hardoon | see published correspondence |
| do. | 1260 | B.C. 634 etc. | " 0.550 | — | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | †assessed value +10% or Tls. 4,840 |
| Great Western | — | B.C. 10,069 | " 0.168 | — | F. C. Millington | Tls. 480 |
| do. | — | B.C. 8306 | " 0.328 | — | Moorhead, Halse & Robinson | Tls. 1,082 |
| Hungjao | unregistered | | " 1.647 | — | G. H. Potts | Nil voluntary surrender |
| do. | do. | | " 0.069 | — | B. D. F. Beith | do. |
| Mokanshan | 4606 | B.C. 8951 | " 0.357 | — | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | do. |

* The Council has consented to the deviation of this road eastwards, from its scheduled line through Cad. Lot. 6026, to the boundary between Cad. Lots 6026 and 6027. Of the area required for road purposes, Mow 8.014, being a 40-ft. strip of the road, is surrendered at the assessed value plus 10% and less one-third for betterment, and Mow 3.980, being a 20-ft. strip of the road, is surrendered without compensation, the total compensation payable in respect of this 60-ft. road thus being Tls. 14,104.66

† The Council will bear the cost of reinstatement.

SURPLUS LAND SOLD.

| *Road* | *Lot No. Cad. Consular* | *Area* | *Purchaser* | *Sale Price* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bubbling Well | Adjoining Cad. Lot 2571 | Mow 0.046 | Hansons | Tls. 124 |
| Yuyuen | — B.C. 10,012 | ‡ " 0.586 | do. | " 1.820 |

‡ Of this area the purchaser makes a free surrender of Mow 0.226 of road land.

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**Road Maintenance.**

Correspondence with the French Municipal Council on the subject of the re-division of responsibility for the maintenance of Avenue Edward VII, Avenue Foch and Avenue Haig:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 26, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to refer to the arrangements which at present exist between the French Council and the Council, in the matter of the maintenance of Avenue Edward

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VII, Great Western Road (Avenue Foch) and Siccawei Road (Avenue Haig), and to request that you will be so good as to request the French Council to consider an alteration of the present division of the responsibility for the maintenance of these roads to the simpler system suggested in tabular form hereunder.

The Council is of the opinion that the suggested redivision is approximately proportionate to the amount of traffic from the two Settlements using these roads, and that it would at the same time simplify the present somewhat complicated arrangement.

Whilst suggesting a redivision of the responsibility on the question of road maintenance, it is not proposed that the existing lighting arrangements should be altered for the present.

*Proposed Re-division.*

| | *To be maintained by* |
|---|---|
| *Avenue Edward VII.* | |
| Bund to Chekiang Road | F.M.C. |
| Chekiang Road to Chungking Road | S.M.C. |
| *Avenue Foch.* | |
| Chungking Road to Avenue Haig (including riding tracks) | F.M.C. |
| *Avenue Haig.* | |
| Avenue Foch to French Siccawei Road | S.M.C. |

I enclose for your convenience a plan illustrating the suggested redivision.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

P. LEGENDRE, Esq.,
Secretary,
French Municipal Council.

*Translation of letter from the French Municipal Council dated November 13, 1920.*

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 26 last, concerning the maintenance of the roads bordering the two Settlements.

The French Council, who considered this matter at its meeting on November 3, 1920, has accepted in principle the division by portions of the upkeep of the roads in question.

But to render equal the obligation of the two Municipalities, it suggests that the length of these portions be fixed in such manner that the surfaces for upkeep be equal for the macadamised roadway as well as for the riding tracks.

I am, Sir, etc.,
P. LEGENDRE,
*Secretary.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 20, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of November 13, relative to the maintenance of Avenue Edward VII, Avenue Foch and Avenue Haig, and in reply to make the following alternative proposal as to the apportionment of the cost of such maintenance:—

*To be maintained by F.M.C.*

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|---|---|
| Boulevard de Montigny to Avenue Haig | 4,800 fong macadam<br>980 fong riding track |

*To be maintained by S.M.C.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Bund to Boulevard de Montigny and Avenue Foch to French Siccawei Road | 4,842 fong macadam<br>1,008 fong riding track |

I attach hereto a plan illustrating the present suggestion, for your convenience in considering the matter.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

P. LEGENDRE, Esq.,
Secretary,
French Municipal Council.

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 8.

*Fire Brigade.*—Mr. C. C. J. Whitehead is appointed Supervising Fireman on three months' probation from January 1.

*Police Force.*—The appointment of Miss G. Tsirentschikoff-Segel, Russian Translator, is confirmed under agreement from October 1, 1920.

Long leave is granted to Sergeant N. White from February 1.

*Health Department.*—Mr. G. Parker is appointed Laboratory Assistant on probation from December 28, 1920.

Miss A. Reid is appointed temporarily as Nurse from December 22, 1920.

Miss J. D. McNeil is appointed temporarily as Assistant Nurse, from January 1.

Mrs. S. M. Hall is engaged as a Candidate for an appointment as Probationer Nurse on six months' trial from January 1.

The appointment of Probationer Nurses D. M. Foucar and H. J. Bergan are confirmed under agreements from December 27, 1919, and March 10, 1920 respectively, terminable at three months' notice.

Miss V. L. Roseman, candidate for an appointment as Probationer Nurse, is permitted to terminate her service on January 9.

Nurse M. F. Daly is permitted to terminate her service on March 28.

*Public Works Department—attached Employe.*—Mr. P. Gaunt is appointed Chief Sanitation Chemist under agreement from November 8, 1920.

*Educational Department.*—Mr. J. R. Trindle is re-engaged as Assistant Master in the Public School for Boys on probation from January 1.

Miss H. MacGregor, Student Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is appointed Assistant Mistress under agreement from January 1.

Miss L. Noblston is appointed Student Mistress in the Public School for Girls from January 1.

The service of Miss I. Burnett, temporary Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, terminated on December 31, 1920.

Miss D. Hodgson is appointed Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls under agreement from January 1.

Mrs. P. B. Robbins is appointed temporarily as Drill Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls from January 6.

Long leave is granted to Mrs. A. F. Phillips, Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, from January 31.

Mrs. F. J. Cutforth is appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Chinese from February 23.

The appointment of Mr. G. M. Hope, Assistant Master in the Public School for Chinese, is confirmed under agreement from December 10, 1920.

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 23 | Off The Bund | Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld. | | | water closet installation |
| 48/50 | Bund & Foochow | Palmer & Turner | | | bank |
| 41B | Kiukiang | The International Banking Corporation | | | addns. |
| 155 | Off Nanking | The China Realty Co., Ld. | | | " |
| 935 | " Haining | Chang Lee Chong | | | boundary wall |
| 315 | " Dixwell | Brandt & Rodgers | 1 | | |
| 5180 | " Rangoon | The Pacific Trading Co., Ld. | | | boiler room |
| 3860 | " Ward | Lin Tai & Co. | | | drying kiln |
| 3804 | Ward & Thorburn | Graham-Brown & Wingrove | 5 | | |
| 5020 | Off Yangtszepoo | The Shanghai Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ld. | | | mill ext. |
| 1 | Off B'bling Well | E. Suenson | | | addns. |
| 4750 | Off Gordon | The Dong Shing Spinning and Weaving Co., Ld. | | | water c'oset installation |
| 2475 & 2476 | Off Hart & Yuyuen | The West End Estates, Ld. | | | " |
| 5970 | Singapore | Dowdall & Read | 1 | | servants' quarters & garage |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 465A | S. Woosieh | Wah Sing Co. | 6 | | |
| 230 | Tientsin | Chow Wai Siak | | | addns. |
| Unreg. S of 868 | Chaoufoong and East Yuhang | Zah Sue Kee | 20 | | |
| 2340 | Off Wayside | Wah Sing Kee | 3 | | |
| 6054 | Off Yangtszepoo | Municipal Electricity Department | 3 | | |

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## Municipal Loan 1920.

### 7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on January 11, 1921:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs Tls. | 201,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 100,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | 50,000 | | |
| Yangtsze Insurance Association Ld. | 50,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 50,000 | 100,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 35,000 | | |
| Tokwa Boseki Kaisha, Ld. | 34,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 31,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 30,000 | | |
| E. H. Dunning | 28,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The Canton Insurance Office, Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 17,000 | | |
| Shanghai Silk Spinning Co., Ld. | 16,300 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 15,000 | 30,000 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 12,000 | 24,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 11,000 | 22,000 | | |
| Mrs. M. S. Crow | 10,000 | | |
| Seven Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 70,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 1,254,300 | |
| 403 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 652,000 | |
| 443 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 1,906,300 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 49 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 79,200 | |
| 51 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 102,200 |
| | | | Total Tls. 2,008,500 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

## Public Band.

On Sunday next, January 16, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.

NINTH CONCERT.

Mozart—Beethoven—Brahms—Weber

1.—Ballet Music "Les petits rien" Mozart

2.—Symphony C minor No. 5 Op. 67 Beethoven

(a) Allegro con brio

(b) Andante con moto

(c) Allegro (Scherzo)—Allegro (Finale)

3.—Two Movements of Symphony D major Brahms

(a) Adagio non troppo

(b) Allegretto grazioso (Quasi Andantino)

4.—Overture "Oberon" Weber

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, January 9, 1921. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 24,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 780,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 4 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 21 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 4 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 12 | 142 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Health Officer's Report for December, 1920.

A feature of the Public Health of the month under review has been the marked prevalence of Diphtheria. Thirty cases among foreigners were notified none of which ended fatally. The cases were mostly mild in form though remaining long infective, the diphtheria bacillus tending to remain long in the throat and nose, requiring unusually long isolation. Chinese cases presented the same characteristics.

Diphtheria is a disease of which the cause and mode of transmission are well known, while a specific preventive and curative agent is available. It is, however, a disease which is not materially prevented. At the time of writing there are some 8,000 cases of this disease and Scarlet fever being treated in the isolation hospitals of London and a similar incidence is frequently reported in other parts of the world. Like the common cold it may be said that Diphtheria and Scarlet fever are found generally prevalent, little real progress having been made in reducing incidence though marked changes in virulence occur. This may be accounted for by infection coming from the nose and throat and being conveyed by the breath in coughing, speaking and sneezing to those in close proximity to cases or carriers. As a rule the conditions which lead to a prevalence of Diphtheria give rise to a prevalence of Scarlet fever also. So far, however, the incidence of Scarlet fever has happily been very small. Convalescents should not be released from isolation until two cultures taken from the nose and throat show freedom from the diphtheria bacillus on examination in the Municipal Laboratory. The earlier antitoxic serum is used the better the result, which gives an indication to the public of great value, namely, children with sore throats should see the doctor as early as possible. Were all cases of Diphtheria to have antitoxin on the first day of the disease there would be no fatal cases whatever.

A second important feature of the Public Health during the month was the discovery of a plague-infected rat on December 20 in a house refuse receptacle outside Lg 674 Dalny Road in the Eastern District in close proximity with the South Manchurian Railway Co.'s Wharf. Another plague-infected rat was found on December 31 in a refuse receptacle outside J 1275 Seward Road not far from the Wayside Wharf. Since December 1908, when plague-infected rats were first discovered in the Settlement, a daily examination of rats found dead has been made in the Municipal Laboratory. Had it not been for this, these rats would not have been discovered and plague might have developed on a large scale. As it is, the available plague prevention staff has been concentrated on these two foci and there is hope that infection may be

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limited. The partial rat proofing of new buildings required by the Building Rules as well as the very extensive rat-proofing operations carried out in old houses by the Health Office since 1909 should greatly help in securing immunity. More is wanted, however, before the Building Rules can be considered adequate in securing rat-proof buildings, not only in the rules themselves but also in the way they are carried out. The Settlement has been entirely free from plague-infected rats for four years until the present discovery was made.

The finding of these plague-infected rats in proximity to wharves where ships come alongside from ports where plague is known to exist is a precise repetition of December 1908, when the first plague-infected rat was found in Yuenfong Road near the Hongkew Wharves, and is positive proof of their being brought by ships to Shanghai. It again shows, should further demonstration be necessary, the importance of taking adequate steps in freeing ships from rats, especially those which call at ports where plague infection is known to exist.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign Resident | Foreign Non-resident | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Typhoid fever | 2 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| Scarlet fever | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 1 | 84 |
| Beri-béri | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| From all causes | 20 | 10 | 573 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Typhoid fever | 1 |
| Paratyphoid fevers | 3 |
| Diphtheria | 30 |
| Tuberculosis | 5 |
| Dysentery | 9 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases admitted—Small pox | 1 | 5 |
| Diphtheria | 37 | 14 |
| Scarlet fever | 4 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 5 | 0 |
| Discharged | 23 | 30 |
| Died | 1 | 1 |
| Remaining last day of month | 46 | 19 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 15,601 |
| Bacterial " " | 181 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 5 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 727 |
| Analyses | 48 |

RABIES OBSERVATION

| | |
|---|---|
| Dogs received for observation | 1 |
| Dogs biting people | 1 |
| Returned to owners | 1 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen ..... | 2,303 | 10 | 2,303 | 0 | 2 |
| Sheep ..... | 3,385 | 1 | 3,385 | 0 | 0 |
| Calves ..... | 545 | 0 | 545 | 0 | 2 |
| Pigs..... | 610 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK.

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 309 | 578 | 157 | 316 | 1360 |
| Rats plague infected ..... | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Human plague cases ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation .... | 1200 | 2200 | 2400 | 400 | 6200 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1659 | 3400 | 1824 | 673 | 7556 |
| Poisoned baits laid ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier ..... | 0 | 0 | 200 | 0 | 200 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 30 | 1 |
| Surgical | 31 | 0 |
| Maternity | 19 | 0 |
| Mental | 4 | 0 |
| Total | 84 | 1 |

LABORATORY REPORT ON WATER.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks' water.

Sample received December 28, 1920.

Report sent out December 31, 1920.

Physical Characters—Yellowish green colour with slight opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 11.8 |
| Appearance on Ignition—slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 8.0 |
| (a) Temporary | 4.5 |
| (b) Permanent | 3.5 |
| Chlorine | 1.9 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0660 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0018 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0104 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° c. | 0.0550 |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 37° C. for 48 hours showed an average of 12 microbes per c.c.

Nutrient agar plates at 21° C. for 72 hours showed an average of 80 microbes per c.c.

Organisms of the coli group were present after 48 hours in quantities of 3 c.c.'s and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Results of analysis show satisfactory purification.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Vaccination against small-pox ... ... ... ... ... | 307 | 133 | 348 | 733 | 1,521 |
| Enquiries after notification of foreign cases of infectious disease ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 2 | 28 | 6 | 11 | 47 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease ... ... ... ... | 11 | 66 | 58 | 24 | 159 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease ... ... | 74 | 109 | 311 | 301 | 795 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 955 | 1,051 | 2,968 | 1,576 | 6,550 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed ... ... ... ... | 17 | 84 | 380 | 6 | 487 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended ... ... ... ... | 0 | 1 | 18 | 0 | 19 |
| Defective drainage amended ... ... ... ... ... | 21 | 23 | 36 | 17 | 97 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected ... ... ... ... | 5 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| " " repaired ... ... ... ... | 28 | 2 | 117 | 42 | 189 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy ... | 3 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 21 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 67 | 0 | 67 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried ... ... | 0 | 18 | 17 | 3 | 38 |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Beggar-boats removed... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 29 | 0 | 29 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 15 | 13 | 11 | 12 | 51 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 46 | 67 | 79 | 32 | 224 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Samples taken for analysis... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 8 | 17 | 9 | 34 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed ... ... ... ... | 0 | 520 | 470 | 294 | 1,284 |
| Hawkers licensed ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 683 | 697 | 629 | 391 | 2,400 |
| Food prosecutions... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 38 | 8 | 1 | 47 |
| House refuse prosecutions ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 26 | 9 | 0 | 35 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions ... ... ... ... | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Tons of ordure removed ... ... ... ... ... ... | 3,990 | 4,855 | 2,978 | 3,550 | 15,273 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed ... ... ... | 2,667 | 551 | 675 | 889 | 4,782 |
| Tons of house refuse removed ... ... ... ... ... | 6,518 | 4,010 | 2,321 | 2,840 | 15,689 |

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE MUNICIPAL LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Name of Dairy | Licensee | Situate | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Yuen Sung | Li Yuen Sung | F. 1789 B'bling W. Rd. | 19.80% added water |
| St. George's Farm | S. Hertzberg | 205 Bubbling Well Rd. | 3.4 % " " |

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bona fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承認全份或

二 機份係本局自有機利

三 未行估價之用款辦理亦認付自亦

四 所有承准攬價目是低本人局

五 所有以後承攬各人之信及承攬人之

六 本局取必將閱說明清單若報俾本局公報入本局公信封實封

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

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二 未行估價之用款辦理亦認付自亦

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五 本人本局公信及承攬人之

六 後仍將該款一律退還

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二部局總辦處須在江西路二號十工信

信時繳之前以用此次概免交說明

清單費最善

信送來之辦至何工料等於十五

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部局總辦處須在定期十四上午挂號

部局總辦處須在定期十四上午挂號

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 596 | Supplying labour for ballasting a 12-foot strip of Hungjao Road, between the Tungwen College and Warren Road | — | January 17, Noon |
| 597 | Supply of Boiler for Pingchiao Quarry | — | ,, 24, ,, |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, Administration Building, Foochow Road | | |
| 209 | Erection of three Bungalows at Riverside Power Station | Tls. 5 | January 20, Noon |
| 210 | Demolishing and removing reinforced concrete supports of two turbo-generators at Riverside Power Station | — | ,, 22, ,, |
| 211 | Filling, raising and levelling ground on B.C. Lot 9606 at corner of Pingyang and Pingliang Roads, approximately 1,000 fong super. Tenders to be addressed to the Acting Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | — | ,, 22, ,, |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 595

Steel Bars and Wire

| | |
|---|---|
| W. Jacks & Co. | Tls. 8,469.84 |
| * T. P. Moorehead | 6,805.82 |

* Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2796.**
**7 per cent. LOAN, 1920.**
**Tls. 2,240,000.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan has been closed, the Loan having been fully subscribed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 20, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2797**
**HISTORY OF SHANGHAI.**

THE first volume of this work, to be completed in three volumes, will shortly be published by Messrs. Kelly and Walsh Ld. at $7.50.

The Council is anxious to secure a few good photographs or prints of Shanghai prior to the year 1858, for reproduction and inclusion in this volume, more particularly is it desired to secure a good print of the Signing of the Treaty of Nanking on board H.M.S. Cornwallis, on August 29, 1842.

The greatest care will be taken of any photographs or prints forwarded to the undersigned in response to this Notification.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 20, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2792.**
*(Translation)*
**RICE PROFITEERING.**

FROM investigations made by the Council into the causes contributing to the present abnormally high price of rice, it appears that, in their greed for personal gain and unmindful of the hardships and suffering caused to poor people, certain persons have accumulated stocks of rice, which they are withholding from the market, creating a temporary shortage of supplies, and forcing up the price to an unwarranted figure.

Rice is the staple food of the Chinese people, and profiteering or speculating in the food of the people is an offence against the law, and severely punishable.

Notice is accordingly given that any persons profiteering in rice, whether by the withholding of stocks or by any other means, are liable to prosecution with severe penalties on conviction, and with confiscation of their stocks.

The public is earnestly requested to report any cases of rice profiteering that may come to its knowledge. Such reports should be in writing, addressed to the Commissioner of Police, Central Police Station, Foochow Road, and should give as full particulars as possible, so as to facilitate prosecution against the concerned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 13, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2787.**
**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**
**JANUARY, 1921.**

DURING the month of January, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be as follows:—

| 1st-10th | 11th-20th | 21st-end of month. |
|---|---|---|
| 5.14 | 5.23 | 5.33 |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 23, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2793.**
**HOTEL OR TAVERN—ON LICENCES.**

THE following amended licence conditions will be enforced from this date:—

23. That no opium smoking be permitted on the premises, and that the licensee shall notify the Police of the presence of any lodger or customer found to be smoking opium.
24. That lodgers or customers carrying firearms or other dangerous weapons be immediately reported to the Police.

The existing conditions Nos. 23 and 24 are accordingly renumbered 25 and 26.

20. The following is substituted for the existing licence condition of this number:—That no thieves, disreputable persons, revolutionists, anarchists, plotters against the Government of China, political offenders or men wanted by the Chinese Government shall knowingly be permitted to lodge, visit or assemble in the premises, or deposit any goods therein, and that immediate information be given to the Police if any persons herein named are found lodging on the premises.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 20, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2794.**
**THOMAS HANBURY SCHOOL FOR BOYS.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the posts of two Matrons in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys. Applicants should state age, nationality, qualifications and experience in work of a similar character. Some nursing experience is essential. Pay for first agreement Tls. 126.50 per mensem with a deduction of Tls. 60 per mensem for uniform, board and quarters. Previous experience in the Shanghai Municipal Service will be taken into account in fixing the rate of pay.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 20, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2795.**
**EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.**
*Public School for Boys.*

*Evening Classes.*—The following classes have been formed:—

English, Elementary, for Beginners;
Mondays and Wednesdays at 6 p.m.
English, Intermediate;
Mondays and Wednesdays at 6 p.m.
English, Advanced:
Mondays and Wednesdays at 6 p.m.
French,
Mondays and Wednesdays at 5.30 p.m.

Students who have entered their names, and others who desire to attend should present themselves at the school at the time stated.

The names so far received for Book-keeping, Shorthand, and Business Training are not sufficient in number to enable classes to be formed at present, but should enough additional names be received work will at once be started.

The fee for each subject is $7.50 per mensem.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 20, 1921.

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AT a joint meeting of the Foreign Educational and Works Committees held on Thursday, January 13, 1921, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. P. W. Massey (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
Mrs. W. L. Merriman
The Very Rev. C. J. Symons
*Absent:*
Mrs. W. B. Billinghurst
Mr. E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 5.50 p m.

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AT the meeting of the Foreign Educational Committee held on Thursday, January 13, 1921, at 5.50 p.m , there were:—

*Present:*
Mr. P. W. Massey (*Chairman*)
Mrs. Merriman
Rev. C. J. F. Symons
*Absent:*
Mrs. Billinghurst
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 6.55 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Friday, January 14, 1921, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were :—

*Present*:

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
H. A. Macintyre
S. Sakuragi

The meeting adjourned at 1.15 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, January 14, 1921, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were :—

*Present*:

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphreys
A. C. Hynes
D. McColl
W. L. Merriman
J. W. Stephenson

*Absent*:

Mr. A. W. Burkill

The meeting adjourned at 7.25 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the War Memorial Committee held on Monday, January 17, 1921, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
G. A. Bena
R. Fano
E. F. Mackay
L. Straetmans
Sung Han Chang

*Absent*:

Messrs. J. H. Botelho
A. W. Burkill
F. R. Sites

The meeting adjourned at 5.20 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, January 19, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present*:

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

The meeting adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

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**Chinese Educational Committee.**

Mr. Chicheh Nieh has accepted the Council's invitation to re-join the above Committee.

**Parks Committee.**

Mr. P. Peebles has accepted the Council's invitation to rejoin the above Committee.

**Educational Department.**

The Headmaster of the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys reports that V. F. Viccajee has passed the Hongkong University Matriculation Local Examination held in December, 1920.

**Volunteer Corps.**

*Headquarters.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, Major T. E. Trueman, O.B.E., is promoted to be Lieutenant-Colonel from January 13.

The resignation of Lieutenant-Colonel T. E. Trueman, O.B.E., forwarded by the Commandant, has been accepted by the Council with regret. Retired rank, with the right to wear the prescribed uniform, has been conferred on him in consideration of his long and valued service in the Corps.

**Unburied Coffins.**

Letter to the Senior Consul on the subject of the continued dumping of unburied Chinese coffins in a field just beyond the Settlement Boundary :—

Shanghai, January 13, 1921.

SIR,—I have the honour to refer to the correspondence with your predecessor in March last year on the subject of the nuisance caused by the dumping of unburied coffins close to the Settlement boundary off Kiaochow Road, as set forth in the issue of the Municipal Gazette herewith enclosed.

The Council is informed that since the time of removal of this nuisance last year, there has been a further gradual accumulation of coffins which now number 378. The Health Officer has been unable to induce the local Tipao to remove these coffins or to prevent their deposition, and I have the honour therefore to request that you will be so good as to arrange with the Chinese Authorities for their removal and burial as heretofore.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. BROOKE SMITH,
*Chairman.*

Sir EVERARD FRASER, K.C.M.G.,
H.M. Consul-General and Senior Consul.

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**Door of Hope.**

Letter from the Hon. Treasurer of the above Institution with Council's reply :—

Shanghai, January 2, 1921.

DEAR SIR,—On behalf of the Committee of the Door of Hope I beg to thank the Council for the grants received during 1920, particularly for the "Special Grant" temporarily given. Exchange has certainly improved since this time last year, though it is not yet what it was before the war. Do you think that the Council would consider making this temporary grant a permanent one, which would make a total of Tls. 4,000 per year?

Submitting this question with thanks for help given.

Yours faithfully,
Mrs. (A. G.) C. M. PARROTT,
*Hon. Treasurer,*
*Door of Hope*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, January 13, 1921.

MADAM,—I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 2, on the subject of the public grant to the Door of Hope.

In reply thereto, I am directed to state that the Council will make provision in the Budget for renewal during the current municipal year of the grant of Tls. 2,500, also, having regard to the continuance of abnormal financial conditions, of a special grant of Tls. 1,500 additional.

I am to express regret that the Council cannot see its way to comply with your request that the temporary extra grant be made permanent.

I am, Madam,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary*

Mrs. C. M. PARROTT,
Hon. Treasurer, Door of Hope.

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**Waifs and Strays Home.**

Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the above Institution with Council's reply :—

Shanghai, November 25, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—I am directed by my Committee to ask you to place before the Council, a request that the grant hitherto made to the Waifs and Strays Home, which has now been absorbed by the Children's Refuge Brenan Road, be continued to the latter institution. We have recently taken in the remaining eleven children of the Waifs and Strays Home and owing to the considerable increase in the cost of maintenance generally, we find it necessary to submit the matter to the consideration of the Council.

After carefully reviewing the financial position of the institution my Committee hope that the Council will see their way to making them an additional annual grant of a thousand taels to enable them to carry on the Children's Refuge on its present lines.

Yours faithfully,
Miss IRVINE,
*Hon. Secretary,*
*Children's Refuge.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, January 13, 1921.

MADAM,—I am directed to refer to your letter of November 25, submitting a request that the grant hitherto made to the Waifs and Strays Home be continued to the Slave Children's Refuge. In reply I am directed to state that you are incorrect in your statement that the Waifs and Strays Home—by which it is presumed you mean the late Slave Children's Home in Tongshan Road—has been absorbed by the Children's Refuge, as the Home has in fact been absorbed by the Anti-Kidnapping Society's establishment at Kiangwan. In view, however, of the valuable work performed by the Refuge in the interests of the community, I am to state that the Council has directed provision in the Budget for this year for an increase in the grant-in-aid from Tls. 2,000 to Tls. 3,000.

I am, Madam,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Miss IRVINE,
Hon. Secretary, The Slave Children's Refuge.

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**Public Library.**

Interchange of letters with Mr. R. N. Macleod on the subject of the "Wilson" Memorial Donation :—

Shanghai, January 7, 1921.

DEAR SIR,—At a Meeting held on December 30 of the Library Committee, I was asked to prepare and

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submit a form of inscription to be placed in the books presented by the brother and sister of the late Mr. A. S. Wilson. I enclose a draft for submission to the Committee.

The books which will be presented are the following:—

Encyclopaedia Britannica.
Murray. Dictionary of the English Language.
Large World Atlas.
Giles. Chinese-English Dictionary.
Couling. Encyclopaedia Sinica.
Giles. Biographical Dictionary.
De Groot. Religions of China.
Atlas & Gazetteer of China.
Skeat. Etymological Dictionary.
Chambers. Biographical Dictionary.

All these books have arrived and are in my possession except volumes 6 and 10 of Murray's Dictionary and the Encyclopaedia Britannica. The latter was sent me in an edition of India paper, and I returned the same as being unsuitable for any Library. I do not know why the two volumes of Murray's Dictionary have not arrived, but the others came in instalments and I suppose these will arrive before long.

It has taken some time to get these books, and I do not yet know what the full cost may be, when I do know that there may be some further volumes to be selected.

Yours faithfully,
R. N. MACLEOD.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

(*Draft Inscription*).

This volume is one of which have been presented to the Shanghai Library by Ethel Sidney Moysey and Gerald Sidney Wilson in memory of their brother Alfred Sidney Wilson who died on September 14, 1917 and with the object of making the nucleus of a Reference Library.

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 14, 1921.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge receipt of, and to thank you for, your letter of January 7, enclosing a draft form of inscription for insertion in the books presented to the Public Library by the relatives of the late Mr. A. S. Wilson, and containing a list of the works purchased, for the information of the members of Council and of the Library Committee.

In reply, I am directed to convey to you an expression of the members' appreciation of the work you have performed in connexion with the selection and purchase of these books, and to inform you that the draft inscription meets with the members' approval.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
J. M. MCKEE.
*Assistant Secretary.*

R. N. MACLEOD, Esq.

The Library, situated at the north-west corner of the Town Hall, is open *To the Public* without charge as a Reading Room from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. To *Subscribers* for the exchange of books from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

The subscription is as follows:—

$8.00 per year.
4.50 ,, half-year.
2.50 ,, quarter.
1.00 ,, month.

Subscribers are entitled to the loan of four books at a time and in addition certain magazines are provided for circulation, of which one at a time is allowed to each subscriber.

The Library contains over 16,800 volumes, of which 8,400 are devoted to Fiction; 2,000 to Travel, 2,950 to History and Biography and the rest to Scientific and General subjects. Additions are made constantly.

**New Books.**

Life of Lord Kitchener (3 vols.) Sir George Arthur.
Running Wild Bertram Smith.
Gambetta Paul Deschanel.
The Voice of Lincoln R. M. Wanamaker.
About it and About D. Willoughby.
The Life and Letters of St. Paul David Smith.
Reminiscences of Three Campaigns Sir Alexander Ogston.
Trade and Navigation Between Spain and the Indies C. Henry Haring
Personalities Edmond X. Kapp.
Enslaved and other Poems John Masefield.
Sakuntala Kalidasa.
Father Maturin a Memoir Maisie Ward.
The Idea of Progress J. B. Bury.
Narrative of the Earl of Elgin's Mission to China and Japan. (2 vols.) Laurence Oliphant.
Reminiscences of Lafcadio Hearn Setsuko Koizumi.
From Persian Uplands F. Hale.
Zanzibar The Island Metropolis of Eastern Africa Major F. B. Pearce.
Wild Life in Canada Capt. A. Buchanan.
White Shadows in the South Seas Frederick O'Brien.
The Australians Arthur H. Adams.
Beryl in India B. Wingfield-Stratford.
The Third Window A. D. Sedgwick.
The Cheats Marjorie Bowen.
The Cypress Tree Sophie Cole.
The Dominant Race F. E. Mills Young.
Good Conduct G. A. Birmingham.
Harvest Mrs. Humphry Ward.
The House in Queen Anne Square W. D. Lyell.
An Imperfect Mother J. D. Beresford.
Jew David Heller.
The Kentucky Warbler James Lane Allen.
The Light Heart Maurice Hewlett.
The Lonely House Mrs. Belloc Lowndes.
The Lost Mr. Linthwaite J. S. Fletcher.
Madeline of the Desert Arthur Weigall.
Mr. Dooley on Making a Will
Piccadilly Jim P. G. Wodehouse.
The Prophetic Marriage Warwick Deeping.
Sheila Intervenes Stephen McKenna.
Shuttered Doors Mrs. Wm. Hicks Beach.
Star of India Alice Perrin.
Tales of My Native Town G. D'Annunzio.
Tatterdemalion John Galsworthy.

**Wharfage Dues.**

In conformity with the correspondence published hereunder, in continuation of that published in the Municipal Gazette of April 1, 1920, the Council will move a resolution authorizing the suggested amendment of Land Regulation No. IX, at a Special Meeting of Ratepayers to be called for the same date as that to be fixed for the next Annual Meeting of Ratepayers:—

*Translation of letter from the Secretary to the French Council, dated, April 14, 1920.*

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 30, on the subject of Wharfage Dues.

The French Council to whom your letter, as well as the correspondence enclosed therewith, was submitted at its meeting on April 12, directs me to inform you that it agrees in advance to any proposals that the Municipal Council thinks fit to make to the Chinese Customs Authorities, with a view to bringing to a satisfactory conclusion the question of Wharfage Dues.

I am, etc.,
P. LEGENDRE,
*Secretary.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 4, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to refer to the correspondence on the subject of Wharfage Dues, published in the enclosed copy of the Municipal Gazette of April 1, 1920, and to inform you that, with a view to the avoidance of the complications to which the Commissioner of Customs refers in his letter of March 5 last, and bearing in mind the necessity of increasing the revenue of the Settlement from Wharfage Dues the Council proposes, at the next meeting of Ratepayers, to move the amendment of Land Regulation IX so as to provide that Wharfage Dues shall in no case exceed "3 per cent. of the Customs duty on the goods so passed, landed, shipped or transhipped" instead of "the amount of one-tenth of one per cent. on the value of the goods so passed, landed, shipped or transhipped." If this amendment is passed and thereafter duly approved by the Consular and Diplomatic Bodies, Wharfage Dues will then cease to be collected on goods which are duty free.

For your information I am directed to state that had the proposal above outlined been in operation in 1919, the Council's receipts from Wharfage Dues for that year would have been Sh. Tls. 297,334 compared with Sh. Tls. 268,835, the actual receipts, under the arrangements at present in operation.

In conclusion I am directed to state that should your Chamber desire to express any views on the sub-

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ject the Council will welcome and give every consideration to such views.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The SECRETARY,
Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce.

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Shanghai, August 9, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 4th instant on the subject of Wharfage Dues.

I am directed to inform you that this question will come up for discussion at the next Meeting of the Committee of this Chamber.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
M. G. BECK,
*Secretary.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, October 13, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—With reference to your letter of August 4 and my reply thereto of 9th idem. I now beg to enclose herewith copies of replies I have received from the Shanghai Foreign Exchange Bankers' Association, the Foreign Silk Association, and the China Tea Association, from which you will see that they raise no objection to the proposed amendment which the Council intend to bring before the next Meeting of Ratepayers in the above connexion.

I would draw your attention, however, to the remarks contained in the letter from the Foreign Silk Association on this question.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
M. G. BECK,
*Secretary.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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(*Enclosure No. 1.*)

Shanghai, September 31, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—I have been instructed by my Committee to inform you, in reply to your letter of 16th instant, that the proposed increase amounting now to only about one-third of former wharfage dues, no further objection is raised against same.

Yet, as a matter of principle, my Committee wish to emphasize that, in their opinion, increase of dues of any kind on the export of raw silk is strongly to be deprecated as same act unfairly on China silks placing these in a less advantageous position than Japan silks which have not to bear any export dues at all.

My Committee wish to avail themselves of this occasion to call the Municipal Council's attention to the strenuous efforts now being made, especially by the International Committee for the Improvement of Sericulture in China, to improve the quality and increase the production of China silks. This is having the official and financial support of the Peking Government and it appears to my Committee that it is hardly in keeping with this movement for the Municipal Council to institute increase of dues which even in a small degree militate against the export of raw silk from this port.

I beg to remain, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
(Signature illegible).
*Hon. Secretary,*
*Foreign Silk Association of Shanghai.*

The CHAIRMAN,
Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce.

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(*Enclosure No. 2.*)

Shanghai, October 10, 1920.

SIR,—With regard to your communication of the 16th ultimo and enclosure bearing upon the matter of Wharfage Dues, I am instructed to say that, as tea is duty free, this Association has no objection to the proposed amendment.

I am to express the Chairman's regret at the delay in replying, this having been occasioned by his absence from this city.

Yours faithfully,
(Signature illegible).
*Hon. Secretary,*
*China Tea Association.*

The SECRETARY,
Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce.

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(*Enclosure No. 3.*)

Shanghai, September 20, 1920.

DEAR SIR,—In reply to your letter of 16th instant on the subject of Wharfage Dues, I have put the matter before the Associated Exchange Banks and have now to advise that they have no objection to the proposed amendment.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
(Signature illegible).
*For Chairman,*
*Shanghai Foreign Exchange Bankers' Association.*

The SECRETARY,
Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 22, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to refer to the correspondence on the subject of Wharfage Dues, published in the enclosed copy of the Municipal Gazette of April 1, 1920, and to forward herewith copy of further correspondence on this subject which has passed between the Council, the French Council and the General Chamber of Commerce, from which you will note that with a view to the avoidance of the complications to which your predecessor Mr. Lyall referred in his letter of March 5, and having regard to the necessity of increasing the revenue of the Settlement from Wharfage Dues, the Council proposes at the next meeting of Ratepayers to move the amendment of Land Regulation IX, so as to provide that Wharfage Dues shall in no case exceed "3 per cent. of the Customs' duty on the goods so passed, landed, shipped or transshipped" instead of "the amount of one-tenth of 1 per cent. of the value of the goods so passed, landed, shipped or transhipped."

In submitting this correspondence to you I am directed to express the hope that in view of the simplification that will result in the collection of Wharfage Dues, the Council may rely on your support of the proposed amendment, which, if passed by the Ratepayers and approved by the Consular and Diplomatic Bodies, will in effect provide that Wharfage Dues shall be collected only on goods which are liable to the payment of the Customs duty.

I am Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

E. G. LOWDER, Esq.,
Commissioner of Customs.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, October 25, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to refer to your letter of April 14, on the subject of Wharfage Dues, and to send you herein enclosed for the information of the French Council, copy of the correspondence which has since passed between the Council and the Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce, together with copy of a letter addressed to the Commissioner of Customs on October 22, requesting his support of the proposed amendment to Land Regulation IX.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The SECRETARY,
French Municipal Council.

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Shanghai, October 28, 1920.

SIR,—I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 22nd instant, in which, with reference to previous correspondence on the subject of Wharfage Dues, you notify me that the Council proposes, at the next meeting of ratepayers, to move the amendment of Land Regulation IX so as to provide that Wharfage Dues shall in no case exceed 3 per cent. of the Customs duty on goods passed, landed, shipped or transhipped, instead of the amount of one-tenth of 1 per cent. of the value of goods so passed, landed, shipped or transhipped, and ask for my support to the proposed amendment.

While in general in agreement with this proposal, I shall be glad to know whether it is understood that both treasure and tea (which are duty free) are to be exempt from the levy of Wharfage Dues; and I do not quite understand why the word "transhipped" is used, seeing that transhipment cargo is, and has always hitherto been, exempt from duty and therefore from Wharfage Dues.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. GORDON LOWDER,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 1, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to thank you for your letter of October 28, expressing your general agreement with the Council's proposed amendment of Land Regulation IX, in so far as it bears upon the question of Wharfage Dues, and in reply to inform you that, in deciding upon the amendment in question, the Council had in mind that all goods that are from time to time duty free, would likewise be exempt from the levy of Wharfage Dues, and that although the word "transhipped" in the present regulation is retained, the Council has not under consideration any change in its attitude towards transhipment cargo as set forth in the correspondence published in the Municipal Gazette of June 10 last.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIRDELL,
*Secretary.*

E. G. LOWDER, Esq.,
Commissioner of Customs.

*Translation of letter from the French Municipal Council, dated November 12, 1920.*

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated October 25 last, on the subject of Wharfage Dues, and of the correspondence enclosed therein.

The Council, who considered this matter at its meeting of November 3, 1920, directs me to inform you that it wishes to subscribe in advance to such proposals as the Municipal Council may think fit to make with a view to the modification of Art. IX of the Land Regulations relating to the method of calculating Wharfage Dues.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
P. LEGENDRE,
*Secretary.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

## Return of Communicable Disease

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, January 16, 1921. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 24,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 780,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 2 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 20 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 123 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Municipal Loan 1920.

**7% Silver Loan Issued at 92½%.**
**Authorised Issue Tls. 2,240,000.**

The following are details of the amounts subscribed as on January 18, 1921:—

FOREIGN INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector-General of Chinese Maritime Customs | Tls. 201,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 100,000 | | |
| A. L. Anderson & Co. | 76,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 55,400 | | |
| A. E. Algar | 54,000 | | |
| Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. | 50,000 | | |
| Yangtsze Insurance Association Ld. | 50,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 50,000 | 100,000 | | |
| Far Eastern Insurance Co., Ld. | 40,000 | | |
| H. O. White | 40,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 36,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 35,000 | | |
| Tokwa Boseki Kaisha, Ld. | 34,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 31,000 | | |
| M. Chaumont | 30,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 30,000 | | |
| E. H. Dunning | 28,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 25,400 | | |
| Noel, Murray & Co , Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The Canton Insurance Office, Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. | 25,000 | | |
| The United Services Association | 21,600 | | |
| One Investor of | 17,000 | | |
| Shanghai Silk Spinning Co., Ld. | 16,300 | | |
| One Investor of | 15,000 | | |
| S. J. Betines | 14,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 14,000 | | |
| Three Investors of Tls. 12,000 | 36,000 | | |
| Two Investors of Tls. 11,000 | 22,000 | | |
| Mrs. M. S. Crow | 10,000 | | |
| Ten Investors of Tls. 10,000 | 100,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 1,357,300 | |
| 419 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 681,800 | |
| 463 Foreign Investors | | | Tls. 2,039,100 |

CHINESE INVESTORS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tung Yih Cotton Mill, Ld. | 13,000 | | |
| One Investor of | 10,000 | | |
| | | Tls. 23,000 | |
| 50 Investors of varying amounts under Tls. 10,000 | | 86,200 | |
| 52 Chinese Investors | | | Tls. 109,200 |
| | | | 2,148,300 |
| Municipal Investment Bank | | | 75,700 |
| | | | Total Tls. 2,224,000 |

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer & Comptroller.*

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 15.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Sergeant G. Sale from February 12.

J. F. Goch is appointed Assistant Warder on probation from January 12.

*Health Department.*—Nurse E. C. Ensor is permitted to terminate her service on March 7.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. J. M. Reddick is re-engaged temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Boys from January 6.

The appointment of Madame G. Zalsman, Music Mistress in the Public and Thomas Hanbury Schools for Girls, is confirmed under an agreement from September 8, 1920, terminable at three months' notice.

Miss A. D. Simon, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, is appointed temporarily as Mistress-in-charge of the Avenue Road School from January 1.

Miss E. J. Wolfe is re-engaged temporarily as Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys from January 1.

Miss M. I. Gilliat is appointed Assistant Mistress in the Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese from January 13.

## Public Band.

On Sunday next, January 23, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.
TENTH CONCERT.
"Russian Composers"

1.—Capriccio Espagnol — Rimsky-Korsakow
   1. Alborada
   2. Variations
   3. Alborada
   4. Scene and Gi'ano
   5. Fandango—Alborada
2.—Sixth Symphony "Pathetique" Op. 74 — Tschaikowsky
   (a) Adagio — Allegro non troppo — Andante — Moderato mosso—Andante—Allegro vivo—Andante
   (b) Allegro con grazia
   (c) Allegro molto vivace
   (d) Finale: Adagio lamentoso Andante
3.—Esquisses Caucasiennes Op. 10 — Ippolitow-Iwanow
   1. Dans le Dèfile
   2. Dans l' aoule (Village caucasien)
   3. Dans la Mosquée
   4. Cortege de Sardar

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

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**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 156 | Off Nanking | C. Luthy | | | addns. |
| 2435A | Off Jansen | Stewardson & Spence | 2 | | |
| 1562 | Tongshan | C. Luthy | | | godown (amended plan) |
| 662 | Off Tongshan | Siang Kiang Kee | | | addns. |
| 2470 | Whashing | The Pacific Trading Co., Ld. | | | covered way |
| Unreg. N of 2300 | Wayside & Macgregor | Yao King Sung | | | factory (amended plan) |
| 2304 | Off Weihaiwei | Tsong Wei Kee | | | greenhouse |
| 805 | W. Soochow | Foh Sing Flour Mill | | | machine shop, kitchen & boundary wall |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 116 | Off Avenue Edward VII | Chow Wai Siak | | | gatehouse |
| 1065 | Off Broadway East | Kwang Cheong | | | shed |
| 1143 | East Seward | Davies & Brooke | 4 | | |
| 670 | Off East Seward | Woo Chen Kee | 1 | | |
| Unreg. N of 6775 | Ward | Tsao Zen Kee | 45 | | |
| 2191 | B'bling Well Hart Ext. | J. Ambrose | | | addns. |
| Unreg. W of 5100 | | Naigai Wata Kaisha | 140 | | |
| Unreg. N of 5590 | Off Tonquin | Seng Ngai Cheng | 3 | | |
| 3471 | ,, Wuting | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | 38 | | 2 gatehouses 2boundary walls |

**Report of Commissioner of Police for December 1920.**

**Strength of the Force on Dec. 31 1920.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 203 | |
| Japanese | 43 | |
| Sikhs | 673 | |
| Chinese | 1,455 | |
| | | 2,383 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 101 | |
| Followers | 229 | |
| | | 330 |
| | Total | 2,713 |

*Attempted Murder.*—Shortly before 6 p.m. on December 29 three armed Chinese entered No. 211 Weihaiwei Road the residence of General Li Kung-yuen (李根源), ex-Defence Commissioner of Kwangtung under the Southern Military Government. The men forced their way past Lieu Wei-sien (呂渭仙) who had opened the front door to them in response to their knock and having enquired whether the General resided there, fired some four or five shots from .32 automatic pistols and decamped towards the French Concession. One of the shots struck Lieu in the top part of the chest, the bullet coming out at the back of the neck. He was taken to a nearby hospital where he lies in a serious condition. There is every reason to believe that the affair has political significance and fullest investigations are at present being made.

*Robbery.*—During the month four cases of armed robbery from dwelling houses occurred in the Settlement, one in Hongkew, one in Louza, one in Gordon Road and the other in Harbin Road District. In connexion with these cases two persons were arrested and are at present under remand awaiting trial.

One case of armed highway robbery from the person was reported in Louza, and three of robbery from dwelling houses in which no arms were used, two being in Yangtszepoo and one in Sinza. Three persons were arrested in connexion with these cases and sentenced to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol.

A highway robbery in which no arms were used was committed in the Hongkew District.

One person was arrested during the month for armed robbery outside Settlement limits and ordered to be handed over to the Military Governor. A Chinese who was detained in the Police Hospital under arrest for armed robbery in November has died as the result of his injuries. Two persons under remand from last month for armed robbery outside Settlement limits have been handed over to the Chinese Authorities. Five others, under remand from last month for armed highway robbery, have now been dealt with, two being handed over to the Military Governor, one to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol while the case against the other two was dismissed.

*Extortion.*—The arrest and conviction of five men in the Hongkew District on December 7 brought to light a particularly impudent form of extortion which had but a few days previously been organized by a gang of loafers upon boatmen coming into the Hongkew Creek. In order to lend force to their scheme this gang used a partitioned space of a coolie's room which they termed an office where they issued numbered licence plates at a cost of $1 each. Possession of one of these licence plates was alleged to render the boatman and his goods free from molestation and theft. The furniture in the so-called office was the property of the coolie's employer who was not aware that his premises had been sub-let.

*Stolen Property.*—During the month 379 reports of property stolen were made at the different Stations. These include 35 of burglary, 8 of which took place in Sinza, 5 in Louza, 5 in Bubbling Well, 5 in Hongkew, 3 in Yangtszepoo, 2 in North Szechuen Road, 2 in Central, 2 in West Hongkew, 1 in Gordon Road, 1 in Wayside and 1 in Harbin Road District.

During the same period 20 cases of house-breaking were reported, 4 of godown-breaking, 4 of office-breaking and 2 of shop-breaking. In 3 of the cases of office-breaking finger print evidence was obtained against the culprit, who is well known and is at present being sought for.

Of the 379 reports received, 130 were investigated with successful results. The return shows a decrease of 18 compared with the figures of the previous month and the same figures as the corresponding month of last year.

*Executions.*—12 persons who were found guilty of armed robbery in the Settlement during 1920 and who were handed over to the Military Governor were executed at Lunghua during the month in the presence of a representative of the Municipal Police.

*Agitation against Famine Surtax and Stamp Duty.*—Following a series of meetings held during the month under the auspices of the Nantao and Settlement Chambers of Commerce to enable local merchants and traders to voice their opposition to the famine surtax and Stamp Duty, a telegram signed by representatives of 46 different guilds protesting against the new levies was sent to the Central Government and other Administrative bodies on December 27.

*Arrival of Refugees from North.*—Twenty new arrivals during the month brought the total of famine refugees in Shanghai up to 400. Food and lodging is now provided for these by the local merchants and gentry at the Chapei Benevolent Institution, and all refugees found on the streets are directed to that place.

Batches of disbanded soldiers from Lung Chi-kwang's army *en route* from Tsongchow, Chihli, to their homes in the South continue to pass through Shanghai. About 670 of these arrived during the month. The vast majority have already resumed their journey, but there is reason to fear that some have remained in Shanghai. The repatriation of these stragglers is very desirable, but not easy to effect, for, having discarded their uniform, they cannot be distinguished from civilians.

*Closing of Silk Filatures.*—Nothing has been done to alleviate distress among the workers who were thrown out of employment as a result of the closing of the silk filatures in November. One establishment employing 400 hands has reopened, but other concerns which provided work for about 8,660 people are still shut.

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*Bars* (Outside Settlement Limits).—Further drunken brawls occurred in the district off North Szechuen Road Extension known as "The Trenches" during December. The most serious of these occurred on December 13 when an American named R. F. Hazelton was fatally shot whilst in the "Eldorado" Bar, No. 3 Jukong Road. His alleged assailant, also an American citizen named Henry B. Furbush, was immediately arrested, and after a preliminary hearing in the United States Court on December 28, was committed for trial. The local Military Authorities, in consequence of this incident, have made representations to the Chapei Constabulary regarding the desirability of closing all these bars within a month. They have instead issued a notice to the keepers of these establishments to the effect that any bars found open or doing business after midnight will be summarily sealed up and their licences revoked.

*Local Koreans.*—During the month, local Koreans held a number of meetings at which the political situation in their native country was discussed, and the "Dognip," a newspaper in Korean which favours the independent movement, resumed publication. Two Koreans named Toshurko and Leeken, who were prosecuted by the police on November 26 for being drunk and disorderly, were repatriated on December 1 by the Japanese Authorities.

*Russian Affairs.*—Since December 13 Russians have been treated as unrepresented foreigners.

*Price of Rice.*—The price of rice on the last day of December as compared with the first shows an increase from $8.40—$9.50 to $9.40—$9.80.

***Identification Office.*—During the month 517 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 148 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 132 records were received from the French Police out of which number 56 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—**

| | |
|---|---|
| **For Identification** | **649** |
| **Identified** | **204** |
| **Percentage** | **31** |
| **Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only** | **10** |
| **Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences** | **26** |
| **Total** | **36** |

**Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 7.**

**The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—**

| | |
|---|---|
| 310 | ***First offenders*** **(minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc.** |
| 59 | ***First offenders*** **(serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc.** |
| 55 | ***Second offenders.*** |
| 32 | ***Third offenders.*** |
| 7 | ***Habitual offenders*** **(minor).** |
| 54 | ***Habitual offenders*** **(serious).** |
| 517 | |

***Return of Convict Labour for December***

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed for the P.W.D. | Tls. 61.89 |
| Total | Tls. 61.89 |
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. | Tls. 5,046.87 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 3,176.89 |
| Total | Tls. 1,869.98 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. 1,931.87 |

**Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licenses suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.**

**K. J. McEuen,**
***Commissioner of Police.***

**RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.**

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:—* | |
| Assault | 5 |
| Indecent assault | 1 |
| Murder | 1 |
| Rape | 1 |
| Threatening with a loaded revolver | 1 |
| 2.—*Offences Against Property:—* | |
| False pretences and forgery | 1 |
| Larceny | 7 |
| Robbery | 2 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:—* | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions:—* | |
| Motor car | 1 |
| Motor cycle | 1 |
| Restaurant | 1 |
| Arms | 1 |
| Nuisances | 2 |
| Aiding and abetting | 1 |
| Begging | 2 |
| Being in possession of a stolen passenger ticket | 1 |
| Disorderly conduct | 3 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 10 |
| Obstruction | 2 |
| 4.—*Miscellaneous Case:—* | 1 |
| Total | 45 |

| | Foreigners | Natives | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,403 | 1,403 |
| Others | 39 | 883 | 922 |
| Total | 39 | 2,286 | 2,325 |

**RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Cautioned | 1 |
| Committed for trial | 1 |
| Dismissed | 5 |
| Fined | 16 |
| Handed over to Naval Authorities | 4 |
| Imprisonment | 9 |
| " and Expulsion | 2 |
| " and Fined | 2 |
| Released on Security | 1 |
| Remanded | 4 |
| Total | 45 |

**PRISONERS IN CUSTODY on December 31.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 5 |
| Louza Station | — |
| Hongkew Station | 8 |
| Harbin Road Station | 3 |
| West Hongkew Station | 3 |
| Wayside Station | 3 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 3 |
| Sinza Station | 19 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 4 |
| Gordon Road Station | 2 |
| Gaol | 1,595 |
| Reformatory | 52 |
| Total | 1,697 |

**VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN November 27 and December 31**

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 82,143.51 |
| Recovered | 28,219 31 |

**VEHICLE LICENCES.**

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 919 | 232 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 919 | 232 |

**DOGS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 30/11/20 | 38 | 284 |
| Captured | 246 | |
| Returned | 56 | 284 |
| Killed | 191 | |
| At Observation Kennels | — | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 37 | |

**Report of the Commissioner of Public Works for December, 1920.**

Outside work, except such as was being carried on by contract, practically ceased during the month owing to the financial appropriation for the year being exhausted.

The General Plan of the Sewerage System for the portion of the Central District east of Honan Road has been completed, and it is anticipated that a commencement will be made in the near future on the actual work of construction. Plans of the Disposal Works are, as yet, in abeyance, as several essential points still require investigation before they can be carried out.

A commencement has been made on the erection of the permanent laboratory and offices that will be required on the site of the works. Some small experimental tanks, to be erected, generally speaking, on the same lines as for the ultimate works, being also constructed immediately adjoining.

*Municipal Properties.*

*Administration Building.*—The Electricity Department moved into

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their new offices during Christmas week.

*Louza Police Station, Extension.*—The walls have now reached the level of the third floor, and the first floor concrete has been poured.

*Hongkew Police Station Extension, Indians' Quarters.*—The brick work to main walls is up to first floor level.

*Gordon Road Police Station Gymnasium.*—The building is roofed in and the interior work is proceeding.

*Isolation Hospital—Observation Suites.*—The building is now roofed over.

*Yochow Road Workshops.*—The brickwork of fitting shop is approaching roof level, and that of the Godown is approximately up to the level of the first floor.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—1,315.50 bag of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month. The average number of coolies and artisans employed was 204.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings collected cart-loads | 4,577 |
| Ashes-cartloads | 988 |
| Used for raising land | 487 |
| Water used for street watering | 1,846,200 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,231 |
| Artisans | 400 |
| Foremen | 235 |
| Mafoos | 151 |

*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 5,683 pieces |
| Machine made | 4,652 ,, |
| Total | 10,335 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 56 admissions during the month, and 114 cubit feet of stone broken.

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 68 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates issued | 52 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 24 |
| New lots put under taxation | 10 |
| Assessed value of land placed under taxation | Tls. 21,033 |
| Official plans prepared | 41 |
| Surveys made in connexion with road widenings and/or extensions | 40 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 68 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follow:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Western District | 10 |

*New Buildings.*

| | |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 409 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 101 |
| Plans approved | 71 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,850 |
| Boundary walls erected | |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | 376 |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| Dangerous notices issued | 4 |
| Summonses | 1 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 25 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 60 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by P.W.D. | 4 |
| First intimation notices issued | 4 |
| | 4 |

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一、所有承攬事件由英文閱列於下

二、清單送請各廠商承攬

三、信內必須聲明本人願遵照本局定章辦理

四、信內必須附有本人之保證金

五、所有承攬人之姓名及住址

六、所有承攬人之姓名及住址

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 597 | Supply of Boiler for Pingchiao Quarry | — | January 24, Noon |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, Administration Building, Foochow Road | | |
| 209 | Erection of three Bungalows at Riverside Power Station | Tls. 5 | January 20, Noon |
| 210 | Demolishing and removing reinforced concrete supports of two turbo-generators at Riverside Power Station | — | ,, 22, ,, |
| 211 | Filling, raising and levelling ground on B.C. Lot 9606 at corner of Pingyang and Pingliang Roads, approximately 1,000 fong super. Tenders to be addressed to the Acting Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | — | ,, 22, ,, |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

Tender No. 207

Gun Metal and Brass Castings

| | Gun-Metal per lb. | Brass per lb. |
|---|---|---|
| *Van Chong | Tls. 0.42 | Tls. 0.32 |
| Fah Chong | 0.43 | 0.325 |
| Tai Chong Iron Works | 0.45 | 0.36 |
| Wha Tung | 0.46 | 0.35 |
| Tuh Shun Chong | 0.47 | 0.365 |
| Tuck Tai Iron Works | 0.48 | 0.34 |
| Kien Cheong | 0.70 | 0.50 |

Tender No. 208

Cast Iron Castings

| | Loam per lb. | Sand per lb. |
|---|---|---|
| Fah Cheong | Tls. 0.046 | Tls. 0.039 |
| *Van Chong | 0.046 | 0.04 |
| Tuck Tai Iron Works | 0.0475 | 0.0435 |
| Tai Chong Iron Works | 0.048 | 0.045 |
| Tuh Shun Chong | 0.049 | 0.041 |
| Wha Tung | 0.051 | 0.049 |
| Kien Cheong | 0.075 | 0.060 |

* Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2796.**

**7 per cent. LOAN, 1920.**

**Tls. 2,240,000.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan has been closed, the Loan having been fully subscribed.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 20, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2804.**

**MUNICIPAL INVESTMENT BANK.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on March 5, 1921, Debentures in the 7 per cent. Silver Loan 1920 will be allotted to depositors in respect of the amounts at their credit on January 8, 1921, with interest thereon up to March 5, 1921. Accounts will be debited with the allotments at 92½ per cent.

Deposits received during the period January 9 to September 5, 1921, will carry interest at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, calculated in the manner provided for under Rule 4, and will be in respect of the Loan of 1921 the terms of which will be announced after the next Ratepayers' meeting.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2805.**

**LOSS OF DEBENTURE CERTIFICATE.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the debenture certificate hereunder specified has been declared to be lost and the public is warned against its negotiation.

Application has been made for the issue of a duplicate certificate, and should no objection be lodged with the Municipal Treasurer and Comptroller within 30 days from date hereof, the application will be complied with and the original certificate will be treated as cancelled.

| Loan | Distinctive Number | Value of Debenture Tls. | Total Value Tls. | Registered in the name of |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1907 | 10,707 | 1,000 | 1,000 | The Master and Treasurer Antient Landmark Lodge |

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2797**

**HISTORY OF SHANGHAI.**

THE first volume of this work, to be completed in three volumes, will shortly be published by Messrs. Kelly and Walsh Ld. at $7.50.

The Council is anxious to secure a few good photographs or prints of Shanghai prior to the year 1858, for reproduction and inclusion in this volume, more particularly is it desired to secure a good print of the Signing of the Treaty of Nanking on board H.M.S. Cornwallis, on August 29, 1842.

The greatest care will be taken of any photographs or prints forwarded to the undersigned in response to this Notification.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 20, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2792.**

*(Translation)*

**RICE PROFITEERING.**

FROM investigations made by the Council into the causes contributing to the present abnormally high price of rice, it appears that, in their greed for personal gain and unmindful of the hardships and suffering caused to poor people, certain persons have accumulated stocks of rice, which they are withholding from the market, creating a temporary shortage of supplies, and forcing up the price to an unwarranted figure.

Rice is the staple food of the Chinese people, and profiteering or speculating in the food of the people is an offence against the law, and severely punishable.

Notice is accordingly given that any persons profiteering in rice, whether by the withholding of stocks or by any other means, are liable to prosecution with severe penalties on conviction, and with confiscation of their stocks.

The public is earnestly requested to report any cases of rice profiteering that may come to its knowledge. Such reports should be in writing, addressed to the Commissioner of Police, Central Police Station, Foochow Road, and should give as full particulars as possible, so as to facilitate prosecution against the concerned.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 13, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2787.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

**JANUARY, 1921.**

DURING the month of January, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be as follows:—

| 1st-10th | 11th-20th | 21st-end of month. |
|---|---|---|
| 5.14 | 5.23 | 5.33 |

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 23, 1920.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2798.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

**FEBRUARY, 1921.**

DURING the month of February, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be as follows:—

| 1st-10th | 11th-20th | 21st-end of month |
|---|---|---|
| 5.41 | 5.50 | 5.56 |

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2793.**

**HOTEL OR TAVERN—ON LICENCES.**

THE following amended licence conditions will be enforced from this date:—

23. That no opium smoking be permitted on the premises, and that the licensee shall notify the Police of the presence of any lodger or customer found to be smoking opium.
24. That lodgers or customers carrying firearms or other dangerous weapons be immediately reported to the Police.

The existing conditions Nos. 23 and 24 are accordingly renumbered 25 and 26.

20. The following is substituted for the existing licence condition of this number:—That no thieves, disreputable persons, revolutionists, anarchists, plotters against the Government of China, political offenders or men wanted by the Chinese Government shall knowingly be permitted to lodge, visit or assemble in the premises, or deposit any goods therein, and that immediate information be given to the Police if any persons herein named are found lodging on the premises.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 20, 1921.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2799.**
**MOTOR BICYCLES.**

THE attention of all owners of Motor Bicycles is drawn to Condition No. 5 of their licences which provides *inter alia*: that between sunset and sunrise the vehicle carry "(b) a lighted tail lamp exhibiting a red light towards the rear and so placed and maintained at all times as to render every figure of the licence number easily distinguishable at a reasonable distance."

The Police have instructions strictly to enforce this condition, and owners are hereby notified that from January 1, 1921, the illumination at sunset of *rear* number plates is obligatory.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2800.**
**CHINESE FIREMEN FOR WATCHING DUTIES.**

EMPLOYERS of Chinese Firemen for Watching Duties are hereby notified that from January 1, 1921, the charges for a fireman for watching duties are $20 per mensem or $1 per day for short duty.

All enquiries regarding Chinese Firemen should be addressed to the Chief Officer, Central Fire Station, Honan Road.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2794.**
**THOMAS HANBURY SCHOOL FOR BOYS.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the posts of two Matrons in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys. Applicants should state age, nationality, qualifications and experience in work of a similar character. Some nursing experience is essential. Pay for first agreement Tls. 126.50 per mensem with a deduction of Tls. 60 per mensem for uniform, board and quarters. Previous experience in the Shanghai Municipal Service will be taken into account in fixing the rate of pay.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 20, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2795.**
**EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.**
*Public School for Boys.*

*Evening Classes.*—The following classes have been formed:—

English, Elementary, for Beginners;
Mondays and Wednesdays at 6 p.m.
English, Intermediate;
Mondays and Wednesdays at 6 p.m.
English, Advanced:
Mondays and Wednesdays at 6 p.m.
French,
Mondays and Wednesdays at 5.30 p.m.

Students who have entered their names, and others who desire to attend should present themselves at the school at the time stated.

The names so far received for Book-keeping, Shorthand, and Business Training are not sufficient in number to enable classes to be formed at present, but should enough additional names be received work will at once be started.

The fee for each subject is $7.50 per mensem.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 20, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2801.**
**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHINESE.**
*(Translation.)*

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the Summer term on Wednesday, February 23, at 9 a.m.

Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.

Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads.

Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.

Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25 except for the Public School for Chinese and the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $35 and $20, respectively, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Monday, February 21, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Tuesday, February 22, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive and examine new pupils, who should be under 15 years of age. Boys from 7 to 10 years of age are preferred to those of more advanced age.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2802.**
**CLOSE SEASON FOR GAME.**

THE public is hereby reminded that the sale of pheasants is prohibited after February 16, and that of deer, hare, partridges and all small birds after March 1. No prohibition attaches to the sale of snipe, quail, woodcock and wild fowl.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2803.**
**CHINESE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Municipal Offices will be closed to public business from Tuesday, February 8, to Friday, February 11, inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2806.**

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Junior Clerk in the Public Health Department.

Applications, in candidates' own handwriting, should state age, qualifications, etc. Preference will be given to a candidate with a knowledge of typewriting. Applications should be forwarded by letter only to the Health Officer, No. 1 Honan Road, not later than February 21.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

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AT the meeting of a Sub-Committee of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Wednesday, January 19, 1921, at 5.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. G. Humphrys
A. C. Hynes
D. McColl

The meeting adjourned at 7.15 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Watch Committee held on Friday, January, 21, 1921, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. S. Fessenden (*Chairman*)
H. H. Girardet
H. G. Simms

The meeting adjourned at 6.10 p.m.

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AT the meeting of a Sub-Committee of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, January 21, 1921, at 5.15 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. G. Humphrys
A. C. Hynes
D. McColl

The meeting adjourned at 7.30 p.m.

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AT the special meeting of the Council held on Monday, January 24, 1921, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. E. F. Mackay (*Acting Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

*Absent*:
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith
H. H. Girardet
H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 1.05 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Tuesday, January 25, 1921, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. E. F. Mackay (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, January 26, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. E. F. Mackay (*Acting Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
H. A. Macintyre
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

*Absent*:
Mr. A. Brooke Smith

The meeting adjourned at 6.15 p.m.

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### Volunteer Corps.

*Corps Regulations.*—The new code of "Regulations for the Shanghai Volunteer Corps, January 1921" has been approved by the Council, and an issue is being made to all concerned. These Regulations come into operation immediately and supersede all previous issues which should be destroyed.

*Headquarters.*—Major H. W. Pilcher is appointed Second-in-Command of the Corps, vice Lieut.-Colonel T. E. Trueman resigned.

Leave is granted to Colonel R. Marr Johnson, Commandant, from January 30 to February 13, both dates inclusive.

During the absence on leave of Colonel R. Marr Johnson, Commandant, the Corps will be commanded by Major H. W. Pilcher.

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Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, the following promotions are authorized:—

*Japanese Company.*—2nd Lieutenants S. Kikuta and C. Matsuno to be Lieutenants from August 21, 1920

Sergeant T. Date to be 2nd Lieutenant.

*Italian Company.*—Sergeant O. Cavazza to be 2nd Lieutenant.

### Charity Organization Committee.

Report and Statement of Accounts for 1920 and Budget for 1921:—

Shanghai, January 20, 1921.

SIR,—The Committee of the Charity Organization beg to hand you herewith a report on their work for the year ending December 31, 1920, together with a statement of their accounts.

Yours truly,
ADA WHEEN,
*Secretary,*
*Charity Organization Committee of The King's Daughters' Society.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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*Report of the Working of the Charity Organization Committee for the year ending December 31, 1920.*

Seven members were appointed to serve on the Committee at the beginning of the year:—

Mrs. Macdonald in the Chair.
,, Chambers.
,, Chatley.
,, Garner.
,, Grant.
,, Henman.
,, Porter.

Owing to the departure of the Chairman for England early in March Mrs. Chambers was invited to the Chair, whilst Mrs. Hodges was asked to fill the vacancy thus caused on the Committee. Mrs. Chatley and Mrs. Hodges joined the Visiting Committee in place of Mrs. Macdonald resigned and Mrs. Garner who left on furlough. The remaining vacancy caused by the absence of Mrs. Porter was filled by Miss Ware. Mrs. Henman very kindly took over the duties of Hon. Treasurer during the absence of Mrs. Garner.

The meetings have been held every Saturday, the total number being 21, and the average attendance 5.

The number of visitors to the room during the past year is approximately, 3,231. The Secretary has made about 405 visits. Whilst the Visiting Committee has done good work in keeping in touch with most of the families who have made application for relief in any way.

It is no doubt, needless to say, that a great deal of extra work has been put on the shoulders of the Committee during the past year owing to the increased and continued arrival of refugees of all nationalities from Siberia. They present difficulties possibly unknown in any other port of the world, and for many of them little or nothing can be done beyond grants of clothing.

During the early part of the year the Committee were glad to be able to render assistance, with the co-operation of The King's Daughters' Society, to the Refugee Relief Committee. Passages and portions of passages were provided, and/or the wherewithal for landing, for many destitute but deserving families. Some were sent to America, India, Port Said, Sumatra, Australia and Canada. For example:—

A Russian who had lost his wife in America thought to take his two small children back to his parents in Russia, found himself stranded in Shanghai. They were given meals at the Relief Committee's rooms on the Bund and were supplied with tram tickets by The King's Daughters as they were living out at the Russian Church. On the closing of the Committee's rooms they were given milk and groceries, and later on, when a passage was available, monetary assistance was given through Madame Grosse, and they returned to America where the father had friends, and was sure of getting work at his old trade in a glass factory.

For a woman who was a widow and crippled, her passage and all expenses were paid through Messrs. Thos. Cook and Sons, to Lahore where she had previously lived, no money being handed to her direct.

Another was the case of a position being found for a man in Manila, passages were paid for his wife and child to enable them to go with him.

These are only three of the many, where, unless it was absolutely unavoidable, no actual money has been given, but rather demand drafts or orders which could only be cashed on arrival. This has been done in order to frustrate any attempts to squander or gamble the money away, either on the journey or before starting.

There still continue a number of old cases formerly on the books of The King's Daughters' Society and the original Charity Organization Committee. These have received help for many years, and in all probability will continue to need it until the end of their days.

The total number of new cases dealt with amounts to 340 and is made up of the following nationalities:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Russian | 120 |
| British | 56 |
| Poles | 26 |
| Rumanian | 10 |
| Greeks | 2 |
| Canadians | 7 |
| Dutch | 1 |
| Armenians | 3 |
| Esthonians | 18 |
| French | 7 |
| Americans | 30 |
| Czecho-Slovaks | 8 |
| Austrians | 3 |
| Letts | 8 |
| Jugo-Slav | 1 |
| Brazilian | 1 |
| Belgian | 2 |
| Swiss | 2 |
| Chilian | 3 |
| Porto Rican | 1 |
| Swede | 3 |
| Portuguese | 7 |
| Italian | 2 |
| Arabian | 1 |
| Ukranian | 1 |
| Montenegran | 1 |
| Alsatian | 2 |
| Finns | 10 |
| Australians | 1 |
| Danes | 1 |
| Norwegians | 3 |

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Positions have been found for 43, the number who have been assisted to get away is 28, whilst 64 persons have been rendered help in other ways, and 928 persons and/or families have been supplied with clothing.

As last year, so again this year the question of promiscuous giving arises, and the Committee wish to tender their thanks to the different ladies and gentlemen, who in response to their appeal, have sent applicants to the rooms instead of giving them money in the streets, at their doors or at offices. Telephone North 2516 will find the Secretary who is always willing to give information regarding these mendicants, or investigate their cases.

In most instances those who have been sent have proved to be persons who have already received assistance, or are absolutely undeserving of any consideration, as, generally speaking, deserving cases do not appeal in this manner.

At the latter part of last year and early in this, the public were pestered by beggars from the Urals. At the present time there is a gang of gypsies going around calling themselves Rumanians, about 26 in number, and residing off the Seward Road. On investigation it was found that they were "professional" beggars and comparatively speaking, wealthy. One of the gang visited a gentleman here and pulling out a bag of money containing many gold coins stated that they had enough money for their passages, but wanted assistance to get their pass-ports *viséd* for Canada. A husband who is bedridden with rheumatism, according to a type-written chit carried by the wife, will be found outside any of the offices or houses waiting to take charge of the spoils donated by the kind-hearted inmates. Still one more example from the same gang, a strong healthy man was watched one morning stripping off coat, waistcoat, etc., which clothing he handed to a small girl, until he got down to a very ragged jersey evidently worn for the purpose. After this performance he walked into the office with a woman carrying a small baby, asking for clothes, on the plea that he had none.

TENEMENT HOUSE.

The four flats have been fully occupied throughout 1920, many deserving cases having to be refused admittance. During the early part of the year efforts were made to secure other premises, but without success. Later on the Committee decided not to incur any extra expense for the time being. In February and April two subscriptions were discontinued as the contributors were leaving Shanghai, and in December the remaining two were withdrawn for the same reason. Thus the maintenance of the Tenement House now wholly devolves upon the funds of The King's Daughters' Society. The long continued support from the gentlemen who made the venture possible is greatly appreciated and sincere thanks are tendered to them.

In the near future there is a possibility of the vacation of the Tenement House now under the management of the Charity League, that Society having commenced building. Finances permitting, The King's Daughters would like to secure these quarters as they are eminently suitable for housing families living separately.

Of the four new cases helped this year details of two here follow:—

(*a*) A Frenchwoman and her little son, refugees from Russia, arriving here destitute. The mother wishing to give French lessons The King's Daughters allowed her the use of a room at 5A North Soochow Road as Dixwell Road was too far away for the convenience of her pupils. Being a good teacher a permanent position in a school was obtained, whereupon other lodgings were taken.

(*b*) A Russian photographer, his wife and little boy, also refugees, who had the use of one small room at the Russian Church, the only place available for his work being under the stairs. They were given a "flat."

An opportunity offering of renting a portion of a shop in North Soochow Road for a studio, the Russian Benevolent Society guaranteed some expenses, applying to The King's Daughters to pay the rent for a month or two. This request was granted. Unfortunately the studio was situated in a rather out-of-the-way part, and in addition was opened just as the summer began, so that little patronage was received. The studio had to be closed at the expiration of the two months. But for the generosity of friends who for some time provided meals, the family would have starved as they would not apply to The King's Daughters, considering that enough assistance had been given. It was only upon close questioning that their plight was discovered.

MENTAL DEFICIENTS.

The Committee are happy to state that the case of the Mental Deficient referred to in their last Annual Report, who had been on the books since the commencement of the Organization, has now been sent by H.B.M's Consul-General to a suitable institution in England. In view of the fact that the mental deficients are still with us, and that the unsatisfactory conditions under which they live, cry out for remedy, the Committee still hope that it may early be possible to supply certain legislation, that these people may be cared for, and when possible, taught to do some light and easy work. It is hoped that the need for a home for these people will not be lost sight of.

CONVALESCENT HOME.

Another great need has become apparent to the Committee in their work, and that is a Convalescent Home for children with accommodation for women when necessary. To the children the principal evils of poverty are material ones, lack of nourishing food, suitable clothing and healthy home surroundings. For the destitute sick outside the hospital, the District Nurse does good work, but with all that she can do for them in their homes, there is still need of provision for convalescents who are sent from the hospital too weak for school or work, and are still needing rest, good food and pure air to effect a complete cure. It would also be a home where children could be placed, who through misfortune or otherwise, had been deprived of their natural home.

Thanks to the liberality of the Race Club, The King's Daughters have been able to set aside $1,000 for this purpose, to which various sums have been added by subscriptions and a small sale. They have now about $1,600 in hand, and are also in receipt of $25 monthly for one year. The difficulty at present is to find a suitable spot in the country not too far away for the parents and friends to visit.

One or two cases might here be quoted when the home would have proved of immense value:—

(*a*) A European family was visited, the mother found to be dying of sprue, with no one to look after her and a baby of four months (weighing only 7 lbs.) but three small children. The eldest a girl of nine looked after the mother, the next girl of eight was feeding the baby and a little boy of six was cooking their tiffin over three sticks at the bottom of the grate, the tiffin consisting of cornflour and water. The mother and the baby were looked after by the District Nurse, who removed them to the hospital. A meal of bread, butter and cocoa was given to the children, who were later brought to the rooms and given a hot bath and clean clothing. As the whereabouts of the father and the eldest lad, a boy of eleven was unknown a home had to be provided for the children. They were placed with a good-hearted Portuguese lady who had a large family of her own. The King's Daughters' Society paid for their board. The mother died two days after admittance into the hospital and the baby was later on adopted by a family in one of the outports. The other children two boys and two girls are being supported by various agencies. The fath-

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er was assisted to leave for Canada and has apparently made a good start. He has written stating that he hopes soon to send for his family.

(b) A little boy who has epileptic fits, who seems to spend his time in and out of the hospital. The Committee had great expectations of getting him away to a suitable institution in America, but up to the present the difficulties appear insurmountable. Nothing can be done beyond supplying him with milk. The mother who has younger children is incapable of giving him the proper care.

(c) Is a little girl who suffers with her chest, but is reported as not tubercular. Her mother has to go out to work, and the child needs plenty of care as well as fresh air and good nourishing food.

In addition to these the District Nurse has brought to the notice of the Committee innumerable instances of children who would reap untold benefits by two or three months of fresh air treatment and good food during a trying summer such as we experienced this past year.

In conclusion, the Committee wish to tender their thanks to the Consuls, numerous Benevolent Societies and individuals for their co-operation and assistance so willingly given when required, and to Mr. Hawkings for kindly auditing the accounts.

MARGARET G. CHAMBERS,
*Chairman,*
*Charity Organization Committee of the King's Daughters' Society.*

WORKING ACCOUNT

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To Balance on Hand Jan. 1920 | | $2,314.99 |
| Municipal Grant, Tls. 4,700.00 | | 6,456.76 |
| Charges to K. D. S. Rent and Telephone | | 588.75 |
| Bank Interest | | 33.63 |
| | | $9,394.13 |
| By Salaries and Wages | | |
| Foreigners $3,965.63 | | |
| Chinese 243.00 | | $4,208 63 |
| Rent and Taxes | | 1,315 15 |
| Telephones Charges | | 203.29 |
| Water | | 48.70 |
| Fuel | | 51.00 |
| Locomotion | | 704.00 |
| Stationery | | 100.94 |
| Maintentance and Repaires | | 62.25 |
| Postage and Stamps | | 53.67 |
| Allowance for Secretary's Passage | | 800.00 |
| Balance on Hand | | 1,846.50 |
| | | $9,394.13 |

CHARITY ACCOUNT

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To Balance in Hand Jan. 1920 | | $145.12 |
| Receipts on Account of local Charity | | 1,719.95 |
| Trust Money | | 1,051.79 |
| Convalescent Home Fund | | |
| Subscriptions $ 35.00 | | |
| Donations 1,571.65 | | 1,606.65 |
| Bank Interest | | 16.81 |
| | | $4,540.32 |
| By Board and Lodging | | $ 518.00 |
| School fees | | 491.05 |
| Rent | | 60.00 |
| Alms | | 667 36 |
| Coal | | 20.00 |
| Trust Money, Kogan | | 94.50 |
| Ambulance | | 2.00 |
| Passage Money | | 382.39 |
| School Outfits | | 197.60 |
| Convalescent Home Fund Sale Advertisement | | 9.00 |
| Balance on Hand | | 2,098.42 |
| | | $4,540.32 |

TENEMENT HOUSE ACCOUNT

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To Balance on Hand Jan. 1920 | | $ 66.96 |
| Subscriptions | | 270.00 |
| Donations | $ 12.30 | |
| | 1,100.00 | 1,112.30 |
| | | $1,449.26 |
| By Rent | | $ 360.00 |
| Taxes | | 29.19 |
| Water | | 14.40 |
| Repairs | | 8.71 |
| Balance in Hand appropriated as follows :— | | |
| In trust for new Tenement House | $500.00 | |
| Due to K.D.S. for payments made during 1920 | 205.90 | |
| Working balance | 331.06 | 1,036.96 |
| | | $1,449.26 |

DOROTHY M. HENMAN,
*Hon. Treasurer.*
Shanghai, January 15, 1921.

Audited and found correct,
W. J. HAWKINGS,
Shanghai, January 18, 1921.

ORDINARY EXPENDITURE
*Charity Organization Committee of the King's Daughters' Society.*
*Estimates for 1921*

| | | 1921 Tls. | 1920 Tls. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pay :— | | | |
| Foreigners | 2,880 | | |
| Chinese | 316 | 3,196 | 3,180 |
| Rent and Taxes | | 588 | 588 |
| Telephone Service | | 98 | 98 |
| Stationery and Postage | | 75 | 75 |
| Fuel | | 70 | 70 |
| Light | | Nil. | Nil. |
| Water | | 36 | 36 |
| Maintenance and Repairs | | 50 | 50 |
| Locomotion | | 540 | 540 |
| Miscellaneous | | 30 | 30 |
| Total Tls. | | 4,683 | 4,667 |

| | Tls. | Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| Pay :— | | |
| Foreigners | | |
| Secretary | 1,800 | |
| Assistant Secretary | 1,080 | 2,880 |
| Chinese Clerk | 248 | |
| " Boy | 68 | 316 |
| Rent and Taxes | | 588 |
| Telephone Desk and one shared with the K.D.S. | | 98 |
| Printing, Stationery and Postage | | 75 |
| Fuel (two fires for 5 months) | | 70 |
| Light paid by the K.D.S. | | Nil. |
| Water | | 36 |
| Maintenance and repairs to furniture and fittings | | 50 |
| Locomotion—Carriage for Secretary's use at $60 per mensem | | 540 |
| Miscellaneous Ricksha fares, mops, brushes and dusters | | 30 |
| | Total | 4,683 |

ADA HODGES,
*Acting Chairman.*

D. M. HENMAN,
*Hon. Treasurer.*
Shanghai, December 18, 1920.

## Educational Grants in Aid.

*St. Francis Xavier's College.*—Report and working account for 1920 of the Orphanage attached to this Institution :—

Shanghai, January 20, 1921.

DEAR SIR,—I beg to forward you, herewith, the Financial Statement of the Orphanage, attached to the College, for the year 1920.

During the year 218 pupils attended, viz. :—

Boarders :—
- 24 at an average pension of $8 per month=$1,920
- 44 entirely free
- 5 half-boarders at $4 per month=$200

} Rec. $1,765

Day Scholars :—
- 67 at $2 per month =$1,140
- 14 at $1 per month =$140.00
- 74 entirely free

} Rec. $1,112

As regards the expenses, you will notice that they are higher than those of 1919. This was due to the enhanced cost of food, etc.

I am afraid that the cost maintenance will be still greater in the coming year, for we have been lately notified of further increases in the prices of food-stuffs, etc.

Will you kindly convey to the Members of the Municipal Council our sincerest thanks for the great help they give us in the education and support of the poor children of Shanghai.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
BROTHER ANTONIN,
*Director.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

WORKING ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

| | |
|---|---|
| Municipal Grant, Tls. 2,500 | $ 3,424.72 |
| *Fees:* Day scholars | 932.00 |
| Boarders | 1,765.00 |
| Half-boarders | 200.00 |
| Society of St. Vincent de Paul | 300 00 |
| Debit Balance | 16,735.28 |
| | $23,357.00 |

EXPENSES

| | |
|---|---|
| Board of 68 boys at $15 per month during 10 months | $10,200.00 |
| Board of 30 boys at $15 per month during 2 months (holidays) | 900.00 |
| Half-boarders | 560.00 |
| Washing and Mending | 1,964.00 |
| New Clothes | 860.00 |
| Games | 100.00 |
| Medical attendance | 115.00 |
| Medicines | 30.00 |
| Stationery and books supplied | 724 00 |
| Fuel, light and water | 1,560 00 |
| Shoes and boots supplied | 994.00 |
| Repairs to premises, etc. | 500.00 |
| Servants' Wages | 350.00 |
| Salaries of Teachers | 4,500.00 |
| | $23,357.00 |

BRO. ANTONIN,
*Director.*

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*St. Joseph's Institution.*—Statement of accounts for 1920:—

*Translation of letter from St. Joseph's Institution, dated January 20, 1921.*

SIR,—I have the honour to send you herewith enclosed the accounts of the Providence Orphanage for the year 1920, and I take this opportunity to express to you, as well as to the members of Council, our gratitude for the help which is given to us yearly for the education of the children confided to our care, who, moreover, satisfy us by their good conduct as well as by their application to their studies.

With a renewed expression of our thankfulness.

I am, etc.,
M. DE ST. PHILOMENE,
*Mother Superior.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

WORKING ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

| | |
|---|---|
| Grant: English Municipality | $4,100.65 |
| French Municipality | 3,840.00 |
| *Fees* received | 2,280.00 |
| Donation | 1,300.00 |
| Revenue of the Work room | 1,015.80 |
| | $12,536.45 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Expenses | $23,569.69 |
| Receipts | 12,536.45 |
| Difference | 11,033.24 |

EXPENSES

| | |
|---|---|
| 120 Pupils at $ 9 per month | $12.960.00 |
| Location (part) | 5,141.16 |
| Washing | 2,880.00 |
| Water | 104.00 |
| Fuel and Light | 541.95 |
| Medicines | 83.75 |
| Outside Teachers (part) | 350.00 |
| Servants (3) | 240.00 |
| Books and Stationery | 108.50 |
| Shoes | 159.50 |
| Houselinen and Clothes | 587.43 |
| Excursions and Rewards | 163.40 |
| Whitewashing and Repairs | 250.00 |
| | $23,569.69 |

87 Pupils entirely free of charge
33 Paying on an average $5 per month

*Institution of the Holy Family.*—Statement of Accounts for 1920:

Shanghai, January 22, 1921.

SIR,—I beg to enclose the Financial Statement of our Institution for the year 1920.

May I avail myself of this opportunity and thank you most sincerely for the help so kindly given, which enables us to continue our work.

With the renewed expression of our gratitude.

I remain, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
M. DE ST. SIMON,
*Mother Superior.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

WORKING ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

| | |
|---|---|
| Grant: Tls. 1,800.00 | $2,465.98 |
| School Fees: Day Scholars | 3,654.85 |
| | $6,120.83 |

EXPENDITURE

| | |
|---|---|
| Salaries to Teachers | $11,340.00 |
| Salaries to Extra Teachers | 2,909.00 |
| Hospital Fees to Teachers | 154.56 |
| Food, Boarders | 7,920.00 |
| Food, Half-Boarders | 1,678.00 |
| Washing | 2,112.00 |
| Water | 145.80 |
| Lighting | 356.76 |
| Fuel | 1,655.52 |
| Repairing of Buildings | 5,389.39 |
| Infirmary | 90.00 |
| Linen, Clothes and Shoes | 2,263.87 |
| Books and Stationery | 275.82 |
| Servants | 1,740.00 |
| | $38,030.72 |

Loan for Buildings and Interest for the Loan: $27,936.26
44 Boarders.—
19 gratis, 52 at very reduced fees equivalent to 25 Gratis } Gratis
62 Half-Boarders } Gratis
181 Day Scholars } Gratis
317 Day Scholars at very reduced fees.

**Tramways.**

*Rolling Stock.*—Interchange of letters with the Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld., on the subject of the placing in service of five additional trailer cars:—

Shanghai, December 31, 1920.

SIR,—With the approval of the Council, the Company proposes immediately to put in hand the construction of five additional two compartment trailer cars of the same type as the 15 constructed and brought into use this year, thus making the number of trailer cars the same as the number of motor tramcars, viz., 90, and permitting each motor car to have a trailer according to traffic requirements.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. MCCOLL,
*General Manager,*
*Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 18, 1921.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of December 31, requesting the Council's approval of the construction of five additional two-compartment trailer cars making the total number the same as the number of motor tram cars, and thus permitting each motor car to have a trailer according to traffic requirements.

In reply I am directed to inform you that the Council approves your proposals.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

D. MCCOLL, Esq.,
General Manager,
Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ld.

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

The object of the Bank is to encourage and facilitate monthly saving for periodical investment in Municipal Debentures.

The Rules of the Bank are printed below, and are self-explanatory.

The scheme should appeal to all those who are in receipt of a fixed monthly salary (whether large or small) as it provides an ideal method of saving and investing money at one and the same time, with the minimum amount of inconvenience to the individual.

There is only one way in which capital can be accumulated, and that is by steady saving. It is astonishing what the habit of saving can accomplish.

RULES.

1. Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2. Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, Administration Building, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3. Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4. Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5. On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balances remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6. The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made and the balance remaining at his credit refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

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OFFICE HOURS: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

AN ANALYSIS OF THE SCHEME INTEREST.

During the period January 9 to September 5, 1919, the Council is offering the exceptionally favourable rate of seven per cent. per annum. At the conclusion of this period the rate of interest that will then be offered will naturally depend upon the conditions of the local money market. It will be safe to assume, however, that the rate will be appreciably higher than could be earned by deposits which are subject to withdrawal on demand.

ALLOTMENT OF DEBENTURES.

The debentures to be allotted on September 5, 1921, will be those of the Loan of 1921 the terms of which will be announced after the next Ratepayers' meeting.

GENERAL.

The Scheme, on analysis, will be found to be simply an easy method of purchasing debentures by instalments, with the added advantage that the depositor obtains 7 per cent. interest during the period his instalments are accumulating. Every half year he, in effect, withdraws his money in the shape of debenture certificates which he can sell on the market if he so desires. It is probable that the depositor, when once he has realized that he has become a holder of Municipal Debentures, without incurring any particular hardship in the process, will hesitate before selling his securities, and will re-double his efforts to increase his holding. It is further to be noted that the Bank offers exceptional facilities for the re-investment of the half-yearly interest on Debentures.

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer and Comptroller.*

## Sanitary Station.

Shanghai, January 18, 1921.

SIR,—I have the honour to hand you, enclosed, a statement of Receipts and Payments in connexion with the Sanitary Station at Woosung for the December Quarter 1920.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. GORDON LOWDER,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

The CHAIRMAN, Municipal Council.

RECEIPTS

| | Hk. Tls. |
|---|---|
| Balance from September Quarter 1920. | — |
| Foreign Municipal Council's Contribution | 1,346.50 |
| French Municipal Council's Contribution | 471.28 |
| Superintendent's Contribution | 2,693.00 |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 251.34 |
| Gain by Exchange | 63.73 |
| Interest on Mortgage Account | — |
| Total Receipts | 4,825.85 |
| Debit Balance on December 31, 1920 | 12,460.65 |
| | 17,286.50 |

EXPENDITURE

| | Hk. Tls. |
|---|---|
| Balance due on September 30, 1920 | 12,113.78 |
| Salaries Foreign Staff | 1,975.80 |
| " Chinese " | 1,327.00 |
| Maintenance Account | 192.37 |
| Coal and Stores for Tender | 1,365.00 |
| Advertisements, Telegrams, etc. | 24.36 |
| Disinfectant and Inspection Fees | 288.19 |
| Total Expenditure | 17,286.50 |
| Balance on December 31, 1920 | — |
| | 17,286.50 |

Interest on Mortgage Account; Total received to date. Hk. Tls. 2,692.99

Prepared by
R. L. WARREN,
*District Accountant.*
E. GORDON LOWDER,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 22.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Sergeant M. Ganly from January 17.

Warder F. Down is promoted to be Senior Warder from January 1, 1921.

J. Mason is re-engaged as Sergeant from January 15 with seniority from October 2, 1920.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. D. S. Hughes is appointed Assistant Land Surveyor under agreement from January 15.

Mr. E. H. Berry is appointed temporarily as Assistant Inspector from January 10.

*Educational Department.*—Miss J. K. Weale is appointed Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls under agreement from January 13.

Long leave is granted to Mr. T. G. Baillie, Assistant Master in the Public School for Chinese, from March 14.

*Finance Department.* — Long leave is granted to Mr. E. F. Goodale, Treasurer and Comptroller, from February 12.

*Revenue Office.*—Long leave is granted to Collector T. E. Wilson from February 1.

## Public Band.

On Sunday next, January 30, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.
ELEVENTH CONCERT.
"Tschaikowsky"

1.—Fourth Symphony F minor Op. 36
(a) Andante sostenuto—Moderato con anima
(b) Andantino in modo di canzona
(c) Scherzo (Pizzicato ostinato)
(d) Finale—Allegro con fuoco

2.—Valse Third Movement from Fifth Symphony Op. 64.

3.—Marche Slave Op. 31.

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 628 | Off Kwangse | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | addn. to godown |
| 247 | Nanking | S. A. Hardoon | | 3 | |
| 79 | Off Ningpo | The Commercial & Savings Bank | | | sky-light |
| 273 | Shantung | H. M. Cumine | | 1 | |
| 680 | N. Szechuen | J. F. Takaki | | | addn. to house |
| 6015 | Off Kwang-hsin | Y. Ohara | | | godown |
| Unreg. W of 1954 | Off Kwen-ming | Tsao Zen Kee | | | foundry & latrine |
| 1037 | Kungping | Chow Soey Kee | | | entrance gates |
| 3812 | Off Thorburn | The Chinese National Wireless Telegraph Co. | | | water closet |
| 3851 | Ward and Madura | Chong Lan Kee | 1 | | conservatory lodge & boundary wall |
| 3286 | Avenue & Hart | Credit Foncier d'Extreme Orient | | | altns. & addns. to house, boundary wall & entrance gates |
| 2820 & 2828 | Off B'bling Well | Hongkong & S'hai Banking Corporation | | | water closet |
| 1790 | Gt. Western | P. Tilley | 1 | | watchman's lodge & boundary wall |
| 6185 | Off Hart | Bing Foo Chang | | | water closet |
| Unreg. S of 4381 | Moji Ext. | Naigai Wata Kaisha | | | watchman's lodge |
| 4606 | Off Mokanshan | Liu Yoen Dar | | | .. |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 507 | Chekiang | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | 1 | | |
| 273 | Shantung | H. M. Cumine | | | gate-house |
| 1894 | Off Dalny | Tsang Kee | | | addn. to house |
| 280 | E. Yuhang | Joe Ming Kee | | | " |
| Unreg. E of 6445 | Off Yangtszepoo | Sung Yea Fo | | | 3 bungalows |
| Unreg. W of 3150 | Avenue | Ma Lan Fang | | | 2hongs & boundary wall |
| Unreg. W of 3570 | Off Connaught | Wong Yeh Seng | | | addn. to house |
| 943 & Unreg. S of 943 | Tatung | Sing Jin Kee | | | 2hongs & boundary wall |

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## Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, January 23, 1921. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 24,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 780,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 2 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 | 18 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 12 | 149 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

## Mixed Court Report for December, 1920.

On December 10, instructions were received from the Senior Consul that, owing to the President of the Chinese Republic having issued a mandate withdrawing recognition of Russian Consular Officials, the Mixed Court should, pending further instructions, treat Russian nationals as unpresented foreigners and on December 21, he appointed Mr. A. N. Ivanow as the Senior Consul's Assessor to try these cases. In this connexion the need for bringing the Provisional Criminal Code of China up to date becomes more imperative than ever. There are some offences which are not even mentioned and in some cases the penalty provided is wholly inadequate. Fortunately, however, the Court has on more than one occasion expressed its determination that, while it is willing to take the Code as a guide for the framing of charges, etc., it does not consider itself bound by the Code when the question of the punishment to be inflicted is under discussion.

The following unrepresented foreigners were before the Court during the month:—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| Ewold Intal | Esthonian | Drunk and disorderly | Fined $5 or 5 days |
| Mrs. K. Raksh | Lettish | Assault | Dismissed |
| Mrs. T. A. Brun | Roumanian | Drunk and Assault | Fined $3 |
| Basil Kehaglar | Russian | Unlawful possession of passenger tickets | 2 months' impt. |
| S. Dvintrivitch | Servian | Larceny | 2 months |
| J. Nickolass | Roumanian | " | Dismissed |
| S. Vinichuck | Russian | " | 1 month |
| A. C. Telushkin | " | Threatening with a pistol | Fined $25 |
| O. Schultz | German | Larceny | 4 months |
| T. Georgakopontos | Greek | Assault | Fined $3 |
| M. Miller | Pole | Drunk and disorderly | Fined $50 and to pay all damages |

At the end of the month, there were 149 Chinese Civil Cases awaiting a first hearing, being an increase of 33 on the previous month; this increase is accounted for by (*a*) there were only three Assessors in Chinese Civil Cases, and one of these was sick (from the beginning of 1921 there will again be four Assessors), and (*b*) out of 74 persons summoned, only 24 answered the first service.

As the British Assessor was unable to sit, only one British Civil Case of great urgency was heard, thus increasing the number of Foreign Civil Cases awaiting a first hearing to 33 and as in no case was any decision given, it will be some time before this number can again be reduced to normal.

The emergency fire escape, the installation of which in the House of Detention was undertaken upon the recommendation of the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade, was completed during the month.

**Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with; Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.**

F. L. WAINWRIGHT,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
K. J. McEUEN,
Commissioner of Police.

OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| 1.—Offences Against the Person:— | |
| Allowing Children in Brothels | 4 |
| Assault | 61 |
| Attempted Suicide | 2 |
| Kidnapping | 1 |
| Malicious Prosecution | 1 |
| Murder | 1 |
| Rape | 1 |
| Wounding (causing grievous bodily harm) | 1 |
| 2.—Offences Against Property:— | |
| Burglary | 10 |
| Cruelty to animals | 8 |
| Embezzlement | 1 |
| Extortion (obtaining money by threats) | 9 |
| False Pretences | 1 |
| Forgery | 2 |
| Fraud | 9 |
| House-breaking | 7 |
| Larceny | 215 |
| Malicious Damage | 2 |
| Receiving stolen property | 6 |
| Robbery | 18 |
| 3.—Offences of a Public Nature:— | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Cargo-boats | 2 |
| Carriages | 36 |
| Carts | 68 |
| Club | 1 |
| Dairies | 7 |
| Dogs | 6 |
| Foodshops | 7 |
| Hawkers | 35 |
| Lodging Houses | 6 |
| Motor Cars | 33 |
| Opium | 93 |
| Pawnshops | 13 |
| Rickshas | 1,796 |
| Brothels | 36 |
| Exchange-shops | 8 |
| Tea-shops | 8 |
| Wheel-barrows | 147 |
| Wine-shops | 4 |
| Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| Arms | 2 |
| Fireworks | 4 |
| House refuse | 36 |
| Illegal Arrest | 2 |
| Indecent Advertisements | 2 |
| Kerosene Oil | 3 |
| Lotteries | 10 |
| Nuisances | 1,086 |
| Prostitutes | 17 |
| Traffic | 62 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 5 |
| Disorderly Conduct | 78 |
| Gambling | 57 |

SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mencarini & Co. | Spanish | Woo Yih Tsar and Woo Sung Ling | £6,657.16.11 | Proceeding |
| J. Lambooy & Co. | Netherlands | Tshang Sung Tah Hong | Infringement of Trade Mark | " |
| Ed. Maurer Co., Inc. | American | Tuh Tshang Zung Hong | G. $236,717.50 | " |
| W. Nogi | Japanese | Kau Tshien Dzien and Oo Sok Ming | $3.375 | " |
| Mencarini & Co. | Spanish | Waung Meu-kyi | Tls. 200 | Parties advised to settle out of Court |
| Isamu Banjo | Japanese | Ng Tsung Ling *et al* | Tls. 3,717.80 | Proceeding |
| Mustard & Co. | American | Yang Dah Tshang and 7 other firms | Infringement of Trade Marks | " |
| United States Trading Corporation | do. | Tsu Sung Tah | G. $34,375 | " |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Loitering with intent | 18 |
| Returning after expulsion | 7 |
| Trafficking in Women or Children | 4 |
| Vagrancy | 28 |
| 4.—Miscellaneous cases | 24 |
| TOTAL | 4,111 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 3,108 |
| Cases withdrawn | 3 |
| Cautioned | 28 |
| Dismissed | 49 |
| Expulsion | 24 |
| Fined | 525 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 5 |
| Imprisonment | 248 |
| ,, and expulsion | 76 |
| Reformatory | 4 |
| Released on Security | 14 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 13 |
| Sent to Military Governor of Shanghai | 4 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 9 |
| Various (Died of wounds in hospital) | 1 |
| TOTAL | 4,111 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On December 1 | 70 |
| Received | 56 |
| Released | 54 |
| On December 31 | 72 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 211 |
| ,, served | 142 |
| Warrants issued | 50 |
| ,, executed | 12 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 11 |
| ,, executed | 1 |
| ,, withdrawn | 1 |
| Summonses issued | 38 |
| ,, served | 12 |
| ,, withdrawn | 7 |
| Persons apprehended on Warrants | 1 |
| ,, summoned | 12 |
| Sealing orders issued | 51 |
| ,, ,, executed | 6 |
| ,, ,, not executed (claim settled) | 35 |
| ,, ,, withdrawn | 1 |
| Sealing orders pending | 9 |
| Reopening orders executed | 4 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 105 |
| ,, ,, of a miscellaneous nature | 30 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 74 |
| ,, heard | 87 |
| ,, in course of hearing | 8 |
| ,, concluded | 46 |
| ,, awaiting first hearing on Dec. 31, 1920 | 149 |
| Summonses issued | 97 |
| ,, served | 66 |
| ,, withdrawn | 5 |
| Warrants issued | 34 |
| ,, executed | 8 |
| ,, withdrawn | 8 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 8 |
| ,, summoned | 74 |
| ,, failed to appear on first summons | 50 |
| Sealing orders issued | 34 |
| ,, ,, executed | 4 |
| ,, ,, not executed (claim settled) | 8 |
| Sealing orders pending | 22 |
| Reopening orders executed | 3 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 98 |
| Bonds accepted | 57 |
| ,, rejected | 26 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On December 1 | 59 |
| Received | 26 |
| Released | 28 |
| On December 31 | 57 |

## Parks Report for December.

*Roadside Trees.—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total No. of trees pruned and top-dressed | 672 |
| ,, ,, dead trees removed | 53 |
| ,, ,, tree-borers destroyed | 2,182 |

*Road Widening.—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of trees transplanted | 124 |

*Nurseries.—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of trees transplanted | 221 |

*Plants bedded out.—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 2,412 |
| Public School for Girls | 930 |
| | 3,342 |

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,057 |
| Football | 330 |
| Hockey | 58 |
| Total number of players | 1,445 |
| ,, ,, non-players | 4,991 |
| ,, ,, visitors | 6,436 |

D. MACGREGOR,
*Superintendent of Parks and Open Spaces.*

Countersigned:
CHAS. H. GODFREY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

# CONDITIONS GOVERNING THE PURCHASE OF LAND.

The following are the terms approved by the Council in 1904 governing the purchase of land for public purposes:—

1. Land to be acquired by the Council shall be surveyed by the Public Works Department and the area shall be computed at the rate of 7,260 square feet to the mow. Only such land as is capable of being utilized shall be included in such area.

2. Payment shall not be made for land occupied by public creeks or roads, although it may be included in the title deeds. Payment shall not be made on areas given in title deeds or fangtans, but on the actual area as ascertained by survey.

3. Except when expressly stipulated the payment shall be considered to include all compensation for graves, crops, fences or buildings which may be on the land at the time when the contract of sale is made.

4. If the title deed or fangtan area is less than the actual area ascertained by survey the vendor shall be required to obtain and convey to the Council a title to the balance, or shall authorize the Council to obtain it and deduct any expenses connected therewith from the first payment on account of the purchase.

5. The vendor shall guarantee that there are no footpaths or rights of way over the land or any portion of it, unless they are expressly marked on the survey.

6. On receipt of Chinese documents the Council will forward them to the British Consulate for examination by the Joint Measurement Office. On receipt of a certificate from the Consulate that the papers appear to be in order a sum equivalent to 90 per cent. of the purchase price shall be paid to the vendor and the balance of 10 per cent. on the issue of the title deed.

7. The Council shall take possession of the land immediately the first payment on account of the purchase has been made.

8. The vendor shall pay all fees to Chinese including those of middlemen, Tipaos, Joint Measurement Office, etc.: the Council shall pay the fees for examination of the Chinese documents by that office and for registration at the Consulate.

9. If the land or any part of it is covered by a title deed registered in a foreign Consulate the Council shall pay the fees for the transfer, and provided there is no notable discrepancy between the area given in the title deed and that ascertained by survey as aforesaid the whole of the purchase money shall be paid on the transfer being effected at the Consulate where the deed is registered.

10. The vendor shall guarantee that the registered owner of a foreign title deed will sign the transfer at the Consulate where the deed is registered.

11. The Council pays no commissions whatever except to brokers or agents in its employ.

## 工部局買地章程

一 凡有本局買進地畝應由工務處測量其地址應按七千二百六十英方尺爲一畝計算其內只應包括能用之地

二 凡有公共浜路所佔地段雖係註在地契之內概不作價毋須按照仿單地契所註明之地址付價只應按照測明確實之地址付價

三 除特別言明外所有訂立賣地合同時在地上一切墳墓蘆柴籬笆房屋等件均視爲包括於地價之內

四 凡地契或仿單所註明之地址較少於所測明確實之地址則矣主須取得其餘地畝之地單轉交本局或准由本局取得地單其用費即由所買地初次撥付之價值扣除

五 除特別於測量單註明外矣主應保其地上一概均無公共之小道或行路之權利

六 華文地單收受之後由本局轉送於大英領事公署以便會丈處查察俟領事公署所給憑單言明地單俟屆交實收受之後即將買地之價值十分之九付於矣主其餘十分之一俟其地契給發方可付清

七 初次撥付買地之價值其地立由本局占用

八 凡有華人以及中人地保會丈處等一切費用由矣主付清其該處查察華文地單以及領事公署註冊費用則由本局付清

九 該地或該地之一份如有各國領事公署註冊之地契其轉交之用費由本局付清其如地契註明之地址及以上所言測明確實之地址無甚差異則地契註冊之公署轉交之時即將買地之價值全數付清

十 該地如有各國領事公署註冊之地契矣主應保註冊之地主肯在註冊之公署將其轉交之單簽字

十一 除本局所用中人或經手人外或一切中費本局一概不付

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局有權承攬或全份或一份係本局自有權將承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 所有承攬價目必須用英文開列本局如有低價亦有權不准之承攬人自行估定之價目之後該承攬人遵照本局辦理不准認定必須付保證金

三 擇定之後該承攬人遵照合同辦理的款付清之後方准領取工程

四 所有承攬各人之信及承攬價目表必須附呈本局公平比較若本局認為合宜即可登入本局之信報內

五 目前所登入之各人信報內所有之價目表必須附呈本局公平比較若本局認為合宜即可登入本局之信報內

六 後仍將該款一律退還

所有承攬人之姓名及承攬價目表必須附呈本局公平比較若本局認為合宜即可登入本局之信報內

本局有權將承攬人之姓名及承攬價目表必須附呈本局公平比較若本局認為合宜即可登入本局之信報內

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## NOTICE.

THE undersigned, in pursuance of the respective provisions of Articles IX and VIA of the Land Regulations for the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, hereby give notice that Thursday and Friday, February 17 and 18, are fixed upon for the election of Councillors and for the election, by registered owners of land in the Settlement, of a Land Commissioner, for the Municipal year 1921.

Nomination papers must be returned to the Council Room not later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, February 10, 1921.

Shanghai, February 1, 1921.

E. D. H. FRASER,
*H.B.M. Consul-General.*

T. RAASCHOU,
*Consul-General for Denmark.*

DE REUS,
*Consul-General for the Netherlands.*

G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy.*

K. YAMASAKI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*

ALFREDO CASANOVA,
*Consul-General for Portugal.*

S. STECKMEST,
*Acting Consul-General for Norway.*

M. F. PERKINS,
*American Consul in Charge.*

M. D. DE LA PRADE,
*Consul Adjoint, Gérant le Consulat Général de France.*

E. AKERHIELM,
*Acting Consul-General for Sweden.*

MANOEL DE VEIGA MENEZES,
*Consul for Brazil,*

CH. FEGUENNE,
*Acting Consul-General for Belgium.*

### NOTE.

During the Chinese New Year Holidays the Secretary to the Council will attend at the Council Room to receive Nomination Papers as follows: Wednesday, February 9, 10 a.m. to 12 noon; Thursday, February 10, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2796.**

**7 per cent. LOAN, 1920.**

**Tls. 2,240,000.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscription list for Debentures in this Loan has been closed, the Loan having been fully subscribed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 20, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2804.**

**MUNICIPAL INVESTMENT BANK.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on March 5, 1921, Debentures in the 7 per cent. Silver Loan 1920 will be allotted to depositors in respect of the amounts at their credit on January 8, 1921, with interest thereon up to March 5, 1921. Accounts will be debited with the allotments at 92½ per cent.

Deposits received during the period January 9 to September 5, 1921, will carry interest at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, calculated in the manner provided for under Rule 4, and will be in respect of the Loan of 1921 the terms of which will be announced after the next Ratepayers' meeting.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2805.**

**LOSS OF DEBENTURE CERTIFICATE.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the debenture certificate hereunder specified has been declared to be lost and the public is warned against its negotiation.

Application has been made for the issue of a duplicate certificate, and should no objection be lodged with the Municipal Treasurer and Comptroller within 30 days from date hereof, the application will be complied with and the original certificate will be treated as cancelled.

| Loan | Distinctive Number | Value of Debenture Tls. | Total Value Tls. | Registered in the name of |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1907 | 10,707 | 1,000 | 1,000 | The Master and Treasurer Antient Landmark Lodge |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2797**

**HISTORY OF SHANGHAI.**

THE first volume of this work, to be completed in three volumes, will shortly be published by Messrs. Kelly and Walsh Ld. at $7.50.

The Council is anxious to secure a few good photographs or prints of Shanghai prior to the year 1858, for reproduction and inclusion in this volume, more particularly is it desired to secure a good print of the Signing of the Treaty of Nanking on board H.M.S. Cornwallis, on August 29, 1842.

The greatest care will be taken of any photographs or prints forwarded to the undersigned in response to this Notification.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 20, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2808.**

**TRAFFIC REGULATION RANKING OR PARKING OF MOTOR VEHICLES.**

THE attention of the public is directed to the terms of the subjoined Police Notice, which has been served on motor vehicle owners with a view to relieving congestion in the Central District:—

NOTICE.

The Commissioner of Police presents his compliments to the registered owner of motor car No.

and informs him that in future the ranking or parking of motor vehicles for an extended period (except on the authorized Vehicle Stands) in the following roads is prohibited:—

Peking Road
Jinkee Road
Nanking Road
Kiukiang Road
Hankow Road
Foochow Road
Canton Road
Bund
Yuen-ming-yuen Road
Museum Road
Szechuen Road
Kiangse Road
Honan Road

The authorized Vehicle Stands available for motor cars in the neighbourhood of the above-mentioned roads are specified in Traffic Regulation No. 47 (see overleaf), and it is requested that one of them be used accordingly.

Motor cars can be ordered as required through Police Telephone Boxes which are situated on the Vehicle Stands as under:—

| *Bund:* | *Tel. No. C.* |
|---|---|
| Opposite Jinkee Road | 2541 |
| ,, Kiukiang Road | 2549 |
| ,, Foochow Road | 2548 |
| ,, Canton Road | 2547 |

*Hankow Road.*—At Kiangse Road crossing: Tel. No C. 2544

47.—Except on a duly authorized Vehicle Stand, the ranking or parking of vehicles on a highway shall as a rule be permitted to a limited extent and/or for a limited time only; and shall be dependent on the exigencies of traffic.

The Vehicle Stands authorized for ricshas only are indicated by signboards. Those authorized for

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the ranking or parking of motor or horse drawn vehicles are specified hereunder:—

(1) Bund (Centre) between Avenue Edward VII and Peking Road.

(2) Avenue Edward VII (Centre) between the Bund and Kiangse Road.

(3) Hankow Road (Centre) between Honan Road and Kiangse Road.

(4) Soochow Road (North side) between the Garden Bridge and Chapoo Road Bridge.

(5) Whangpoo Road (South side) East of Astor Road.

(6) Avenue Edward VII (North side) between Yunnan Road and Thibet Road.

(7) Thibet Road (East side) between Nanking Road and Burkill Road.

(8) Thibet Road (East side) between Nanking Road and Kiukiang Road.

(9) Bubbling Well Road (South side) between the main Race Club gate and a point opposite Myburgh Road.

In those cases in which no chauffeurs are employed or in which motor vehicles are in constant use during business hours the claims of the concerned for special consideration will be considered on application to the Commissioner of Police, Central Police Station, Foochow Road.

It is earnestly hoped that the public will readily co-operate with the Police in the carrying out of this measure in furtherance of the convenience of the public in general.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 3, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2798.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

**FEBRUARY, 1921.**

DURING the month of February, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be as follows:—

| 1st-10th | 11th-20th | 21st-end of month |
|---|---|---|
| 5.41 | 5.50 | 5.56 |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2793.**

**HOTEL OR TAVERN—ON LICENCES.**

THE following amended licence conditions will be enforced from this date:—

23. That no opium smoking be permitted on the premises, and that the licensee shall notify the Police of the presence of any lodger or customer found to be smoking opium.

24. That lodgers or customers carrying firearms or other dangerous weapons be immediately reported to the Police.

The existing conditions Nos. 23 and 24 are accordingly renumbered 25 and 26.

20. The following is substituted for the existing licence condition of this number:—That no thieves, disreputable persons, revolutionists, anarchists, plotters against the Government of China, political offenders or men wanted by the Chinese Government shall knowingly be permitted to lodge, visit or assemble in the premises, or deposit any goods therein, and that immediate information be given to the Police if any persons herein named are found lodging on the premises.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 20, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2799.**

**MOTOR BICYCLES.**

THE attention of all owners of Motor Bicycles is drawn to Condition No. 5 of their licences which provides *inter alia*: that between sunset and sunrise the vehicle carry "(b) a lighted tail lamp exhibiting a red light towards the rear and so placed and maintained at all times as to render every figure of the licence number easily distinguishable at a reasonable distance."

The Police have instructions strictly to enforce this condition, and owners are hereby notified that from January 1, 1921, the illumination at sunset of *rear* number plates is obligatory.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2800.**

**CHINESE FIREMEN FOR WATCHING DUTIES.**

EMPLOYERS of Chinese Firemen for Watching Duties are hereby notified that from January 1, 1921, the charges for a fireman for watching duties are $20 per mensem or $1 per day for short duty.

All enquiries regarding Chinese Firemen should be addressed to the Chief Officer, Central Fire Station, 1A Honan Road.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2801.**

**PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHINESE.**

*(Translation.)*

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the Summer term on Wednesday, February 23, at 9 a.m.

Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.

Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads.

Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.

Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25 except for the Public School for Chinese and the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $35 and $20, respectively, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Monday, February 21, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Tuesday, February 22, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive and examine new pupils, who should be under 15 years of age. Boys from 7 to 10 years of age are preferred to those of more advanced age.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2802.**

**CLOSE SEASON FOR GAME.**

THE public is hereby reminded that the sale of pheasants is prohibited after February 16, and that of deer, hare, partridges and all small birds after March 1. No prohibition attaches to the sale of snipe, quail, woodcock and wild fowl.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2803.**

**CHINESE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Municipal Offices will be closed to public business from Tuesday, February 8, to Friday, February 11, inclusive.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2806.

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Junior Clerk in the Public Health Department.

Applications, in candidates' own handwriting, should state age, qualifications, etc. Preference will be given to a candidate with a knowledge of typewriting. Applications should be forwarded by letter only to the Health Officer, No. 1 Honan Road, not later than February 21.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2807.
### LAND ASSESSMENT.

MADE in pursuance of Resolution XII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers held on April 7, 1920.

The Schedule containing the Consular and Cadastral numbers of lots, in the Central District with areas and values, and with accompanying plan, is now ready and may be obtained on application at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund, on payment of $1.00 per copy.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 3, 1921.

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AT the meeting of a Sub-Committee of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Thursday, January 27, 1921, at 5.15 p.m., there were :—

*Present*:

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. G. Humphrys
A. C. Hynes
D. McColl

The meeting adjourned at 7.15 p.m

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AT the meeting of the Watch Committee held on Friday, January 28, 1921, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were :—

*Present*:

Messrs. S. Fessenden (*Chairman*)
H. H. Girardet
H. G. Simms

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Parks Committee held on Tuesday, February 1, 1921, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present*:

Rev. Br. Faust (*Chairman*)
Mr. P. Peebles

*Absent*:

Mr. F. Ayscough

The meeting adjourned at 4.45 p.m.

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AT the meeting of a Sub-Committee of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Tuesday, February 1, 1921, at 5.15 p.m., there were :—

*Present*:

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. G. Humphrys
D. McColl

*Absent*:

Mr. A. C. Hynes

The meeting adjourned at 7.15 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, February 2, 1921, at 4.30 p m., there were :—

*Present*:

Messrs. E. F. Mackay (*Acting Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

*Absent*:

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith
H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

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### Land Commission.

Mr. S. B. Neill, the Council's representative on the Land Commission has been re-appointed Commissioner for the Municipal year 1921-22, in accordance with the provisions of Art. VIA of the Land Regulations, and has consented to serve.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Light Horse.*—The promotion of 2nd Lieut. H. G. F. Robinson to be Lieutenant, as notified in the Gazette of October 21, 1920, is antedated to August 21, 1920.

### Waterworks Company, Limited.

Correspondence with the Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld. on the subject of the further issue of shares and the desirability of the Council being represented on the local board of Directors :—

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 29, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your circular letter of October 5, giving notice that certain of the Company's shareholders in England have protested that the refund mentioned in your circular letter of September 10, is *ultra vires*, and requesting that, under the circumstances, the sight draft covering the refund to the Council be not negotiated pending further developments.

In reply I am directed to inform you that the Council notes and will act upon your request and that decision as to whether or not it shall subscribe for the 1,605½ additional shares to which it is entitled will remain in abeyance pending notice from you as to the outcome of the action taken by the British shareholders in regard to the refund.

In this connexion and in view of its very substantial interest in your Company the Council has recently had under consideration the desirability of its being represented on the Local Board by two of its nominees—not necessarily members of Council—whose presence on the Board would, it is felt, tend to secure closer touch between the interests of shareholders as such and the interests of the community.

I am directed to enquire how your Directors would regard this proposal?

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

A. P. WOOD, Esq.,
Secretary & Engineer-in-Chief,
Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld.

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Shanghai, November 30, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to reply to your letter of October 29.

The question of the representation of the Council on the Board of this Company by two of its nominees has received the very careful consideration of my Directors that is due to any proposal made with the object of securing closer touch between the interests of the community and the interests of the shareholders as such, but they are of opinion that the suggestion put forward by the Council would not succeed in furthering that object.

As the Council is aware, it has occurred on more than one occasion that a member of the Council has been simultaneously a director of this Company; my Directors are therefore not expressing this opinion without actual experience. However amicable relations may be, differences of opinion are bound to occur, and at such times it need scarcely be pointed out that a Director nominated by the Council must necessarily occupy a somewhat anomalous position. The Council is certainly at the present time the largest individual shareholder of the Company, but other shareholders possess holdings nearly as large and on this score might likewise claim representation. Finally it may be pointed out that although the Company is registered in England, the control is in the hands of the Board in Shanghai, and the Directors are members of the community and as such have its interests at heart; this, they venture to think, is evinced by the record of the Company.

As you will have learnt from the circular letter to shareholders dated November 3, 1920, the Directors have been compelled to withdraw the proposal in regard to the refund of premium on the last issue of shares: I shall therefore be glad to have the draft covering such refund returned to me at your convenience.

My Directors express the hope that the withdrawal of this proposal will not prevent the Council from applying for the additional shares to which it is entitled.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. P. WOOD,
*Secretary and Engineer-in-Chief,*
*Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, January 17, 1921.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of November 30, 1920, communicating the views of your Board on the suggestion that the Council should be represented on the Board by two nominees—not necessarily members of Council.

In reply I am directed to inform you that, under the circumstances and in view of the present market quotation of your Company's issued shares the Council regrets that it cannot see its way clear to take up those shares of the new issue, for which it is entitled to subscribe at the price of £25 per share.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LINDELL,
*Secretary.*

A. P. WOOD, Esq.,
Secretary & Engineer-in-Chief,
Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld.

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## Municipal Investment Bank.

The object of the Bank is to encourage and facilitate monthly saving for periodical investment in Municipal Debentures.

The Rules of the Bank are printed below, and are self-explanatory.

The scheme should appeal to all those who are in receipt of a fixed monthly salary (whether large or small) as it provides an ideal method of saving and investing money at one and the same time, with the minimum amount of inconvenience to the individual.

There is only one way in which capital can be accumulated, and that is by steady saving. It is astonishing what the habit of saving can accomplish.

### RULES.

1. Deposits may be for any amount in Taels or Dollars local currency. Dollar deposits will be converted into Taels at the rate of the day on which they are received.

2. Deposits will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, Administration Building, from the first to the fifth day inclusive of each month.

3. Each depositor will be supplied with a Pass Book in which will be entered details of the amounts deposited. The Pass Book must accompany each deposit.

4. Interest at a rate to be advertised from time to time will be credited the accounts of depositors half-yearly, on March 5 and September 5, and will be calculated on the amounts at credit of depositors' accounts on the fifth day of each month.

5. On March 5 and September 5 debentures in the current Municipal Silver Loan (in denominations of Tls. 100 or multiples of Tls. 100) will be allotted depositors to the maximum amount permitted by each depositor's account. Accounts will be debited with the allotments calculated at the price at which the Council is issuing debentures at the date of the allotment. Any balances remaining at credit of accounts will be carried forward.

6. The deposits will not be subject to withdrawal, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) On the death of a depositor the amount at credit of the account, with interest, will be paid on application by the legal personal representative.

(*b*) Should the Council at any time decline to receive further deposits, any balances remaining at the credit of accounts, after the allotment of debentures provided for under Rule 5 has been made, will be repaid to depositors forthwith.

(*c*) Subject to giving 3 clear days' notice of his intention a depositor may close his account at any time, whereupon an allotment of debentures as provided for under Rule 5 will be made and the balance remaining at his credit refunded. No interest will be allowed on such accounts except such as may have been already credited under Rule 4.

OFFICE HOURS: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

### AN ANALYSIS OF THE SCHEME.

#### INTEREST.

During the period January 9 to September 5, 1921, the Council is offering the exceptionally favourable rate of seven per cent. per annum. At the conclusion of this period the rate of interest that will then be offered will naturally depend upon the conditions of the local money market. It will be safe to assume, however, that the rate will be appreciably higher than could be earned by deposits which are subject to withdrawal on demand.

#### ALLOTMENT OF DEBENTURES.

The debentures to be allotted on September 5, 1921, will be those of the Loan of 1921 the terms of which will be announced after the next Ratepayers' meeting.

#### GENERAL.

The Scheme, on analysis, will be found to be simply an easy method of purchasing debentures by instalments, with the added advantage that the depositor obtains 7 per cent. interest during the period his instalments are accumulating. Every half year he, in effect, withdraws his money in the shape of debenture certificates which he can sell on the market if he so desires. It is probable that the depositor, when once he has realized that he has become a holder of Municipal Debentures, without incurring any particular hardship in the process, will hesitate before selling his securities, and will re-double his efforts to increase his holding. It is further to be noted that the Bank offers exceptional facilities for the re-investment of the half-yearly interest on Debentures.

E. F. GOODALE,
*Treasurer and Comptroller.*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | *Foreign* |
| 71 | Off Hongkong | The Central Garage Co. | | | addns. |
| 38 | Kinkiang | Moorhead, Halse and Robinson | | | boundary wall |
| 163 | .. | Palmer & Turner | | | addns. |
| 628 | Nanking | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | | | altns. |
| 148 | Ningpo and Honan | Ma Lan Fang | | 2 | |
| 6454 | Off Haichow | Midland Packing Co. | | | boiler house & garage |
| 8011 | Off Kwangchow | Tsing Shing Kee | | | addns. |
| 2260 | Off Wayside | Dong Chi Kee | 1 | | |
| 2460 | Yangtszepoo | Stewardson & Spence | | | addns. |
| 2755 | Bubling Well and Hart | H. M. Cumine | | | garage & boundary wall |
| 3527 | Off Markham | Yu Sung Hung Kee | | | boundary wall |
| 4841 | Off West Soochow | Dong Kee & Co. | | | addns. |
| | | | | | *Chinese* |
| 465A | Off South Woosieh | Wah Sing Co. | 6 | | gatehouse |
| 546A | Off Elgin | Wong Shing Chee | | | addns. |
| 1125 | Yalu | King Heng Sung | 12 | | 2 gatehouses |
| 350 | East Yalu | C. D. Tsu | 38 | | 2 hongs & gatehouse |
| Unreg. E of 7574 | Meichow | Eglise Saint Joseph | 2 | | |
| Unreg. W of 5149 | Off Rangoon | Seng Ling Ling | | | hong |
| Unreg. S of 2127 | .. Wayside | Chang Chu Pao | 3 | | |
| Unreg. N of 2940 | Avenue | M. H. Wong | 4 | | |
| Unreg. S of 6186 | Off Hart | Seng Lan Kee | | | 3 bungalows |
| 5779 & Unreg. S of 5779 | .. Robison | Yao An Kee | 80 | | gatehouse |

## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 29.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Major A. H. Hilton-Johnson, Deputy Commissioner of Police, from February 12.

Long leave is granted to Sub-Inspector T. Elliott from February 8.

*Health Department.*—Miss E. Jemnomerova is engaged as a candidate for an appointment as Probationer Nurse, on six months' trial from February 1.

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*Electricity Department.* — The Council has learnt with deep regret of the death on January 27, of Mr. C. J. Curtis, Yard Foreman.

Mr. C. W. Smith is appointed Sub-station Assistant on probation from January 1.

Mr. H. Dayton is appointed Boiler House Assistant on probation from January 17.

Mr. A. E. Childs is appointed Charge Engineer on probation from January 18.

*Public Band.*—Mr. V. Dramis is appointed Musician under agreement from January 14.

*Educational Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. R. Ross, Senior Assistant Master in the Public School for Boys, from January 31.

Long leave is granted to Mr. L. Kershaw, Assistant Master in the Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, from March 14.

**Return of Communicable Disease**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, January 30, 1921. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 24,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 780,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 7 | 3 |
| Scarlet Fever | 2 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 14 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 146 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

**Public Band.**

**On Sunday next, February 6, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—**

**Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.**

**TWELFTH CONCERT.**

**"French Composers"**

**Soloist—Madame M. Fano (mezzo-soprano)**

**1.—Symphonic Poem "Phaéton" Saint-Saëns**

**2.—Introduction and Air from the Opera "Samson and Delilah" (Madame M. Fano) Saint-Saëns**

**3.—Symphonic Poem "Danse Macabre" Saint-Saëns**

**4.—Prelude from the Biblical Poem: "Le Déluge" Saint-Saëns**

**5.—(a) Serenade**
**(b) "A. Mules" from the Suite: "Impressions d'Italie" Charpentier**

**6.—Two Songs (a) Nocturne César Franck**
**(b) La Vie Antérieure H. Dupare**

**7.—(a) Prelude à "L'Apres-midi d'un Faune" Debussy**
**(b) "Fête foraine" from "Namouna—Suite" Lalo**

**MAESTRO M. PAOI,**
***Conductor.***

**Fire Brigade Report for December 1920.**

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 29, as against 35 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 47,100 (Foreign Tls. 36,500: Chinese Tls. 10,600), as against Tls. 80,700 (Foreign Tls. 34,200: Chinese Tls. 46,500) during December 1919. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 1,588,500 (Foreign Tls. 1,271,000: Chinese Tls. 317,500), as against Tls. 2,680,500 (Foreign Tls. 2,465,500: Chinese Tls. 215,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 15, Watch Towers 7, Police 5, Staff 1, and Messenger 1. The district call was given on 8 occasions, the remaining 21 being station calls. These calls proved to be 22 small fires, 1 chimney fire, 3 false alarms, and 3 fires outside the Settlement.

The principal supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—Dropped match or cigarette end, fusing of electric wires, sparks from stove, stove upset, overboiling oil, spontaneous combustion, overheated bearing, etc.

Of these 3 buildings were destroyed by fire, and 15 others were more or less damaged by fire, smoke and water.

The fire loss during the month was mainly caused by three cotton fires, but, under the circumstances, was quite low.

The fires of note during the month were:—

*December 7, at 2.12 p.m. Laou Kung Mow Mill—Yangtszepoo Road.*—No. 9 godown, at the extreme rear of the above mill, was found to be in flames. The fire had obtained a good hold before the alarm was given. The Hongkew Division protected the New Engineering premises adjoining, and concentrated as much water as possible on the burning cotton, a fair amount of which was salved.

On December 10, at 4.58 a.m., as a result of an overheated bearing, a fire occurred in the mixing room, on the first floor of the main mill. Fortunately an automatic sprinkler installation confined the outbreak to the east side of the room, but the fire had worked into the cotton in places, and the firemen had to work with respirators before the outbreak was finally extinguished.

*December 14, at 1.03 p.m. Phoo Yih Cotton Mill, 37 West Soochow Road.*—The outbreak was found to be in the waste cotton mill on the ground floor of "B" godown. There was a poor supply of water, but the Sinza Division confined the outbreak to the half section of the room.

*December 15, at 8.51 a.m. Naigai Wata Kaisha, 19 West Soochow Road.*—Some waste cotton, in a galvanized iron shed, was alight. No difficulty was experienced at this fire.

*December 15, at 11.18 a.m. J 1300-1 East Seward Road.*—A cigarette and exchange shop containing a quantity of inflammable material and fireworks was in flames, and doomed. The adjoining property was saved.

*December 16, at 2.28 a.m. I 2.. Chekiang Road.*—The drying stages at the back of four shops were in flames. Central Division confined the fire to where they found it, and saved the shops proper. This outbreak was awkwardly situated, and might have proved serious.

*December 21, at 2.27 a.m. B 1854-5 Sinza Road.*—A cloth shop was found well alight and beyond saving. The fire was confined to this shop and prevented from spreading.

*Number of fires and loss during the year.*—Although there was an increase in the number of fires and the majority of them were of a more difficult nature, it is gratifying to be able to report that the total loss was under two and half lakhs and there was a decrease of over two lakhs on the previous year; as will be seen from the following figures:—

*Fires.*—The number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the year was 315, an increase of 20 on the previous year.

Of the above calls 219 were genuine fires on assessed property within the Settlement, or buildings on Municipal roads, whilst 37 were false alarms, 5 malicious, or fires not traced by the Brigade. 7 calls were received through the street fire alarms, 6 of which were false alarms.

The Brigade also attended 59 fires outside the Settlement, 39 of which it practically extinguished.

*Loss.*—The total loss during the year on buildings and contents, within the Settlement, is estimated at Tls. 245,385 (Foreign Tls. 67,160: Chinese Tls. 178,225) being a decrease of Tls. 235,840 on that of last year.

M. W. PETT,
*Chief Officer.*

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RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call: Time of | Call: How received | Alarm given | Locality | District: Municipal | District: Fire | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire: Hours | Time at fire: Minutes | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. 1 | 12.27 p.m. | Telephone | Station | O 39 Stone Bridge Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 30 | |
| 1 | 9.45 p.m. | ,, | ,, | JF 554 Tongshan Road | Eastern | 1 | | | | 20 | Contractor's yard |
| 6 | 7.26 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | Yangtszepoo & Jansen Roads | ,, | 1 | | | | 25 | False alarm |
| 6 | 10.11 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | PP 17 Tatung Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 25 | 4 persons injured |
| 7 | 2.12 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | District | 40 Yangtszepoo Road | Eastern | 1 | Foreign Cotton Mill | 1 damaged | 208 | | |
| 10 | 12.42 a.m. | Messenger | Station | CF 297 Mukden Road | ,, | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 20 | |
| 10 | 4.58 a.m. | Telephone | District | 40 Yangtszepoo Road | ,, | 1 | Foreign Cotton Mill | | 6 | | |
| 10 | 5.45 p.m. | Police | Station | Foochow Road & Bund | Central | 4 | | | | 20 | Electric crane |
| 12 | 4.15 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | LA 3186 off Lower Yangtszepoo Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | 2 damaged | 23 | | |
| 12 | 7.01 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Canton & Shantung Roads | Central | 4 | | | | 20 | False alarm |
| 14 | 1.03 p.m. | ,, | District | 37 West Soochow Road | Western | 7 | Cotton Mill | | 42 | | |
| 14 | 6.28 p.m. | ,, | Station | I 641 Chekiang Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Shop | | 18 | | |
| 15 | 8.51 a.m. | ,, | District | 19 West Soochow Road | Western | 7 | Cotton Mill | 1 damaged | 29 | | |
| 15 | 11.18 a.m. | Police | ,, | J 1300/1 East Seward Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shop | 1 destroyed 1 damaged | 19 | | |
| 16 | 2.28 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | I 228 Chekiang Road | Central | 6 | Chinese Shop | 4 damaged | 10 | | |
| 16 | 11.15 a.m. | ,, | ,, | Whangpoo River | Outside | | | | | 40 | |
| 16 | 8.21 p.m. | Police | Station | L 829 Yangtszepoo Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Store | | | 20 | |
| 18 | 10.47 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | Chapei | Outside | | | | 1 | | |
| 19 | 1.04 a.m. | ,, | ,, | J 2140 off East Seward Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Store | 1 destroyed 1 damaged | 10 | | |
| 20 | 12.12 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | F 323 Woochang Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Shop | | | 15 | |
| 20 | 8.28 p.m. | Central Tower | ,, | Fokien & Pak hoi Roads | Central | 5 | | | | 10 | Chimney |
| 20 | 10.31 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | 47 Wonglo Road | Northern | 2 | Staff Quarters | 1 damaged | | 55 | |
| 21 | 2.27 a.m. | Sinza Tower | District | B 1854/5 Sinza Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | 3 damaged | 16 | | |
| 22 | 7.44 p.m. | Police | Station | MM 305 Myburgh Road | ,, | 7 | Chinese Shop | | | 20 | |
| 23 | 4.33 p.m. | Staff | ,, | 60c Range Rd. | Northern | 2 | | | | 40 | False alarm |
| 24 | 4.06 p.m. | Police | ,, | O 1132 Chapoo Road | ,, | 2 | Chinese Hong | | | 15 | |
| 24 | 10.55 p.m. | Central Tower | ,, | Pootung | Outside | | | | 14 | | |
| 25 | 5.50 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | J 1578/80 Avenue Edward VII | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | 1 destroyed 1 damaged | 13 | | |
| 27 | 8.45 p.m. | ,, | ,, | LE 725 Lay Rd. | Eastern | 1 | Cotton Mill & Garage | | | 40 | |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

## CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

## 工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 未行挪到之人須繳付保證金方准承攬本局認定有信用者亦自辦理之人如有不承認之情形即將其保證金沒入公同辦理的人亦有權承辦本局認定有信用者方准承攬本局如是

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2809.**

**ELECTION OF COUNCILLORS AND LAND COMMISSIONER.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the following nine Ratepayers, having been duly nominated, are, in accordance with the terms of Article XVIII of the Land Regulations, considered to be elected as Councillors for the Municipal year 1921:—

Messrs. M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms
A. Brooke Smith

Notice is hereby also given that Mr. E. C. Pearce, having been duly nominated by land-owners, is, in accordance with Article VIA of the Land Regulations, considered to be elected as Land Commissioner for the Municipal year 1921.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 10, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2804.**

**MUNICIPAL INVESTMENT BANK.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on March 5, 1921, Debentures in the 7 per cent. Silver Loan 1920 will be allotted to depositors in respect of the amounts at their credit on January 8, 1921, with interest thereon up to March 5, 1921. Accounts will be debited with the allotments at 92¼ per cent.

Deposits received during the period January 9 to September 5, 1921, will carry interest at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, calculated in the manner provided for under Rule 4, and will be in respect of the Loan of 1921 the terms of which will be announced after the next Ratepayers' meeting.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2805.**

**LOSS OF DEBENTURE CERTIFICATE.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the debenture certificate hereunder specified has been declared to be lost and the public is warned against its negotiation.

Application has been made for the issue of a duplicate certificate, and should no objection be lodged with the Municipal Treasurer and Comptroller within 30 days from date hereof, the application will be complied with and the original certificate will be treated as cancelled.

| Loan | Distinctive Number | Value of Debenture Tls. | Total Value Tls. | Registered in the name of |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1907 | 10,707 | 1,000 | 1,000 | The Master and Treasurer Antient Landmark Lodge |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2808.**

**TRAFFIC REGULATION RANKING OR PARKING OF MOTOR VEHICLES.**

THE attention of the public is directed to the terms of the subjoined Police Notice, which has been served on motor vehicle owners with a view to relieving congestion in the Central District:—

NOTICE.

The Commissioner of Police presents his compliments to the registered owner of motor car No. and informs him that in future the ranking or parking of motor vehicles for an extended period (except on the authorized Vehicle Stands) in the following roads is prohibited:—

Peking Road
Jinkee Road
Nanking Road
Kiukiang Road
Hankow Road
Foochow Road
Canton Road
Bund
Yuen-ming-yuen Road
Museum Road
Szechuen Road
Kiangse Road
Honan Road

The authorized Vehicle Stands available for motor cars in the neighbourhood of the above-mentioned roads are specified in Traffic Regulation No. 47 (see overleaf), and it is requested that one of them be used accordingly.

Motor cars can be ordered as required through Police Telephone Boxes which are situated on the Vehicle Stands as under:—

| *Bund:* | *Tel. No. C.* |
|---|---|
| Opposite Jinkee Road | 2541 |
| ,, Kiukiang Road | 2549 |
| ,, Foochow Road | 2548 |
| ,, Canton Road | 2547 |

*Hankow Road.*—At Kiangse Road crossing: Tel. No C. 2544

47.—Except on a duly authorized Vehicle Stand, the ranking or parking of vehicles on a highway shall as a rule be permitted to a limited extent and/or for a limited time only; and shall be dependent on the exigencies of traffic.

The Vehicle Stands authorized for ricshas only are indicated by signboards. Those authorized for the ranking or parking of motor or horse drawn vehicles are specified hereunder:—

(1) Bund (Centre) between Avenue Edward VII and Peking Road.

(2) Avenue Edward VII (Centre) between the Bund and Kiangse Road.

(3) Hankow Road (Centre) between Honan Road and Kiangse Road.

(4) Soochow Road (North side) between the Garden Bridge and Chapoo Road Bridge.

(5) Whangpoo Road (South side) East of Astor Road.

(6) Avenue Edward VII (North side) between Yunnan Road and Thibet Road.

(7) Thibet Road (East side) between Nanking Road and Burkill Road.

(8) Thibet Road (East side) between Nanking Road and Kiukiang Road.

(9) Bubbling Well Road (South side) between the main Race Club gate and a point opposite Myburgh Road.

In those cases in which no chauffeurs are employed or in which motor vehicles are in constant use during business hours the claims of the concerned for special consideration will be considered on application to the Commissioner of Police, Central Police Station, Foochow Road.

It is earnestly hoped that the public will readily co-operate with the Police in the carrying out of this measure in furtherance of the convenience of the public in general.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 3, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2798.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

**FEBRUARY, 1921.**

DURING the month of February, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be as follows:—

| 1st-10th | 11th-20th | 21st-end of month |
|---|---|---|
| 5.41 | 5.50 | 5.56 |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2799.**

**MOTOR BICYCLES.**

THE attention of all owners of Motor Bicycles is drawn to Condition No. 5 of their licences which provides *inter alia*: that between sunset and sunrise the

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vehicle every "(b) a lighted tail lamp exhibiting a red light towards the rear and so placed and maintained at all times as to render every figure of the licence number easily distinguishable at a reasonable distance."

The Police have instructions strictly to enforce this condition, and owners are hereby notified that from January 1, 1921, the illumination at sunset of *rear* number plates is obligatory.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2800.
### CHINESE FIREMEN FOR WATCHING DUTIES.

EMPLOYERS of Chinese Firemen for Watching Duties are hereby notified that from January 1, 1921, the charges for a fireman for watching duties are $20 per mensem or $1 per day for short duty.

All enquiries regarding Chinese Firemen should be addressed to the Chief Officer, Central Fire Station, 1A Honan Road.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2801.
### PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR CHINESE.

*(Translation.)*

THE undermentioned Schools for Chinese will re-open for the Summer term on Wednesday, February 23, at 9 a.m.

Public School for Chinese, Elgin Road.

Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, corner of Shanhaikwan and Carter Roads.

Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Baikal Road.

Polytechnic Public School for Chinese, Pakhoi Road.

The fee for the term is $25 except for the Public School for Chinese and the Nieh Chih Kuei School where it is $35 and $20, respectively, payable in advance.

The Headmasters will be in attendance at the respective schools on Monday, February 21, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive fees from pupils at present in the schools, and on Tuesday, February 22, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., to receive and examine new pupils, who should be under 15 years of age. Boys from 7 to 10 years of age are preferred to those of more advanced age.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2802.
### CLOSE SEASON FOR GAME.

THE public is hereby reminded that the sale of pheasants is prohibited after February 16, and that of deer, hare, partridges and all small birds after March 1. No prohibition attaches to the sale of snipe, quail, woodcock and wild fowl.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2809.

THE Council is prepared to receive applications for the post of Junior Clerk in the Public Health Department.

Applications, in candidates' own handwriting, should state age, qualifications, etc. Preference will be given to a candidate with a knowledge of typewriting. Applications should be forwarded by letter only to the Health Officer, No. 1 Honan Road, not later than February 21.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2810.
### CEMETERY, TAKU AND LUNGMEN ROADS. RE-NAMING.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after March 1, 1921, the section of the Cemetery Road between Thibet and Taku Roads as also the existing Lungmen Road, will be re-named Taku Road. The remaining section of the Cemetery Road running South from Taku Road into Avenue Edward VII will be re-named Lungmen Road.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 17, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2811.
### LAND ASSESSMENT.

MADE in pursuance of Resolution XII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers held on April 7, 1920.

The Schedules containing the Consular and Cadastral numbers of lots, in the Central and Northern Districts with areas and values, and with accompanying plans, are now ready and may be obtained on application at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund, on payment of $1.00 per copy for each District.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 17, 1921

AT the meeting of the Municipal Employes War Service Pay Committee held on Friday, February 4, 1921, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
P. Fowler
Rev. Evan Morgan

The meeting adjourned at 12.20 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Band Committee held on Friday, February 4, 1921, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Mr. A. Howard *(Chairman)*
Dr. S. A. Ransom

*Absent:*
Mr. O. M. Green

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.

AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, February 4, 1921, at 5.15 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
C. W. Atkinson
A. W. Burkill
C. G. Humphrys
D. Mo' oll
J. W. Stephenson

*Absent:*
Messrs. F. C. Butcher
A. C. Hynes
W. L. Merriman

The meeting adjourned at 7.15 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Monday, February 7, 1921, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith *(Chairman)*
H. A. Macintyre
S. Sakuragi

The meeting adjourned at 1.15 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, February 16, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith *(Chairman)*
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

### Parks Committee.

The resignation of Mr. F. Ayscough of his seat on the Parks Committee from February 28, in view of his departure for home, has been accepted with regret.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Medals.*—Consideration has recently been given to the question of the wearing by members of the Corps of medals awarded by the

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Council, and after consideration of the views of the Commandant, instructions have been given that such medals shall in future be worn by men in uniform on the right breast. An amendment of the Corps regulations accordingly has been authorized.

*Staff Sergt.-Major's Quarters.*—The lease from Messrs. Hansons of No. 16 Burkill Road has been renewed for a further period of one year terminating on December 31, 1921.

*Chinese Company.* — Leave is granted to Captain G. Grayrigge from February 10 to November 30.

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Total amount deposited up to February 9, 1921 | 245,300.14 |
| Add amount deposited-February 10-15, 1921 | 1,324.45 |
| Tls. | 246,624.59 |

J. T. FORD,
*Acting Treasurer and Comptroller.*

**Dong Che (Paulun) Hospital.**

Report and Statement of Accounts for 1920:—

Shanghai, February 2, 1921.

SIR,—I beg to enclose herewith Statement of Hospital accounts for 1920 together with the Medical Report.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
C. L. CHOW,
*Honorary Secretary,*
*Dong Che (Paulun) Hospital.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

MEDICAL REPORT.

During the year 1920, 17,020 patients have been treated at the hospital's policlinic, of whom 1,220 were admitted to the hospital. The corresponding numbers for the preceding four years were:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1916— | 9,568 | and | 1,039 |
| 1917— | 10,075 | and | 892 |
| 1918— | 10,468 | and | 1,199 |
| 1919— | 11,304 | and | 1,380 |

Regarding frequency, the cases are ranging as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Diseases of the eye | 3,399 |
| Venereal diseases and skin diseases | 4,152 |
| Surgical cases | 4,864 |
| Internal diseases and gynecological cases | 4,073 |
| Diseases of the ear, nose and throat | 532 |

60 patients being indigents had free treatment during 1,852 days.

There were 739 operations, 138 of which were major ones. In 18 cases major gynecological operations were performed.

To meet the high prices of drugs and dressings, the patients of the 1st and 2nd classes had to pay a certain percentage of such hospital expenses.

There were 102 cases of death, 30 of which were delivered in a dying state.

C. L. CHOW,
*Honorary Secretary.*

WORKING ACCOUNT

*Receipts*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Donations | | $ 174.84 |
| Municipal Council Grant (incl. 1919) | | 5,465.14 |
| Receipts at Hospital from Patients | | 18,175.73 |
| Receipts at X Ray Department | | 313.03 |
| Loss in Working Account | | 4,953.46 |
| | | $29,082.20 |

*Expenses*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Instruments, Drugs, Bandages and Cotton | | $ 3,541.40 |
| Household requisites, Furniture | | 3,424.05 |
| Land and House Taxes | | 652.67 |
| Fire Insurance | | 162.27 |
| Telephone | | 89.17 |
| Expenses at X-Ray Department | | 161.00 |
| Expenses at Hospital— | | |
| Wages | $4,009.98 | |
| Salaries | 5,225.00 | |
| Food supply | 3,168.49 | |
| Washing, Soap, etc. | 959.25 | |
| Repairs | 1,938.12 | |
| Stationery | 122.63 | |
| Coal, Ice and Water | 916.79 | |
| Gas and Electricity | 4,049.78 | |
| Miscellaneous | 661.60 | |
| | | 21,051.64 |
| | | $29,082.20 |

BALANCE SHEET AT DECEMBER 31, 1920.

*Liabilities*

| | |
|---|---|
| Various Creditors | $20,094.08 |
| | $20,094.08 |

*Assets*

| | |
|---|---|
| Capital short January 1, 1920 | $15,140.62 |
| Loss in Working Account, 1920 | 4,953.46 |
| | $20,094.08 |

C. L. CHOW,
*Honorary Secretary,*
*Dong Che (Paulun) Hospital.*

Shanghai, December 31, 1920.

**Sewage Disposal.**

The following further report by the Commissioner of Public Works is published in continuation of the documents set forth in the Gazettes of September 2, 1920 *et alia.* The Council has considered in detail the recommendations therein contained and provision for carrying them out will be included in the Budget for this year.

Shanghai, December 14, 1920.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL CENTRAL DISTRICT SEWERAGE SCHEME.

Referring to my Report dated November 22, 1919, in which a scheme was outlined for dealing with the sewage of the Central District east of Honan Road, the problems involved have now been considered in more detail, and I forward herewith a plan showing how it is proposed to carry out the works.

To explain the scheme in some detail, the works for this purpose may be divided into three main headings, viz:—

I. Subsidiary Sewers
II. Main Sewer
III. Pumps

I. *Subsidiary Sewers.*—These are the sewers shown traversing the roads in the district affected and which discharge their contents, borne under the influence of gravity, into the main sewer. In all cases, provision has been made so that these can be laid at a gradient that will ensure a self-cleansing velocity.

Generally speaking, the sewers south of Hankow Road will gravitate to the pump provided at the junction of Foochow Road and the Bund, and those north of Hankow Road to the pump at the junction of Peking Road and the Bund. The sewer in Foochow Road has been shown as extending west of Honan Road in order to connect up with the Shantung Road Hospital.

II. *Main Sewer.*—This will proceed via the Bund, Whangpoo Road, Nanzing Road and Dixwell Road to the Disposal Works.

The gradients allowed for in the various lengths will ensure a self-cleansing velocity.

The main sewer would be available for receiving any incoming sewers en route, except where it will be necessary to provide pumping mains (which would of course be under pressure). This would only be in the lengths from Peking Road to north of the Garden Bridge, and from Hanbury Road to north of the Sawginkiang. In each of these cases it is necessary to pump the sewage over the bridges. In the latter case, the pumping main has been continued along Dixwell Road so as to obviate the necessity of an additional pump at the Sawginkiang Bridge. It may be possible to construct this main in concrete of a special manufacture, but I hope to be able to report further on this in the course of a few weeks.

III. *Pumps.*—The scheme provides for pumps at six places and includes two 4-in. and fourteen 6-in. At each pumping station an additional pump has been allowed for, over and above the actual requirements, to provide for the case of possible breakdowns.

I recommend that the Stereophagus type of pump be used, the total price of these for the scheme, reckoning on the latest quotation, being £2,600 f.o.b.

I would ask for authority to purchase these pumps, the actual work of construction of the sewers and pump-chambers to proceed accordingly. Provision of Tls. 150,000 has been made in the Preliminary Estimates for 1921, being the part cost of carrying out this work, and as the urgency of dealing with the problem becomes more and more apparent, I would urge the desirability of proceeding with the carrying out of the work without delay.

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

(For Plan see next page.)

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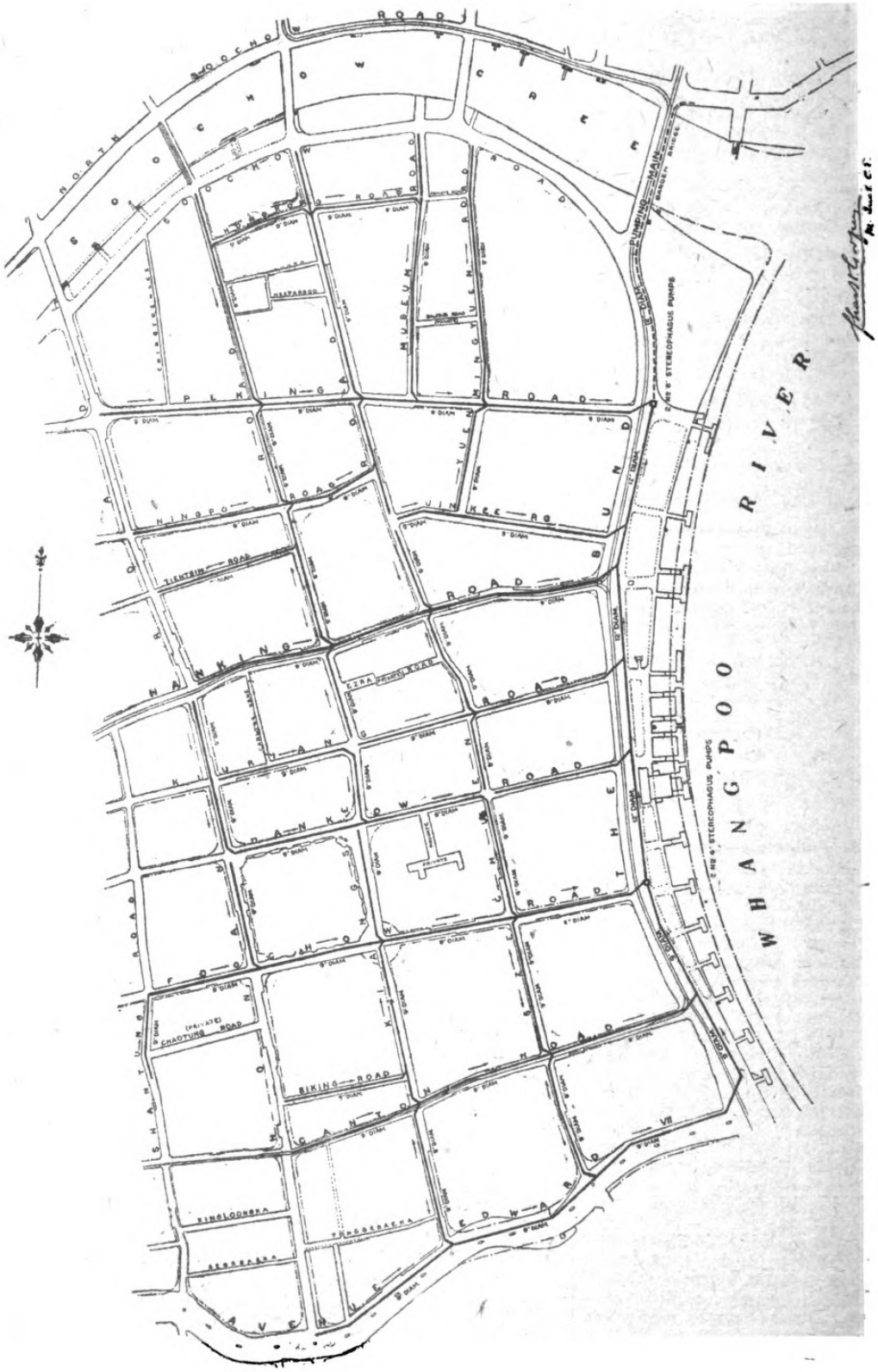
SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL—PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

PROPOSED SEWERAGE SCHEME—CENTRAL DISTRICT




COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS

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## Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Sergeant J. Knight from February 15.

Constable K. Kaida is discharged, invalided from February 1.

Long leave is granted to Sergeants R. J. Crouch and W. J. MacDermott from March 7.

*Health Department.* — Mr. E. Sundblad is appointed temporarily as Inspector from January 31.

*Public Works Department.*—The appointment of Assistant Inspector C. McGillivray is confirmed under an agreement from September 23, 1920, terminable at three months' notice.

Mr. J. N. Sutter is appointed Assistant Inspector on probation from February 12.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. T. H. U. Aldridge, Engineer-in-Chief and Manager, resumed charge of the Electricity Department on January 31.

Mr. E. A. Mills is appointed Superintendent Electrical Engineer under agreement from January 30.

Mr. C. R. Webb is appointed Assistant Mains Engineer under agreement from January 30.

*Educational Department.*—Miss J. Philip is re-engaged temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Boys from February 1.

Mr. J. Moffat is appointed Assistant Master in the Public School for Chinese under agreement from January 30.

Mrs. L. Brooks is appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys from January 28.

*Finance Department.*—Messrs. J. W. Morcher and A. G. P. Dewing are appointed Assistants on three months' probation from February 1.

*Revenue Office.*—Mr. N. Webb is re-engaged as Collector on three months' probation from February 15.

## Return of Communicable Disease

| Reported during the week ending Sunday February 6, 1921. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 24,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 780,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 5 | 3 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 13 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 9 | 129 |

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, February 13, 1921. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 24,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 780,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 1 | 2 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 6 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 12 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 136 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer*

## Plans of New Buildings Approved

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 239 | Nanking | G. O. Wootten | | | block offices & shops |
| 77B | Off Peking | Electricity Department | | | shed |
| Unreg. E of 372 | ,, Hailar | S. F. Zah | | | shed |
| 2465 | Off Whashing | Pacific Trading Co. | | | weaving mill |
| 2325 | Gt. Western | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | garage |
| 3546 | Off Markham | ,, | | | addns. to latrine |
| 3045 | Sinza | Zee Ting Chong | | | garage |
| 740 | W. Soochow | Yao An Kee | | | 2 godowns |
| Unreg. S of 2148 | Yates | H. M. Cumine | | | garage |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 1405 & 1406 | Avenue Edward VII | San Tai Ge | 15 | | 2 gate-houses |
| 99 | Off Foochow | Yuen Chong | | | addns. |
| 388 | Off Sing Dong Ka Loong | Sang Kee | 2 | | |
| 135 | East Seward | Wing Hap & Co. | | | addns. |
| 6200 | Off Connaught | Moorhead, Halse and Robinson | 1 | | |
| 2325 | Gt. Western | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | gate-house |
| 3527 | Markham | Yu Sung Kee | 29 | | |
| Unreg. E of 4400 | Penang & Moji | Zee Sheng Tai | | | 10 bungalows |
| Unreg. W of 3840 | Sinza | Yao Zang Ching | | | hong & 4 bungalows |

## Public Band.

On Sunday next, February 20, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920 - May 1921.

FOURTEENTH CONCERT.

"Opera's most Celebrated Overtures and Vocal Fragments"
with the collaboration of
Miss B. Jouravel (Soprano) and Mr. P. Brunelli (Tenor)

1.—Overture "Nozze di Figaro" Mozart

2.—Fragments from the Opera "Traviata"
(*a*) Prelude (Orchestra)
(*b*) Rec. and Cavatina Act I Verdi
Soloist: Miss B. JOURAVEL

3.—Overture "William Tell" Rossini

4.—Overture "Mignon" Thomas

5.—Fragments from Act I of the Opera 'La Bohème"
(*a*) Rudolph's Air (Tenor)
(*b*) Mimi's Air (Soprano)
(*c*) Final Duet (Tenor-Soprano) Puccini
Soloists: Miss B. JOURAVEL—Mr. P. BRUNELLI

6.—Overture "Tannhäuser" Wagner

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

## Health Officer's Report for January.

The excessive prevalence of mild Diphtheria of the previous month continued on a diminishing scale.

No further development occurred in connexion with the two plague-infected rats discovered in December in the neighbourhood of the wharves. Considerable numbers of rats were sent by the Port Health Authority from ships coming from ports known to have Plague cases and examined in the Municipal Laboratory with negative result. Precautions, however, are not being relaxed. Plague in Manchuria is reported to be more active.

A second motor ambulance has been added to the Motor Ambulance Service; a third will be added shortly so as to have a motor ambulance available for use in connexion with the Isolation Hospital.

Smallpox continues practically absent, though there has been an occasional imported case, one being brought down by a refugee from the famine area. Vaccination has been done by the Municipal Health Office among the refugees in camp locally.

The low tides and the comparatively small quantity of water in the Soochow Creek, with a resultant blockage of the creek by boats, interfered somewhat with the due disposal of house refuse. Adequate dredging of this important waterway will be a great advantage.

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A Chinese case of Cerebrospinal fever was reported.

Cattle plague broke out in some of the Chinese dairies early in the month.

Notices stencilled in white above the large cement refuse bins, requesting that the refuse should be placed within the bins and the door kept closed, are now general throughout the Settlement.

The sanitary idea is continually kept before the Chinese community by means of talks at the Branch Health Offices and at schools. It will probably become recognized that it is to the schools that we must look for the best permanent results.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

DEATHS.

| | Foreign Resident | Foreign Non-resident | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Typhoid fever | 3 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| Scarlet fever | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 | 0 | 77 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Influenza | 2 | 1 | 5 |
| From all causes | 34 | 10 | 611 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Smallpox | 1 |
| Typhoid fever | 5 |
| Diphtheria | 13 |
| Scarlet fever | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 5 |
| Dysentery | 2 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases admitted—Small pox | 1 | 3 |
| Diphtheria | 17 | 8 |
| Scarlet fever | 4 | 4 |
| Cerebrospinal fever | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 6 | 0 |
| Discharged | 43 | 27 |
| Died | 2 | 1 |
| Remaining last day of month | 31 | 13 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 10,680 |
| Bacterial " " | 116 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 9 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 2,104 |
| Analyses | 65 |

RABIES OBSERVATION

| | |
|---|---|
| Dogs received for observation | 4 |
| Dogs biting people | 3 |
| Returned to owners | 3 |
| Died of Rabies | 1 |

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 40 | 2 |
| Surgical | 60 | 0 |
| Maternity | 13 | 0 |
| Mental | 5 | 0 |
| Total | 118 | 2 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen | 2,227 | 5 | 2,227 | 0 | 1 |
| Sheep | 3,147 | 2 | 3,147 | 22 | 0 |
| Calves | 505 | 0 | 505 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs | 526 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK.

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 272 | 551 | 183 | 332 | 1338 |
| Rats plague infected | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation | 1200 | 2200 | 2450 | 400 | 6250 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1594 | 3236 | 1589 | 633 | 7052 |
| Poisoned baits laid | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier | 0 | 0 | 200 | 0 | 0<br>200 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

LABORATORY REPORT ON WATER.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks' water.
Sample received January 28, 1921.
Report sent out January 31, 1921.

Physical Characters.—Moderate opacity with yellowish green colour. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 13.0 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Some browning | |
| Total Hardness | 8.5 |
| (a) Temporary | 4.8 |
| (b) Permanent | 3.7 |
| Chlorine | 1.8 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0650 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0012 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0094 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° c. | 0.0556 |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 37° C. for 24 hours showed an average of 20 microbes per c.c.

Nutrient agar plates at 23° C. for 72 hours showed an average of 120 microbes per c.c.

Organisms of the coli group were present after 48 hours in 2 c.c.'s and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—The results of analysis show satisfactory filtration.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Enquiries after notification of foreign cases of infectious disease | 2 | 22 | 6 | 4 | 34 |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease | 14 | 61 | 65 | 23 | 163 |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease | 106 | 95 | 356 | 210 | 767 |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam | 1,320 | 1,236 | 3,555 | 881 | 6,992 |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed | 0 | 45 | 341 | 45 | 431 |
| Ventilation and lighting amended | 0 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 12 |
| Defective drainage amended | 20 | 32 | 38 | 25 | 115 |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 5 |
| " " repaired | 9 | 21 | 95 | 32 | 157 |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy | 3 | 2 | 21 | 4 | 30 |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished | 0 | 0 | 72 | 0 | 72 |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried | 0 | 14 | 16 | 11 | 41 |
| Beggar-boats removed | 0 | 6 | 18 | 0 | 24 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public | 20 | 9 | 15 | 11 | 55 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 43 | 60 | 80 | 61 | 244 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Samples taken for analysis | 0 | 12 | 6 | 33 | 51 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed | 0 | 415 | 690 | 178 | 1,283 |
| Hawkers licensed | 630 | 664 | 565 | 365 | 2,224 |
| Food prosecutions | 0 | 26 | 9 | 20 | 55 |
| House refuse prosecutions | 0 | 20 | 10 | 0 | 30 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Tons of ordure removed | 3,890 | 3,757 | 3,218 | 3,520 | 14,385 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed | 2,743 | 846 | 684 | 908 | 5,181 |
| Tons of house refuse removed | 8,284 | 3,254 | 2,364 | 3,099 | 17,001 |

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE MUNICIPAL LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Name of Dairy | Licensee | Situation | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dzang Shing | Ng Yeu San | Hungjao Road | 51.89% added water |
| Dzang Shing | Ng Yeu San | Hungjao Road | 8.3% added water |
| Thoong Oo | Tsang Ts Kyung | Jg 1102 Ward Road | Abstraction of fat |

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**Parks Report for January.**

*Roadside Trees.—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of trees pruned | 1,737 |
| ,, ,, ,, ,, planted | 129 |
| ,, ,, ,, tree borers destroyed | 41 |
| ,, ,, ,, dead trees removed | 56 |

*Road Widening.—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of trees transplanted | 192 |

*Nurseries.—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of young trees transplanted | 95 |

*Plants Bedded Out—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Reserve Garden | 1,480 |
| Public Gardens | 8,365 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 380 |
| Hongkew Recreation Ground | 160 |
| Jessfield Park | 8,000 |
| Wayside Park | 9,425 |
| Quinsan Square | 1,040 |
| Secretariat | 600 |
| | 29,450 |

*Shrubs Planted Out—*

| | |
|---|---|
| Public School for Boys | 30 |

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players |
|---|---|
| Golf | 882 |
| Hockey | 154 |
| Football | 352 |
| Total number of players | 1,388 |
| ,, ,, ,, non-players | 4,309 |
| ,, ,, ,, visitors | 5,697 |

D. MACGREGOR,
*Superintendent of Parks and Open Spaces.*

Countersigned:
CHAS. H. GODFREY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

**Summary of General Municipal Rate, December Quarter, 1920.**

**Foreign.**

| | 1920. | | 1919. | | 1918. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. |
| | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | 703 | 3,584,666 | 717 | 2,816,198 | 696 | 2,589,069 |
| Northern do. | 986 | 1,068,832 | 1,020 | 953,882 | 1,017 | 940,715 |
| Eastern do. | 782 | 1,016,724 | 748 | 974,854 | 733 | 915,484 |
| Western do. | 1,027 | 1,355,724 | 1,016 | 1,300,316 | 1,012 | 1,257,476 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 752 | 507,710 | 670 | 439,136 | 627 | 407,828 |
| Total | 4,250 | 7,533,656 | 4,171 | 6,484,386 | 4,085 | 6,110,572 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 3,238 | 5,762,587 | 3,172 | 4,854,447 | 3,109 | 4,572,785 |
| do. Chinese | 913 | 1,525,516 | 916 | 1,386,356 | 862 | 1,298,949 |
| Unoccupied | 99 | 245,553 | 83 | 243,583 | 114 | 238,838 |
| Total | 4,250 | 7,533,656 | 4,171 | 6,484,386 | 4,085 | 6,110,572 |
| TAX COLLECTED:— | | Tls. | | Tls. | | Tls. |
| Central District | | 117,394 | | 91,097 | | 72,089 |
| Northern do. | | 30,209 | | 30,799 | | 26,205 |
| Eastern do. | | 33,938 | | 32,609 | | 26,399 |
| Western do. | | 43,597 | | 40,720 | | 34,580 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 13,562 | | 7,060 | | 5,712 |
| Total | | 238,700 | | 202,285 | | 164,985 |

**Chinese.**

| | 1920. | | 1919. | | 1918. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. | No. of Houses. | Rental Assessment. |
| | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | 11,451 | 5,987,556 | 11,654 | 5,924,476 | 11,917 | 5,560,247 |
| Northern do. | 16,283 | 3,038,214 | 16,453 | 3,018,066 | 16,608 | 3,008,687 |
| Eastern do. | 17,609 | 1,637,786 | 17,602 | 1,609,868 | 17,257 | 1,574,535 |
| Western do. | 15,646 | 2,231,524 | 15,097 | 2,165,368 | 14,804 | 2,102,543 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | 1,265 | 115,778 | 1,236 | 110,246 | 1,224 | 109,814 |
| Total | 62,254 | 13,010,858 | 62,042 | 12,828,024 | 61,810 | 12,355,826 |
| Occupied by Foreigners | 2,116 | 536,169 | 2,042 | 586,948 | 1,972 | 478,334 |
| do. Chinese | 59,614 | 12,268,164 | 58,653 | 11,813,342 | 57,864 | 11,251,530 |
| Unoccupied | 524 | 206,525 | 1,347 | 427,734 | 1,974 | 625,962 |
| Total | 62,254 | 13,010,858 | 62,042 | 12,828,024 | 61,810 | 12,355,826 |
| TAX COLLECTED:— | | $ | | $ | | $ |
| Central District | | 205,809 | | 216,896 | | 157,456 |
| Northern do. | | 104,717 | | 111,891 | | 86,585 |
| Eastern do. | | 56,393 | | 60,238 | | 45,145 |
| Western do. | | 76,125 | | 76,305 | | 58,482 |
| Outside Settlement Limits | | 3,436 | | 2,000 | | 1,556 |
| Total | | 446,480 | | 467,330 | | 349,224 |

E. L. ALLEN, *Commissioner of Revenue.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承認全份或幾份係本局自有權利

二 所有承攬目錄必承准攬價目認承款目辦雖是極低本局亦有權不承認付人自亦

三 擇定之後該承攬人遵照辦理的實保

四 所有以後承攬各人之合人同辦理之價

五 本局有取閱登入本人公信及承攬人知之

六 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單費信送來之最善後仍將該款一律退還

二部局時總辦處至江西路二十四號工信

面送明須在定期號

漆寫承攬信項工料等物必加蓋火

其承攬信應公封固於

後明所收錢得的實承攬信登

本局必將款在單付錢則

所有須明清單內

目以後登入本人之信單人之辦理之

所有承攬人到局之後其該承攬本局如亦

行估價必准攬認款辦局亦

未定承目繼本是不

所有本局自有權利

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7A The Bund | | |
| 598 | Laying Spall Foundations, Great Western Road | — | February 28, Noon |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

POLICE FORCE

Tender No. 169

Convicts' Food.

| | Vegetables | Onions | Fish | Beef | Pork | Salt | Bean Oil | Tea |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *For twelve months.* | Cents per lb. | | | | | | | |
| Hu Ching Kee & Co. | 5 | 8 | 16 | 18 | 27 | 5 | 19 | 30 |
| Yue Yung Tai | 4 | 9 | 10 | 19 | 25 | 6 | 20 | 22 |
| * Nyer Dar & Co. | 4½ | 8½ | 9 | 15 | 17½ | 3½ | 17 | 10 |
| Van Yue Sun | — | — | — | — | — | — | 16 | — |

* Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2804.**

**MUNICIPAL INVESTMENT BANK.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on March 5, 1921, Debentures in the 7 per cent. Silver Loan 1920 will be allotted to depositors in respect of the amounts at their credit on January 8, 1921, with interest thereon up to March 5, 1921. Accounts will be debited with the allotments at 92½ per cent.

Deposits received during the period January 9 to September 5, 1921, will carry interest at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, calculated in the manner provided for under Rule 4, and will be in respect of the Loan of 1921 the terms of which will be announced after the next Ratepayers' meeting.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2805.**

**LOSS OF DEBENTURE CERTIFICATE.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the debenture certificate hereunder specified has been declared to be lost and the public is warned against its negotiation.

Application has been made for the issue of a duplicate certificate, and should no objection be lodged with the Municipal Treasurer and Comptroller within 30 days from date hereof, the application will be complied with and the original certificate will be treated as cancelled.

| Loan | Distinctive Number | Value of Debenture Tls. | Total Value Tls. | Registered in the name of |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1907 | 10,707 | 1,000 | 1,000 | The Master and Treasurer Antient Landmark Lodge |

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2808.**

**TRAFFIC REGULATION RANKING OR PARKING OF MOTOR VEHICLES.**

THE attention of the public is directed to the terms of the subjoined Police Notice, which has been served on motor vehicle owners with a view to relieving congestion in the Central District:—

NOTICE.

The Commissioner of Police presents his compliments to the registered owner of motor car No. and informs him that in future the ranking or parking of motor vehicles for an extended period (except on the authorized Vehicle Stands) in the following roads is prohibited:—

Peking Road
Jinkee Road
Nanking Road
Kiukiang Road
Hankow Road
Foochow Road
Canton Road
Bund
Yuen-ming-yuen Road
Museum Road
Szechuen Road
Kiangse Road
Honan Road

The authorized Vehicle Stands available for motor cars in the neighbourhood of the abovementioned roads are specified in Traffic Regulation No. 47 (see overleaf), and it is requested that one of them be used accordingly.

Motor cars can be ordered as required through Police Telephone Boxes which are situated on the Vehicle Stands as under:—

| *Bund:* | *Tel. No. C.* |
|---|---|
| Opposite Jinkee Road | 2541 |
| ,, Kiukiang Road | 2549 |
| ,, Foochow Road | 2548 |
| ,, Canton Road | 2547 |

*Hankow Road.*—At Kiangse Road crossing: Tel. No C. 2544

47.—Except on a duly authorized Vehicle Stand, the ranking or parking of vehicles on a highway shall as a rule be permitted to a limited extent and/or for a limited time only; and shall be dependent on the exigencies of traffic.

The Vehicle Stands authorized for ricshas only are indicated by signboards. Those authorized for the ranking or parking of motor or horse drawn vehicles are specified hereunder:—

(1) Bund (Centre) between Avenue Edward VII and Peking Road.

(2) Avenue Edward VII (Centre) between the Bund and Kiangse Road.

(3) Hankow Road (Centre) between Honan Road and Kiangse Road.

(4) Soochow Road (North side) between the Garden Bridge and Chapoo Road Bridge.

(5) Whangpoo Road (South side) East of Astor Road.

(6) Avenue Edward VII (North side) between Yunnan Road and Thibet Road.

(7) Thibet Road (East side) between Nanking Road and Burkill Road.

(8) Thibet Road (East side) between Nanking Road and Kiukiang Road.

(9) Bubbling Well Road (South side) between the main Race Club gate and a point opposite Myburgh Road.

In those cases in which no chauffeurs are employed or in which motor vehicles are in constant use during business hours the claims of the concerned for special consideration will be considered on application to the Commissioner of Police, Central Police Station, Foochow Road.

It is earnestly hoped that the public will readily co-operate with the Police in the carrying out of this measure in furtherance of the convenience of the public in general.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 3, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2798.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

**FEBRUARY, 1921.**

DURING the month of February, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be as follows:—

| 1st-10th | 11th-20th | 21st-end of month |
|---|---|---|
| 5.41 | 5.50 | 5.56 |

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 27, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2812.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

**MARCH, 1921.**

DURING the month of March, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be as follows:—

| 1st-10th | 11th-20th | 21st-end of month |
|---|---|---|
| 6.03 | 6.10 | 6.17 |

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 24, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2810.**

**CEMETERY, TAKU AND LUNGMEN ROADS.**

**RE-NAMING.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after March 1, 1921, the section of the Cemetery Road between Thibet and Taku Roads as also the existing Lungmen Road, will be re-named Taku Road. The remaining section of the Cemetery Road running South from Taku Road into Avenue Edward VII. will be re-named Lungmen Road.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 17, 1921.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2811.**

**LAND ASSESSMENT.**

MADE in pursuance of Resolution XII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers held on April 7, 1920.

The Schedules containing the Consular and Cadastral numbers of lots, in the Central and Northern Districts with areas and values, and with accompanying plans, are now ready and may be obtained on application at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund, on payment of $1.00 per copy for each District.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 17, 1921

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2813.**

**TAVERN LICENCES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Watch Committee will sit on Friday, April 8, to decide upon the number and locality of Foreign Taverns to be licensed during the ensuing year.

Applications for new licences, upon the form obtainable at the Revenue Office, must be forwarded to the undersigned on or before March 19. Applications received after March 19, will not be considered.

Thereafter, by public notification, an opportunity will be afforded to Ratepayers to protest against or support before the Committee the issue or renewal of any licence.

No fresh licences will be issued during the twelve months ensuing and until the next annual sitting of the Committee.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 24, 1921.

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AT the meeting of a Sub-Committee of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Wednesday, February 16, 1921, at 5.15 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce *(Chairman)*
C. G. Humphrys
A. C. Hynes
D. McColl

The meeting adjourned at 8 o'clock, p.m.

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AT the special meeting of the Council held on Thursday, February 17, 1921, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith(*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

*Absent:*
Mr. H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 12.50 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Health Committee held on Friday, February 18, 1921, at 4 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. H. H. Girardet (*Chairman*)
S. J. Halse
Dr. J. W. Jackson
R. J. Marshall

*Absent:*
Mr. S. Fessenden

The meeting adjourned at 6.15 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, February 18, 1921, at 5.15 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. W. Atkinson
A. W. Burkill
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphrys
D. McColl
W. L. Merriman
J. W. Stephenson

*Absent:*
Mr. A. C. Hynes

The meeting adjourned at 6.05 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Monday, February 21, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. W. Burkill (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. B. Neill
P. Peebles

*Absent:*
Mr. H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 6.05 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, February 23, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith(*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

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### Consular Body.

A letter from Mr. S. Steckmest, Acting Consul-General for Norway, informs the Council that he will hand over charge of the Consulate-General to Mr. N. Aall from February 25.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Customs Company.*—The commission issued to Captain H. D. Hilliard lapsed on October 24, 1920, being the date of expiration of leave granted to him as published in the Gazette of November 6, 1919.

*Field Artillery Battery.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, Sergeant-Major T. Mellows is granted the Honorary Rank of Lieutenant on retirement with permission to wear the prescribed uniform.

Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, the following promotions are authorized:—

*Shanghai Scottish Company.*—2nd Lieut. W. A. Turnbull to be Lieutenant from February 18, 1920.

*Maritime Company.*—2nd Lieut. F. W. Snape to be Lieutenant from February 18, 1920.

### Chinese Advisory Committee.

Correspondence with the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce in continuation of that published in the Gazette of April 22, 1920:—

*Translation of letter from the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, dated May 30, 1920.*

The writer acknowledges receipt of the Council's latter of April 17 on the subject of the nomination of suitable candidates for the membership of the Chinese Advisory Committee. At that time, as the street unions had held meetings on this subject and advertised their proceedings in the press, the Chamber put off immediate action to wait and see whom they would elect and so has not answered your letter earlier, for which the writer expresses sincere regret. Having subsequently learnt that the discussions of the street unions were without any result, the Chamber convened an ordinary meeting on May 29 when it was decided to address and notify the contents of your letter for the information and consideration of the different trade unions which are members of the Chamber, with the request that they nominate suitable candidates for appointment to the membership of the Chinese Advisory Committee, to be sent to the Chamber for transmission to the Council in due course. It is, however, remarked that as the Chamber is the union of the different trades it could only act in the interests of the commercial community and therefore could not communicate with or give any notice to other associations outside its province. As soon as the nomination papers have been received from the different trade unions the writer will acquaint the Council with their contents and in the meantime he asks the Council to take note of the above and with compliments, etc.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, June 3, 1920.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 30, on the subject of the membership of the Chinese Advisory Committee, and to inform you that the contents thereof have been duly noted.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The CHAIRMAN,
Chinese General Chamber of Commerce.

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*Translation of letter from the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, dated June 13, 1920.*

With reference to the question of the Chinese Advisory Committee the Chamber wrote (to the Council?) on the 30th ultimo giving its views and they have received the Council's note of June 3 in reply thereto. While the Chamber was awaiting the nominations by the different trade unions for transmission for the Council's consideration, they received communications from the Canton Guild and the Ningpo Residents Association expressing the view that as this matter affects the rights of the whole Chinese community the members of the Committee should be elected by the whole body of (Chinese?) ratepayers of the Settlement, the arrangements for the election should be settled accordingly. The Chamber laid this proposal before its 12th ordinary meeting on June 12 when those present concurred in the above-mentioned two unions' opinions as being reasonable, but as the Chamber is a commercial body they decided to abide by the decision reached at their 11th ordinary meeting held on May 29, namely to act within its province as a commercial body. Therefore the Chamber cannot call a general meeting (of Chinese ratepayers). The above is written for the Council's consideration.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, June 26, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to thank you for your letter of June 13, on the subject of the selection of nominees to the Chinese Advisory Committee, and to inform you that its contents are duly noted.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The CHINESE GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

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*Translation of letter from the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, dated November 24, 1920.*

The Chamber is in receipt of a communication from Wang Chen-ting (C. T. Wang 王正廷), Chairman, and Chen Tse-ming (陳則民), Vice-Chairman of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association in the matter of Chinese representation on the Municipal Council, stating that the Association had received notice from the Council that the resolution offered for the appointment of a Chinese Advisory Committee to the Council had been passed at the last Annual Meeting of Ratepayers in the spring of this year. Subsequently, as there was a general desire for a public election, the various unions held a meeting in the Y.M.C.A. on June 22, when a Committee of Preparation was appointed for making the necessary preliminary arrangements. At the same time they proceeded to obtain information from all parties, wrote to the different Unions, and advertised in the press, also they solicited advice on more than one occasion, so as to avoid omitting any one. An inaugural meeting (of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association) was held in the Y.M.C.A. Building on October 14, and an election took place at the same place on October 21, resulting in the election of Mr. Wang Chen-ting and 26 others, together with 15 others who are to form the Directorate. This was inaugurated on November 1, and on November 9, Messrs. Sung Hang-chang (宋漢章), Hsia Yung-sung (謝永森), Moh Er-cho (穆藕初), Yui Shih-chang (余日章) and Chen Kuan-foo (陳光甫), were duly elected to the membership of the Chinese Advisory Committee to the Council and the Chamber is accordingly requested to notify the Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, November 30, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of November 24, submitting the names of Messrs. Sung Hang-chang (宋漢章), Hsia Yung-sung (謝永森), Moh Er-cho (穆藕初), Yui Shih-chang (余日章) and Chen Kuan-foo (陳光甫) for membership of the Chinese Advisory Committee to the Council, and in reply to request that you may kindly forward for the Council's information, a copy of the constitutions and regulations, etc., of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association to which you refer.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The CHINESE GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

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*Translation of letter from the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, dated December 3, 1920.*

The writer acknowledges receipt of the Council's letter on the subject of the constitution of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association and, in reply, encloses a copy of the Association's Regulations recently obtained, for the Council's information.

*Regulations of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association.*

1. *Designation.*—The Association is formed by the Chinese ratepayers of the International Settlement of Shanghai, hence the designation "Chinese Ratepayers' Association of the International Settlement of Shanghai."

2. *Object.*—The Association aims at the development of self-government, in the interests of the general public.

3. *Membership.*—Chinese ratepayers in the Settlement possessing any one of the following qualifications, are eligible for membership in the Association:—

(*a*) Holding real estate to the value of Tls. 500 and upwards.

(*b*) Paying an annual land tax of Tls. 10 and upwards.

(*c*) Paying G. M. R. on an annual house assessment of Tls. 500 and upwards.

4. *Constitution and Term of Office.*—The membership of the Association will consist of 27 directors to be elected at the General Meeting, and the members so elected shall hold office for three years one-third of whom are to be eligible for re-election each year. Those elected for the first term will be divided into three classes (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) to be decided by lot-drawing; (*a*) class to hold office for one year, class (*b*) to hold office for two years, and class (*c*) to hold office for three years, with a Chairman and Vice-Chairman, to be chosen by the directors from among their members. Also the election of five representatives to be nominated by the directorate and the five representatives so chosen shall hold office for one year, but may continue for a second term, if elected. In case of a vacancy arising in the directorate it may be filled by the one polling the next highest vote at the previous election. Other officers (staff?) to be appointed by the directorate.

5. *Qualifications of a Director.*—Any member of the Association who has been a resident of the Settlement for five years and upwards and who possesses any one of the following qualifications, will be eligible for membership on the Directorate, such election to be held at the General Meeting of the Directorate:—

(*a*) Paying an annual land tax and house rate of fifty or more taels.

(*b*) Paying annual G. M. R. on house assessment of twelve hundred or more taels.

6. *Responsibilities and Duties of a Director.*—All matters vitally affecting the interests of Chinese residents in the Settlement, also any proposals or applications required to be made in connexion with the local administration, shall first be dealt with by the Directorate.

7. *Meetings.*—A General Meeting shall be convened in November of each year to be called the "Chinese Ratepayers' Annual Meeting," such meeting to be convened by the Directorate, or on the application of one-tenth or more of the membership of the Association. Special meetings may be convened, and the dates for convening such special meetings shall be fixed by the Directorate.

8. *Funds.*—The expenses of the Association shall be borne by the Chinese ratepayers within the Settlement.

9. *Addendum.*—The Regulations of the Association shall come into force on the day of the inauguration of the Association. The rules of the Association may be amended at a regular meeting of the Association by a two-thirds vote of those present and voting at such General Meeting, but notice of an amendment or change of the rules (of the

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Association) must be submitted in writing (to the Directorate) one month before the convening of such special meeting (of the Association).

*Translation of letter from the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, dated December 6, 1920.*

The writer states that he has recently forwarded a copy of the Regulations of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association of the International Settlement; this document has no doubt reached your office. He is now in receipt of a note from the Association, enquiring as to the date upon which the Chinese Advisory Committee may begin to function, in order that the necessary arrangements may be made. He shall be glad to hear from the Council on this subject, so that he may reply to the Association.

Council Room,
Shanghai, December 15, 1920.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to thank you for your letter of December 3, forwarding copy of the Regulations of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association, for the Council's information, and in reply to your letter of December 6, to state that the nominations made to the Advisory Committee are now under the Council's consideration, and that a further communication will be addressed to you in due course.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The CHINESE GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Council Room,
Shanghai, January 13, 1921.

SIR,—I am directed to refer to my letter of December 15, acknowledging the receipt of a copy of the Regulations of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association, and in reply to your letter of November 24, to state that the Council has now completed its consideration of the nomination for membership of the Chinese Advisory Committee to the Council therein submitted on behalf of the Association named, and that, for the reasons hereinafter set forth, it is regretted that it cannot accept such nominations for transmission to the Consular Body for approval.

Whilst the Council is given to understand that one or more of the five gentlemen nominated have not the qualifications stipulated in the Council's letter to the Senior Consul of October 24, 1919, upon the basis of which the creation of the Advisory Committee was approved by the Ratepayers at their last Annual Meeting, I am to state that it has, for the present, confined itself to a consideration of the Regulations of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association by which the five gentlemen so nominated are bound.

Regulation 4 provides for a Directorate of 27, from whose number five are elected for nomination to the Advisory Committee. Regulation 6 provides that all matters vitally affecting the interests of Chinese residents in the Settlement as also any proposals or applications required to be made in connexion with the local administration shall first be dealt with by the Directorate. In effect therefore all persons nominated for membership of the Advisory Committee by the Association are placed under an obligation to refer to the Directorate every matter of importance that might be referred to them by the Council were their nominations accepted, whilst any representations made by them to the Council would have to be approved in the first instance by the Directorate exercising rights in the administration of the affairs of the Foreign Settlement which could not be permitted.

You will therefore readily appreciate that the Council can only consent to transmit to the Consular Body for nomination to the Advisory Committee the names of such Chinese gentlemen as are not in any way fettered as to their advice or representations by any other controlling or supervisory body whether it be the Directorate of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association, the Association itself or any guild or body representative of any faction or factions of the Chinese community.

In conclusion, I am to state that there are already outstanding one or two matters upon which the Council desires the advice of the Advisory Committee, so that it is desirable that the names of five duly qualified nominees who are not bound by the Regulations above referred to, should be submitted for the Council's consideration as early as possible.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The CHAIRMAN,
Chinese General Chamber of Commerce.

*Translation of letter from the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, dated January 25, 1921.*

The writer acknowledges receipt of the Council's letter stating that the Council cannot transmit the names of the five members of the Chinese Advisory Committee as nominated by the Chinese Ratepayers' Association for the approval of the Consular Body, and asking that five duly qualified men who are not bound by the regulations of the said Association may be elected and forwarded for consideration, etc. Accordingly the Chamber has written to the Chinese Ratepayers' Association on the subject and the Association has now replied to the effect that the question contained in the Council's letter as to the five nominees of the Chinese Advisory Committee are the result of wrong information or wrong interpretation (of the regulation) and explaining the points raised, for transmission to the Council. The writer therefore encloses herein a copy of the Association's note to the Chamber, both in Chinese and English, for the Council's consideration, etc.

(*Enclosure*).

Shanghai, January 24, 1921.

DEAR SIR,—We thank you for your letter of the 17th instant containing the reply of the Council to your letter of November 24, 1920. The reply raised certain questions on the election of the five gentlemen to the Chinese Advisory Committee. We are of the opinion that such questions were brought forth by the inaccurate information that the Council had received and by the wrong interpretation of the regulations. We believe that those questions can be easily answered and shall deem it a great favour if you will communicate such answer to the Council as follows:—

After careful examination, we are perfectly satisfied that the five gentlemen elected are duly qualified.

Regulation 4 as well as the other regulations were passed by the Chinese ratepayers' general meeting duly held in the building of the Chinese Young Men's Christian Association on October 20, 1920, and it expresses their desire as to the manner in which the Advisory Committee, who are to represent them, should be elected. The Council will appreciate that when it is established that the Chinese ratepayers are entitled to have five persons to represent them in matters concerning local administration they may be taken to know best the method whereby their representatives are to be elected.

As to Regulation 6, it would seem that the Council had laboured under its inaccurate translation or wrong construction. We therefore propose to render a true translation thereof as follows:—

*Regulation 6. The Duties of the* (職責) *Business Committee* (理事之).

When any (凡) Chinese in the Settlement (界內華人) bring forward a proposal (有所建議) or a petition (或請願), etc. (等事) concerning (關於) matters (之事) of vital interest (切身利害) and in respect of the local administration (及對於自治行政) of the Settlement (界內之) the same shall all (皆須) be dealt with by the Bureau of Business Committee (經理事部審定) and then (後) alloted (分別) for consideration (辦理之) [by the Advisory Committee].

It is clear that there is not the slightest suggestion in the regulation that any representations made by the Advisory Committee to the Council would have to be approved in the first instance by the business Committee and still less that any reference of whatever nature by the Council to them should place them under an obligation to refer to the business Committee for approval. We fully appreciate the opinion of

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the Council that the Advisory Committee should not in any way be fettered as to their advice or representations by any controlling or supervising body. As Regulation 6 does not create such a body, or any obligation on the part of the Advisory Committee to any body of any description, their actions are in no way fettered by the provisions of that regulation.

We shall be obliged if you will communicate the contents of this letter to the Council at your earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully,
C. T. WANG.
*Chairman,*
*Chinese Ratepayers' Association.*

The CHAIRMAN,
Chinese General Chamber of Commerce.

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**Council Room,**
Shanghai, February 17, 1921.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of January 25, forwarding copy of a letter dated January 24, signed by Dr. C. T. Wang, on behalf of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association, commenting on the Council's letter to you of January 13, in reference to the nominations for membership of the Chinese Advisory Committee to the Council, which were submitted in your letter of November 24, 1920.

In reply you may assure Dr. Wang that there has been no mistranslation or misconstruction by the Council of Regulation 6 of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association as he suggests; that the Council is not prepared under any circumstances to recede from the stand taken in my letter to you of January 13, which in effect is that the Body, created to provide the necessary machinery for selecting candidates for nomination to the Advisory Committee, must confine itself to this function; and that therefore unless and until the names of five nominees who are not bound by those regulations to which objection has been taken, are submitted on behalf of the Chinese community, the Council cannot, it is regretted, proceed with the appointment of such committee.

It may perhaps assist you to appreciate the position still more clearly if you ask yourself how the Council can be expected to accept or repose any trust or confidence in five nominees whoever they may be, when those who put forward their names for nomination are not prepared on their part to trust them, but must needs seek to place them under a controlling or supervisory body of no less than twenty-two other persons? The Council does not seek an Advisory Committee of twenty-seven, but an Advisory Committee of five.

In conclusion I am directed to emphasize that there is no desire on the Council's part to obstruct the appointment of the Committee, as appears to have gained impression amongst certain sections of the Chinese Community. On the contrary the sooner the Committee takes office and is able to assist with its advice on matters affecting the Chinese Community, the better will it please the Council, which must, however, insist that the Committee be appointed in conformity with the conditions laid down by the Council and approved by the Ratepayers.

I am, Sir,
**Your obedient servant,**
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The CHAIRMAN,
Chinese General Chamber of Commerce.

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Shanghai, February 22, 1921.

SIR,—We have the honour to enclose a copy of the letter sent us by the Chinese Ratepayers' Association in reply to your letter of the 17th instant in connexion with the election of the Chinese Advisory Committee to your Council.

We have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servants,
CHINESE GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,
Y. H. YANG,
*General Secretary.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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(*Enclosure.*)

Shanghai, February 19, 1921.

DEAR SIR,—We have to thank you for your kindness in sending us a copy of Mr. Liddell's letter to you of the 17th instant in connexion with the election of the Chinese Advisory Committee to the Municipal Council. We shall be glad if you will convey to the Council our appreciation of its assurance that there is no desire on its part to obstruct the Committee, though the belief in the existence of such desire is entertained by large sections of the Chinese Community.

With reference to paragraphs 2 and 3 of Mr. Liddell's letter we are of the opinion that the Council is still labouring under the mistranslation or misconstruction of a document in Chinese, a language unknown to most and foreign to all of the members of the Council. We are, however, aware that further continuance of the disagreement in the translation or construction is incompatible with the interest of the Chinese community nor with that of the Council, as such continuance would only leave the former in their existing grievance of total non-representation in the Municipal administration and expose the latter to the widely entertained impression of its desire to obstruct the Committee. We have therefore decided to call a Chinese Ratepayers' General Meeting for an expression of their own intention when the Regulation 6 was passed. It would be unreasonable to maintain that we are infallible interpreters of their intention and more so that the Councillors are such interpreters. The proper course to take would therefore be to call upon the makers of the regulation to interpret it themselves and if their interpretation is at one with the Council, to amend it.

It is, however, important to note that the Council in its letter of January 13, vaguely hinted at one or more other objections of a nature totally undisclosed but mainly, and in its letter of the 17th instant solely, confined itself to Regulation 6, if the Council does not intend to waive such one or more other objections, we shall be glad to have all its objections at one time so that we may submit, if necessary, all of them to the General Meeting for the consideration of the Chinese Ratepayers. The Council will appreciate that if all its objections were not to be communicated to us altogether and in definite terms it might involve the necessity of calling more than one general meeting and would certainly tend to convince the belief that there is a desire on the part of the Council to obstruct the Committee. You may assure the Council that the sooner such belief is dispelled, the better it will please the Chinese community.

We trust that we shall have the pleasure of having an early reply from the Council.

Yours faithfully,
CHENGTING T. WANG,
*Chairman,*
*Chinese Ratepayers' Association.*

The CHAIRMAN,
The Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, Shanghai.

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**Peace Memorial Scholarships.**

In terms of the appended Trust Deed, the Chairman and Secretary of the Council have accepted the trusts attaching to the very generous gift by a resident of the Settlement who desires to remain anonymous of £13,500 in the 6 per cent. Municipal Sterling Loan 1920, to found and maintain two scholarships to be designated "The Peace Memorial Scholarships," one to be awarded for Electrical Engineering and/or Synthetic Chemistry, and the other for Practical Farming and/or Horticulture:—

THIS INDENTURE is made the eleventh day of February, 1921.

BETWEEN A. B. C. of Shanghai Merchant of the one part and THE CHAIRMAN and THE SECRETARY of the SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL (hereinafter with their successors in office called "the Trustees") of the other part.

WHEREAS the said A. B. C. has delivered to the Trustees scrip for £13,500 bearer Debentures of the 6 per cent. 1920 Sterling Loan of the Shanghai Municipal Council to the intent that the same shall be dedicated in perpetuity for the purpose of founding and maintaining two scholarships to be competed for by British boys of pure white descent resident at the time of their candidature in China or Hongkong and whose parents or one of them shall have resided in China or Hongkong for a period of at least

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three years, the object of such scholarships being to encourage British boys to turn to the laboratory the workshop or the land in preference to the routine of the counting house and the office.

NOW THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH that it is hereby agreed and declared as follows:—

1.—The Trustees' shall hold the said scrip for £13,500 Municipal Loan (hereinafter called "the Trust Fund") upon the trusts and with and subject to the powers and provisions hereinafter appearing.

2.—The Trustees may at any time and from time to time vary the said investment for others of a like nature and shall stand possessed of the Trust Fund and the investments from time to time representing the same upon trust to apply the income thereof in perpetuity in manner hereinafter appearing.

3.—The Trustees shall out of the income of the Trust Fund in the first place pay all costs and expenses (if any) of or incidental to the management of the Trust Fund and the income thereof or the execution of any of the trusts or powers of these presents and in the second place shall apply the balance of such income in establishing and maintaining two scholarships to be called the PEACE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS (hereinafter referred to as "THE PEACE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS") of the annual value of not more than £405 each to be from time to time awarded in manner hereinafter mentioned to two British boys of pure white descent resident at the time of their candidature in China or Hongkong and whose parents or one of them shall have resided in China or Hongkong for a period of at least three years and if any question shall hereafter arise as to the meaning of the words "pure white descent" "residence" or "nationality" the decision of the Trustees as to the eligibility of any candidate for scholarship or scholarships shall be final.

4.—The said Peace Memorial Scholarships shall be awarded one for electrical engineering and/or synthetic chemistry and the other for practical farming and/or horticulture (at the option of each prizeman) at such intervals and as the result of such examination and in such manner and shall be held and enjoyed for such period and upon and subject to such terms and conditions as are contained in the regulations set out in the Schedule hereunder written and the Trustees may at any time revoke or alter any such regulations and make new or additional regulations in place thereof and again revoke or alter the same.

5.—The Trustees may at any time and from time to time set apart as a sinking fund the whole or any part of the surplus income produced by the Trust Fund in any years not required to meet the said costs and expenses or to keep down the current payments of the Peace Memorial Scholarships and may invest any sums so set apart and also (if and when thought fit) the resulting income thereof in the names of the Trustees in manner aforesaid with power at any time to vary any such investments.

6.—The Trustees may at any time sell any investment representing the capital or income of the sinking fund and apply the proceeds thereof and may at any time apply any moneys forming part of the capital or income of the sinking fund as though the same were income produced by the Trust Fund during the then current year.

7.—The Trustees may at any time or times and from time to time delegate to any person or persons the execution of all or any of the trusts and powers of these presents including discretionary powers and may by powers of attorney or otherwise authorize such person or persons to execute make or do or concur in executing making and doing any deed instrument payment receipt act and thing relating to any of such trusts and powers without the Trustees being accountable or responsible for any loss occasioned thereby and may pay such commission and salary to such person or persons for his or their services as the Trustees may think fit and no person or persons dealing with any person or persons purporting to act under such delegation or authority as aforesaid shall be bound or concerned to see or enquire as to the propriety regularity or sufficiency of such delegation or authority or whether such delegation or authority is at the time of such dealing valid and subsisting.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO REGULATIONS.

1.—As it is impossible to foresee the future development of science no restraint is placed on prizemen as to the countries in which they may desire to prosecute their studies but at least one year must be devoted to practical work in the laboratory the workshop or the field.

2.—All candidates for scholarships shall be required before November 1 in the year of such examination as they propose to attend to fill in sign and send to the examiners a form giving the following particulars:—

(*a*) Name in full.
(*b*) Names in full of parents.
(*c*) Nationality of candidate.
(*d*) Date of birth.
(*e*) Present address of candidate.
(*f*) Present address of parents.
(*g*) Length of residence in China or Hongkong of parents and in what place or places.
(*h*) Business or profession of father.
(*i*) Business or profession of candidate.
(*j*) Education of candidate.
(*k*) Which of the three courses candidate desires to take.
(*l*) Names of parties to whom candidate is known and to whom the examiners can apply for references.

3.—There shall be two scholarships each of the total triennial value of not more than £1,215 out of which shall be paid (*a*) a first class passage from China to the country in which the prizeman elects to commence his studies: (*b*) the sum of not more than £300 per annum in quarterly instalments from the date of landing in such country (*c*) any balance on the completion of the three years (subject to progress satisfactory to the Trustees being shown) to the prizeman.

4.—The test examination for these scholarships shall be the matriculation examination of the University of Hongkong and to the Council of which all applications by candidates must be made. In deciding between the equal claims of eligible candidates who have passed the matriculation examination the Trustees may take into consideration special circumstances such as a candidate's proved knowledge of or interest in a subject which he desires to study or any special proved qualifications and also character or physique.

5.—The first two scholarships shall be awarded on the result of the matriculation examination of December 1921. And two further scholarships shall be similarly awarded on the result of the matriculation examination of December 1924 and so on at the end of every third year calculated from December 1921.

6.—If at any examination no candidate qualifies no scholarship shall be awarded. Should no award or only one award be made then the scholarship or scholarships remaining open shall be competed for at the next or any succeeding examination until all such postponed scholarships shall have been awarded.

7.—No candidate shall be eligible for a scholarship if he has attained the age of 20 on the first of July in the year in which the examination is held and the Trustees reserve the right to cancel the award of a scholarship in any case in which they are satisfied that a misapprehension has existed or a misrepresentation has been made regarding the candidate's eligibility respecting his various qualifications contained in these regulations.

8.—The names of the Universities Colleges or other places at which a scholar proposes to prosecute or may from time to time propose to prosecute his studies shall be submitted to the Trustees for approval and arrangements shall be made as far as possible

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reports to be provided to the Trustees by the Colleges or other places from time to time where scholars are in attendance.

9.—Should a scholar be apathetic in his studies or guilty of serious misconduct the Trustees may at their discretion reduce his prize money or may withhold all future payments in respect of such scholarship.

10.—These regulations shall be printed and sent to the headmasters of all British Public and Private Schools in China and Hongkong.

SIGNED SEALED AND DELIVERED by the above named A. B. C. in the presence of:—

A. B. C. SEAL.

*Witness*:

J. H. TEESDALE,
Solicitor, Shanghai.

SIGNED SEALED AND DELIVERED by ALFRED BROOKE SMITH Chairman and NORMAN OSWALD LIDDELL, Secretary of the Municipal Council in the presence of:—

A. BROOKE SMITH,
*Chairman*, SEAL.
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary*, SEAL.

*Witness*:

E. S. BENBOW ROWE,
Assistant Secretary.

### Road Maintenance.

The following letter concludes the correspondence on this subject published in the Gazette of January 13 last:—

*Translation of letter from the French Municipal Council, dated January 18, 1921.*

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of December 20, 1920, on the subject of the upkeep of Avenue Edward VII, Avenue Foch and Haig.

The Council, who considered this matter at its meeting of January 14, directs me to inform you that it accepts the Shanghai Municipal Council's proposals, which may be put into force from February 1, 1921.

I am, Sir, etc.,
P. LEGENDRE,
*Secretary*.

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

### Easement.

Permission has been granted to the Naigai Wata Kaisha, Ld. to place a water pipe under Moji Road, connecting their No. 9 Mill and staff residence on Cadastral Lot 4381, on conditions similar to those under which a like easement was granted to the Heng Foong Cotton Manufacturing Co. as set forth on page 3 of the Gazette of January 6, 1921.

### Hongkong Local Examinations.

The results achieved by pupils from the Council's schools for Chinese, in the examinations held December, 1920, are as follows:—

*Public School for Chinese.*—

Matriculation Examination:—

Pass: Ma Char-zur (馬家書)
Uzan Zau-zun (鄭紹成)
Wang Sze-yuen (王自芸)
Hu Cheng En (胡承恩)
Chun Foh-ziang (陳複祥)
Oong Teh-zee (翁德齊)
Dung Sze-tse (鄧樹滋)

Senior Examination:—

Pass: Shou Piao (壽 標)
Lai Shou-wei (賴孝威)

Junior Examination:—

Pass: *Chang Hung-nien (張鴻年)
†Zau Zou-ting (趙傳鼎)
‡Wang Vong-ming (王鳳鳴)
Chang Che-piao (張企標)
King Yiu-kwen (金亦堃)
Wong Chin-son (王錦生)
Bong Zung-sung (龐潤生)
Gee Waite (魏 · 棋)
Ede Foh-zee (奚霸泉)
Koh Che-ling (葛啟麟)
Woo Tao-han (胡道涵)
Li Ding-foong (李定豐)
Ho Hsiao-heen (何孝憲)
Yeh Mee-zung (葉彌仁)

*Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese.*—

Matriculation Examination:—

Pass: Chang Nyee-tsung (張念徵)

Junior Examination:—

Pass: Sung Teh-ziang (孫嘉聲)
Yang Zur-pao (楊綬寶)
‡Woo Leh-dee (吳藍田)

* Distinction in Chemistry.
† Distinction in Drawing.
‡ Distinction in Chinese.

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 26 | Off The Bund | Glen Line Eastern Agencies Ld. | | | water closet |
| 143A | Kiangse | Kiang Su Ning Hong | | | addns. & altns. & boundary wall |
| 1074 | Off Fearon | Electricity Department | | | shed |
| 6454 | Haichow | Midland Packing Co. | | | boundary wall |
| 2460 | Yangtszepoo | Stewardson & Spence | | | shelter 2 latrines & addn. to boundary wall |
| 6335 | Off Ferry | Kelly & Walsh Ld. | | | water closet |
| 6185 | Off Hart | Bin Foo Chang | | | " |
| 4892 | Off West Soochow | Wong Sung Kee | | | boundary wall |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 1031 | Boone | Zang Seng Tai | 10 | | gate-house |
| 135 | Off Tong-shan | Wing Hap & Co. | | | " |

The following land transactions are recorded:—

*Road Extensions and Widenings.*

| Road | Lot No. Cad. | Lot No. Consular | Area in Road | Surplus | Acquired from | Compensation |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Foochow & Shantung | 274 | B.C. 252 | Mow 0.064 | — | Atkinson & Dallas. Ld. | Assessed value + 10% less ⅓rd. for betterment or Tls 1,783 |
| Thibet | 617 | ,, 1294 | ,, 1.020 | — | Chen Chin Chee Estate Office | *Tls. 4,033 |
| Scott | — | Pao U.S. 49 | ,, 0.411 | — | W.S. Fleming | Tls. 2,466 |
| Tongshan | 1216 | ,, 4023 | ,, 0.130 | — | Hansons | Assessed value + 10 % less ⅓rd for betterment or ₹333.70 |
| Bubbling Well | 2985 | ,, 850) ,, 1799) | ,, 0.521 | — | C.O. Liddell & A.W. Burkill) | Assessed value + 10% † or Tls. 4,011 |
| do. | 2985 | ,, 5217 | ,, 0.043 | — | J.W. Liddell | Assessed value + 10% † or Tls. 260 |
| Hart | — | unregistered | ,, 0.041 | — | Chinese | Tls. 12.30 |
| Hungjao | — | ,, | ,, 2.186 | — | ,, | Tls. 1,202 |

* The Council permitted incorporation in this lot of Mow 0.878 of surplus land in Lloyd Road. Compensation was paid on the balance Mow 0.141 at the assessed value + 10% less 1/3rd for betterment.

† The Council will bear re-instatement costs.

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

| Site. | Lot No. Cad Consular. | Area. | Acquired from | Compensation. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pingliang Piece | — unregistered W. of B.C. 9602 | 1.008 | Chinese | Tls. 900 |

SURPLUS LAND SOLD.

| Road | Lot No. Cad. Consular | Area | Purchaser | Sale Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Kiangwan * | — Pao B.C. 58 | 0.178 | C. Luthy | Tls. 1,000 |

* No access to Kiangwan Road is provided to the purchaser across the Turfed border lying between the land sold and the road.

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**Concreteware Manufactory.**

REVISED PRICE LIST

| No. | Description | Price in Tls. |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | 12″ Pipe | 1.00 |
| 2 | 9″ ,, | 0.80 |
| 3 | 6″ ,, | 0.60 |
| 4 | 4″ ,, | 0 40 |
| 5 | 12″ by 9″ Junction | 2.00 |
| 6 | 12″ by 6″ ,, | 1.80 |
| 7 | 12″ by 4″ ,, | 1.70 |
| 8 | 9″ by 6″ ,, | 1.50 |
| 9 | 9″ by 4″ ,, | 1.30 |
| 10 | 6″ by 4″ ,, | 1.00 |
| 11 | 6″ Knuckle Bend | 0.60 |
| 12 | 4″ ,, | 0.60 |
| 13 | 6″ Bend (long) | 0.60 |
| 14 | 4″ ,, ,, | 0.60 |
| 15 | 4″ Fig. A. Yard Gully without cover | 0 40 |
| | Concrete cover | 0.20 |
| | C. I. ,, | 0.40 |
| 16 | 6″ Fig. B. Yard Gully without cover | 1.25 |
| | Concrete cover | 0.30 |
| | C. I. ,, | 1.10 |
| 17 | 4″ Fig. C. Yard Gully without cover | 0.50 |
| | Concrete cover | 0.20 |
| | C. I. ,, | 0.40 |
| 18 | Revolving Top Gully including C. I. cover | 0.90 |
| 19 | 3'0″ by 2'0″ Invert | 3.00 |
| 20 | 2'3″ by 1'6″ ,, | 2.40 |
| 21 | 1'6″ by 1 0″ ,, | 1.20 |
| 22 | 12″ ,, | 1.00 |
| 23 | 3 0″ by 2'0″ Egg-shaped Tube | 6 50 |
| 24 | 2'3″ by 1'6″ Tube | 4 00 |
| 25 | 1'6″ by 1'0″ ,, | 2 50 |
| 26 | 3'0″ Circular Tube | 8.50 |
| 27 | 4'6″ ,, ,, | 22.00 |
| 28 | 3'0″ Invert | 4.80 |
| 29 | 2'0″ by 2'0″ Manhole Shaft (large) | 3.50 |
| 30 | 2'0″ by 2'0 Manhole (small) | 2.20 |
| 31 | 1'5″ by 1'5″ Manhole Top Frame | 3.30 |
| 32 | Manhole Slabs (small) | 1 90 |
| 23 | ,, ,, (large) | 3.60 |
| 34 | Manhole Bricks | 0.08 |
| 35 | Blind Manhole Covers (small) | 1.40 |
| 36 | Blind Manhole (large) | 3.20 |
| 37 | S. P. Gullies (bottom) | 2.80 |
| 38 | ,, ,, (top) | 4.10 |
| 39 | Kerb | 1.50 |
| 40 | Channel | 1.40 |
| 41 | 3'3″ Pavement Tube | 0.44 |
| 42 | 2'3″ ,, ,, | 0.34 |
| 43 | 2'0″ ,, ,, | 0.42 |
| 44 | 4″ diam. Socket | 0 20 |
| 45 | 3″ ,, ,, ,, | 0.24 |
| 46 | Boundary Stone | 2.60 |
| 49 | Grave Slabs (large) per set | 10 40 |
| 50 | ,, ,, (small) ,, | 2.50 |
| 51 | 18'0″ Bearing pile | 35.00 |
| 52 | 14'0″ ,, ,, | 26.00 |
| 53 | 10'0″ Sheet pile | 10.50 |
| 54 | 7'6″ ,, ,, | 7 20 |
| 55 | Fence Post | 4.40 |
| 56 | Kitchen Sink (large) | 6.30 |
| 57 | ,, ,, (small) | 3.70 |
| 58 | Ridge Tile | 0.40 |
| 59 | Square Tile | 0.10 |
| 60 | Sidewalk Slab 2'5½″ | 1.00 |
| 61 | ,, ,, 1'11½″ | 0.80 |
| 62 | ,, ,, 0'11½″ | 0.40 |

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to the following from the undermentioned dates:—

Inspector H. E. Peck from March 15.

Sub-Inspector W. Abbott from March 14.

Sergeant R. Shellswell from March 10.

Sergeant R. Ockwell from March 14.

Inspector P. W. Reeves from March 14.

Sergeant C. J. Bull from March 7.

*Health Department.*—Nurse A. C. M. Kavanagh is invalided from February 17.

*Public Works Department.*—Clerk-of-Works J. Lamont is invalided from May 17, the date of expiry of his long leave.

*Electricity Department.* — The Council has learnt with deep regret of the death on February 17, of Mr. A. E. Childs, Charge Engineer.

*Public Band.*—Mr. J. Coles is appointed Musician under agreement from February 7.

The temporary service of Musicians L. Novotni and L. Oftchinikoff will terminate on February 28 and May 31, respectively.

The appointment of Musician J. Schiller is confirmed under agreement from January 1.

*Educational Department.*—Mrs. L. Brooks, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, will henceforward be known as Mrs. L. Stanley.

Miss M. Hyland is appointed Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls under agreement from February 6.

The service of Miss E. J. Wolfe, temporary Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, terminated on February 6.

Miss M. Allen, Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, is permitted to terminate her service on October 20.

Cancellation of the agreement of Mrs. D. Gerahty, *née* Miss D. Sothcott, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, and the substitution therefor of a new agreement, terminable at three months' notice, is authorized.

Mrs. H. McLellan is appointed temporarily as Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys from February 6.

*Finance Department.* — During the absence of Mr. E. F. Goodale on leave from February 12, Mr. J. T. Ford, Assistant Treasurer and Comptroller, will undertake the duties of Treasurer and Comptroller.

*Revenue Office.*—Long leave is granted to Mr. F. A. Sampson, Assistant Commissioner of Revenue, from May 28.

**Public Band.**

On Sunday next, February 27, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.

FIFTEENTH CONCERT.

With the collaboration of Mrs L. ISENMAN (Soprano)

1.—Catalonia (Orchestral Suite up on original popular Spanish Themes) I. Albeniz

2.—Two Operatic Airs G. Puccini

(*a*) Tosca's Air (Sung in English)

(*b*) Madam Butterfly's Air (Sung in Italian)

Soloist: Mrs. L. Isenman

3.—Siegfried's Idyll Wagner

4.—Two Movements from the "Country Wedding Symphony" Goldmark

(*a*) In the Garden

(*b*) Danse

5.—Air from the Opera "Louise" (Sung in French) Charpentier

Soloist: Mrs. L. ISENMAN

6.—Hungarian Rhapsody No. 14 in F. minor Liszt

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, February 20, 1921. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 24,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 780,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Diphtheria | 10 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 25 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 10 | 155 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Report of Commissioner of Police for January.**

Strength of the Force on January 31.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 205 | |
| Japanese | 43 | |
| Sikhs | 660 | |
| Chinese | 1,468 | |
| | | 2,385 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 101 | |
| Followers | 230 | |
| | | 331 |
| | Total | 2,7 6 |

*Eldorado Tragedy.* — The case wherein an American citizen named Henry R. Furbush was charged with shooting Richard F. Hazelton was finally disposed of in the United States Court on January 22 when the accused was sentenced to imprisonment for life.

*Shooting Affray.*—On January 1 a French sailor named Alfonsi Cousie of the s.s. *Commander Mages* was shot in the stomach by a shipmate named Paul Rossi outside the "Naval Club" bar room on Boone Road. The wound did not prove fatal. Rossi was sentenced to three months' imprisonment and fined fifty francs by the French Court.

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*Bomb Explosion.*—Early in the morning of January 9 a bomb exploded in the premises of the *Sin Wan Pao* Newspaper Office, No. 19 Hankow Road, resulting in several windows and the footboard of a private ricsha being broken. The bomb had apparently been placed on the ground under the footboard of the ricsha by a Chinese who had called and enquired for a back number of the paper a few minutes before the explosion took place.

*Robbery.*—During the month eleven cases of armed robbery from dwelling houses occurred in the Settlement and one case of attempted armed robbery. The following reports were also received:—One of armed highway robbery from the person, one attempted highway robbery from the person and one attempted robbery in which no arms were used, from a dwelling house.

In connexion with the above two persons were arrested and are at present under remand awaiting trial. Two persons referred to in last month's report as being under remand at the end of December on charges of armed robbery have been sentenced to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol.

Three persons were arrested during the month in connexion with armed robberies committed prior to January 1, 1921. Two were ordered to be handed over to the Military Governor while the case against the other was dismissed.

*Stolen Property.*—456 reports of property stolen were made at the various Stations. These include 56 of burglary, 15 of which took place in Sinza District, 14 in West Hongkew, 6 in Hongkew, 6 in Bubbling Well, 5 in Louza, 3 in Wayside, 2 in Yangtszepoo, 2 in North Szechuen Road, 2 in Gordon Road and one in Harbin Road. During the same period 16 cases of housebreaking were recorded. One case of office-breaking, three of shop-breaking and two of godown-breaking were reported in the Central District.

In 156 cases investigation was made with successful results. The return shows an increase of 77 on the figures of the previous month and of 42 on the corresponding month of last year.

*Crime outside Settlement Limits.*—During the month 11 cases of robbery and piracy were reported as having occurred in the region around Shanghai. In four instances the members of crews on boats which were plundered were roughly handled and injured when endeavouring to raise an alarm. On January 25 a Chinese who was convicted of a robbery at a village in Pootung, was executed at the place where he committed the offence.

*Rice Smuggling.*—For over a year the Chinese press has continually published accounts of rice smuggling which, it is alleged, is carried on. During the past two months, acting on information received, the Municipal Police searched three godowns where it was alleged rice was being stored for export. In each case it was found that the quantity of rice was not in excess of that usually stored and enquiries showed that the rice was the property of several small rice hongs who were doing a legitimate business locally. In other cases, however, the godowns were outside the Settlement and the information was conveyed to the Chinese authorities concerned.

There has only been one prosecution in the Chinese City for smuggling rice during recent years and that was in May 1920 when the Koong Yih Transportation Company, Chinkiang, were prosecuted for attempting to smuggle 224 bags of rice over the Shanghai-Hangchow Railway. The rice was confiscated by the Chinese City Police.

There is reason to believe that a good deal of the rice which disappears from this province is shipped from Pukow and its vicinity either by train or in small coasting boats, and in this connexion the Shanghai City Magistrate has deemed it necessary to communicate with the Civil Governor of the province.

The agitation against dear rice continues and has been strengthened by the formation of a society called "The Shanghai-Woosung Rice Stability Association." The price at the end of the month ranged from $8.80 to $9.30 per picul as compared with $9.40 to $9.80 per picul on the last day of December, 1920.

*Campaign for a National Citizens' Convention.*—Delegates from various provinces belonging to a Society called "The National Citizens' Convention Organization" held a series of meetings in Shanghai during the month. Plans to forward the aims of the organization were discussed at these gatherings, and it was decided to continue propaganda throughout the country. At the final meeting the visiting delegates were requested to urge each of the provincial councils of the organization to remit $300 for the upkeep of the Shanghai Headquarters. It will be remembered that the National Citizens' Convention Organization was formed after the defeat of the Anfu Party to press a demand put forward at that time for the summoning of a National Congress which would make arrangements regarding the future government of the country. A certain measure of support was at first accorded to the project which now seems to have lost its popularity.

*Strikes.*—There was only one strike affecting three hundred workers during the month. This was at a silk filature on Wuchow Road where the female workers on January 10 struck for higher wages. They resumed work unconditionally on January 24.

The Oriental Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Yangtszepoo Road, was temporarily closed on January 17 for repairs, and 2,500 of its employes are consequently idle.

***Identification Office.***—During the month 570 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 171 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 168 records were received from the French Police out of which number 79 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| For Identification | 738 |
| Identified | 250 |
| Percentage | 34 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 13 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 44 |
| Total | 57 |

Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 22.

The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| 321 | *First offenders* (minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc. |
| 78 | *First offenders* (serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc. |
| 60 | *Second offenders.* |
| 31 | *Third offenders.* |
| 3 | *Habitual offenders* (minor). |
| 77 | *Habitual offenders* (serious). |
| 570 | |

***Return of Convict Labour for January***

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed for the P.W.D. | Tls. 65.39 |
| Total | Tls. 65.39 |
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. | Tls. 3,733.05 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 2,076.31 |
| Total | Tls. 1,656.72 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour | Tls. 1,722.11 |

Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licenses suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.

K. J. McEuen,
*Commissioner of Police.*

**RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.**

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:*— | |
| Assault | 1 |
| 2.—*Offences Against Property:*— | |
| False pretences | 1 |
| Forgery and Larceny | 1 |
| Larceny | 3 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:*— *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions in respect to the following:*— | |
| Lodging House | 1 |
| Motor Car | 1 |
| Restaurants | 2 |
| Carrying arms and shooting with intent to do bodily harm | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 10 |
| Libel | 1 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Obstruction | 2 |
| Soliciting alms | 1 |
| Vagrancy | 1 |
| Total | 26 |

| | Foreigners | Chinese | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | — | 1,629 | 1,629 |
| Others | 56 | 990 | 1,046 |
| Total | 56 | 2,619 | 2,675 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Committed for trial | 1 |
| Cautioned | 1 |
| Fined | 10 |
| Handed over to French Authorities | 1 |
| Imprisonment | 5 |
| Imprisonment and Expulsion | 1 |
| Imprisonment and Fined | 1 |
| Remanded | 5 |
| Sent on board ship | 1 |
| Total | 26 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY

on January 31.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 11 |
| Louza Station | 1 |
| Hongkew Station | 22 |
| West Hongkew Station | 19 |
| Wayside Station | 5 |
| Sinza Station | 15 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 7 |
| Gaol | 1,598 |
| Reformatory | 53 |
| Total | 1,731 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN

January 1 and January 28

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 54,144.83 |
| Recovered | 22,816.09 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 773 | 272 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 773 | 272 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 31/12/20 | 37 | 281 |
| Captured | 244 | |
| Returned | 44 | 281 |
| Killed | 202 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 3 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 32 | |

## Mixed Court Report for January.

The Italian and Japanese Assessors have been appointed to try criminal cases on Saturday mornings throughout the present year.

Referring to my report for last December, announcing the appointment of a Special Assessor to take cases of unrepresented foreigners, further instructions have been received stating that in future such cases will be brought before the Assessor of the day and he will at his own discretion either hear the case himself or remand it for an Assessor to be appointed *ad hoc* by the Senior Consul. In civil cases in which the defendant is a Russian, if both parties are willing to submit to the jurisdiction of the Russian temporary Court sitting in the former Russian Consulate General, the case may be tried by that Court otherwise the case will be heard in this Court by a Chinese Magistrate sitting with a Russian Assessor to be appointed in each case by the Senior Consul.

One case of alleged rice profiteering was dismissed: the Court held that there is at present no law covering this offence.

The following unrecognized foreigners were before the Court during the month:—

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| S. Segaovitch | Russian | Drunk and attempting to stab the Police | Fined $20 or 3 weeks' impt. |
| S. Ytzkow | ,, | Breach of Restaurant License | Fined $5 |
| H. J. Brennan | American | Vagrancy | 2 months' impt. |
| J. Bachman | Russian | Drunk, Assault and damaging property | Fined $30 |
| Abram Brozki | ,, | Larceny | 2 months' impt. and expelled |
| S. T. Dzorakorskaya | Polish (Female) | Larceny | 2 months' impt. and expelled |
| L. Schsetter | German | Obstruction with motor-car | Fined $5 |
| John Pihlag | Lettish | Drunk and disorderly | Fined $10 or 10 days |
| Stephans Korduk | Russian | Drunk and disorderly | 4 weeks' impt. |
| Sophia Pisteman | Russian (female) | Assault | Dismissed |
| Simea Vinnchuck | Russian | Larceny | 2 months and expelled. |

The following have been appointed to sit in Chinese Civil Cases during 1921:—

Senior American Assessor.
,, British Assessor.
Junior American Assessor.
Portuguese Assessor.

The last named, after sitting for a month, has unfortunately had to resign owing to ill-health and the pressure of work at his own Consulate General.

Owing to the approach of the Chinese New Year the month of January was the busiest on record. It is, however, satisfactory to note that in spite of the Courts being inundated at each sitting with applications of every description and also 149 new petitions being filed, 189 Chinese Civil Cases were heard thus reducing the number awaiting a first hearing to 138. Unless another Assessor is appointed soon, there is little chance of this number regaining normal conditions.

The number of Foreign Civil Cases awaiting a first hearing also shows an increase to 31.

**Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with; Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.**

F. L. WAINWRIGHT,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
K. J. McEUEN,
Commissioner of Police.

OFFENCES.

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| 1.—Offences Against the Person:— | |
| Abduction | 3 |
| Assault | 44 |
| Attempted Suicide | 2 |
| Murder | 1 |
| Wounding (causing grievous bodily harm) | 4 |
| 2.—Offences Against Property:— | |
| Burglary | 30 |
| Cruelty to animals | 3 |
| Embezzlement | 6 |
| Extortion (obtaining money by threats) | 14 |
| False Pretences | 4 |
| Forgery | 3 |
| Fraud | 14 |
| House-breaking | 5 |
| Larceny | 277 |
| Receiving stolen property | 12 |
| Robbery | 5 |
| 3.—Offences of a Public Nature:— | |
| Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions in respect to the following:— | |
| Carriages | 16 |
| Carts | 93 |
| Club | 1 |
| Dairies | 3 |
| Dogs | 5 |
| Foodshops | 4 |
| Hawkers | 10 |
| Laundry | 1 |
| Lodging Houses | 2 |
| Motor Cars | 48 |
| Opium | 85 |
| Pawnshops | 3 |
| Ricshas | 1,255 |
| Brothels | 12 |
| Tea-shops | 6 |
| Wheel-barrows | 105 |
| Wine-shops | 3 |
| Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:— | |
| Fireworks | 3 |
| House refuse | 24 |
| Indecent Advertisements | 1 |
| Lotteries | 3 |
| Nuisances | 1,022 |
| Prostitutes | 47 |
| Traffic | 23 |
| Bribery | 1 |
| Coin, Uttering Counterfeit | 3 |
| Disorderly Conduct | 125 |
| Gambling | 93 |
| Libel | 1 |
| Loitering with intent | 12 |
| Returning after expulsion | 7 |
| Smuggling | 1 |
| Trafficking in Women or Children | 1 |
| Vagrancy | 4 |
| 4.—Miscellaneous cases | 5 |
| TOTAL | 3,455 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2,400 |
| Cases withdrawn | 3 |
| Cautioned | 45 |
| Dismissed | 58 |
| Expulsion | 3 |
| Fined | 563 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 4 |
| Imprisonment | 264 |
| ,, and expulsion | 89 |
| Reformatory | 4 |
| Released on Security | 2 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 12 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 6 |
| Sent to French Police | 2 |
| TOTAL | 3,455 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On January 1 | 72 |
| Received | 43 |
| Released | 31 |
| On January 31 | 84 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 192 |
| ,, served | 132 |
| Warrants issued | 47 |
| ,, executed | 35 |

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FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 15 |
| " executed | 1 |
| " withdrawn | 2 |
| Summonses issued | 45 |
| " served | 30 |
| " withdrawn | 4 |
| Persons apprehended on Warrants | 1 |
| " summoned | 30 |
| Sealing orders issued | 129 |
| " " executed | 12 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 114 |
| " " withdrawn | 3 |
| Reopening orders executed | 4 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 149 |
| " " of a miscellaneous nature | 70 |
| " rejected | 1 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 105 |
| " heard | 189 |
| " in course of hearing | 6 |
| " concluded | 118 |
| " awaiting first hearing on Jan. 31, 1921 | 138 |
| Summonses issued | 126 |
| " served | 97 |
| " withdrawn | 4 |
| Warrants issued | 53 |
| " executed | 22 |
| " withdrawn | 10 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 20 |
| " summoned | 106 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 79 |
| Sealing orders issued | 15 |
| " " executed | 5 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 8 |
| Sealing orders pending | 2 |
| Reopening orders executed | 6 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 99 |
| Bonds accepted | 81 |
| " rejected | 28 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On January 1 | 57 |
| Received | 34 |
| Released | 42 |
| On January 31 | 49 |

SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mencarini & Co. | Spanish | Woo Yih Tsar and Woo Sung Ling | £6,657.15.11d. | Proceeding |
| Mustard & Co. | American | Laing Sau-foo *et al* | Infringement of Trade Mark | " |
| A. F. Thane & Co. | do. | Wei Yoen Fong Hong | $5,713.81 | " |
| Dzung Ding-kyi | Portuguese | Ong Yui-dah | $744.50 | " |
| United States Trading Corporation | American | Tsu Sung-tah | G. $34,375 | " |
| Ed. Maurer Co., Inc. | do. | Tuh Tshang Zung Hong | G. $236,717.50 | " |
| Kaiyosha Co., Ld. | Japanese | Eu Yung-sai *et al* | Tls. 24,723 & $7,500 | " |
| G. R. Grove | British | Tsang Zah-zung and Ong Yui-sung | Land dispute | " |
| Bowern & Co. | do. | Soochow Electric Co. | $13,140.96 | " |
| A. G. Sharpley | American | Peter Tsang | $9,447.50 | Dismissed |
| S. Rakusen | British | Waung Ting-zung | £3,503.0.0d. | Proceeding |
| | do. | Dzung Yoen-shing | Tls. 18,079 | " |
| Edward Maurer Co., Inc. | American | Kyui Sing-dien | Tls. 600 | " |
| | | | Tls. 567.36 | |

## Report of the Commissioner of Public Works for January.

A heavy fall of snow occurred on the 2nd instant, and lighter falls on the 4th and 5th.

It may be of interest to note that a fall of snow that is sufficiently heavy to necessitate the mustering of all the Department's gear and resources costs a matter of Tls. 1,100 for one day's work.

In order to ensure that the labour will turn out, extra pay has to be issued to all concerned. The following are employed on an average —3,000 coolies, 130 carts and 12 motor trucks, over 4,000 loads of snow being collected. All other work is, of course, at a standstill.

Chapoo Road Bridge has been closed to traffic most of the month whilst undergoing extensive repairs in preparation for the additional traffic it will have to carry whilst Szechuen Road Bridge is being reconstructed. This latter work will be commenced as soon as the steel sheet piling for the cofferdams comes, which should be in about one month's time. Extensive repairs are being carried out at the Wayside Wharf, it having been found that the Oregon pine decking which carried the hard wood decking, had rotted very badly.

A commencement has been made with the construction of a large water-flushed latrine at this place, the contents of which will be dealt with by a small activated sludge installation adjoining.

The foundations for the laboratory on the site of the Disposal Works have been completed. The construction of the power house, in connexion with the experimental tank, is well in hand, and the excavations for the aerating tanks are in progress.

A commencement will be made early in February on the construction of the main sewer, the work to proceed from the disposal works site via the Dixwell Road towards the Central District.

Three ricksha shelters have been erected on the Bund, at the request of the Rickshamens' Mission.

A further widening has been effected in Bubbling Well Road east of Medhurst Road, and negotiations are in hand for continuing the widening eastwards.

It is anticipated that the widening of Bubbling Well Road, on the north side between Love Lane and Myburgh Road, will be completed within the next couple of months, throughout the full length.

A 1-ft. 6-in. by 1-ft. diameter sewer has been laid in Mokanshan Road for a length of 600 feet.

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

*Administration Building.*—The majority of the heating pipes have been fixed, and work is progressing on the paving of the compound.

FIRE BRIGADE.

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—This building was occupied during the past month. The boundary walls are being erected.

POLICE FORCE.

*Louza Station Extension.*—The walls are now up to roof level. The falsework for the roof is in position, and the reinforcement is being prepared. Internal plastering of the lower floors is proceeding.

*Hongkew Station Extension—Indians' Quarters.*—The first floor concrete has been poured.

*Gordon Road Station Gymnasium.*—The floors have been laid, and general internal work, including electrical work and water supply, is proceeding.

*Yangtszepoo Station—Dog Kennels.*—This building is now roofed in, and the interior work is proceeding.

*Isolation Hospital—Observation Suites.*—The floors are being laid, and water, gas, and electrical work is being installed.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

*Yochow Road Workshops.*—The fitting shop is now being roofed in. The first floor concrete of the godown is being poured.

***Pingchiao Quarry.*—1,700 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month. The average number of coolies and artisans employed was 192.**

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings - collected cart-loads | 4,895 |
| Snow | 4,135 |
| Used for raising land | 465 |
| Water used for street watering | 1,431,600 gallons. |

***Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—**

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|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,339 |
| Artisans | 398 |
| Foremen | 219 |
| Mafoos | 145 |

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*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

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|---|---|
| Hand made | 3,000 pieces |
| Machine made | 4,188 ,, |
| Total | 7,188 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 42 admissions during the month, and 42 bundles of wood chopped and 72 feet of stone broken.

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 103 |
| Boundary Stone Certificates issued | 73 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 52 |
| New lots put under taxation | 12 |
| Assessed value of land placed under taxation | Tls. 105,786 |
| Official plans prepared | 39 |
| Surveys made in connexion with road widenings and/or extensions | 58 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may be of use to the public in future | 103 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Central District | 4 |
| Eastern ,, | 7 |
| Western ,, | 55 |
| Outside Limits | 109 |

*New Buildings.*

| | |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 438 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 95 |
| Plans approved | 82 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 2,960 |
| Boundary walls erected | |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | 465 |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous notices issued | 1 |
| Encroachments reported and rectified | 1 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 19 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 45 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by P.W.D. | 1 |
| First intimation notices issued | 1 |
| | 1 |

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承辦之工程或全份或幾份或係本局自有材料承辦者是極利益自願承辦本局之工程者必須先行呈繳定金一份方准承攬本局之工程所有承攬者必須將其姓名及住所呈報本局公認之人辦理方准承攬本局之工程

二 所有承攬者必須將其姓名及住所呈報本局公認之人辦理方准承攬本局之工程

三 擇定後之承攬人必須將其姓名及住所呈報本局公認之人辦理方准承攬本局之工程

四 所有承攬人之保證人必須將其姓名及住所呈報本局公認之人辦理方准承攬本局之工程

五 目前所有之承攬人必須將其姓名及住所呈報本局公認之人辦理方准承攬本局之工程

六 本局有權取消承攬人之承攬權本局有權取消承攬人之承攬權後仍必須將該款項清償本局有權取消承攬人之承攬權後仍必須將該款項清償本局有權取消承攬人之承攬權後仍必須將該款項清償

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

清單信送來之最前者以用須此送信次概略免或交由說明信時間之處至江西路二十四號十工部局辦送何項應一俟得有退還的實際信火信登記承攬人之信及辦理的付款付款承辦本局有亦有不認亦自亦

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7A The Bund

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 598 | Laying Spall Foundations, Great Western Road | — | February 28, Noon |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### FIRE BRIGADE

Tender No. 3

Supply of six dozen pairs Firemen's Boots (Wellington Pattern).

| | per pair |
|---|---|
| *Dah Fong Hung | $14.50 |

* Accepted

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# The Municipal Gazette

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2818.
### MUNICIPAL INVESTMENT BANK.
### DEPOSITS FOR INVESTMENT IN THE MUNICIPAL LOAN, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council is prepared to receive deposits in the Municipal Investment Bank on account of the Loan of 1921, the terms of which will be announced after the next Ratepayers' meeting. Such deposits will be subject to the Investment Bank rules as published in the Municipal Gazette of February 3, 1921, except that in the event of the Loan of 1921 being issued at a price which gives a return below the current rate of interest (7 per cent. per annum), allowed by the Investment Bank, depositors will have the option of withdrawing deposits made by them between the closing date of the subscription list for the 1920 Loan and the date on which the subscription list is opened for the 1921 Loan.

The option must be exercised in writing addressed to the Municipal Treasurer and Comptroller within fourteen days after the opening date of the said subscription list and upon its exercise such deposits will be refunded in full with interest at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2812.
### VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.
### MARCH, 1921.

DURING the month of March, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be as follows:—

| 1st-10th | 11th-20th | 21st-end of month |
|---|---|---|
| 6.03 | 6.10 | 6.17 |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 24, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2810.
### CEMETERY, TAKU AND LUNGMEN ROADS.
### RE-NAMING.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after March 1, 1921, the section of the Cemetery Road between Thibet and Taku Roads as also the existing Lungmen Road, will be re-named Taku Road. The remaining section of the Cemetery Road running South from Taku Road into Avenue Edward VII. will be re-named Lungmen Road.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 17, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2811.
### LAND ASSESSMENT.

MADE in pursuance of Resolution XII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers held on April 7, 1920.

The Schedules containing the Consular and Cadastral numbers of lots, in the Central and Northern Districts with areas and values, and with accompanying plans, are now ready and may be obtained on application at the Revenue Office, No. 7A. The Bund, on payment of $1.00 per copy for each District.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 17, 1921

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2813.
### TAVERN LICENCES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Watch Committee will sit on Friday, April 8, to decide upon the number and locality of Foreign Taverns to be licensed during the ensuing year.

Applications for new licences, upon the form obtainable at the Revenue Office, must be forwarded to the undersigned on or before March 19. Applications received after March 19, will not be considered.

Thereafter, by public notification, an opportunity will be afforded to Ratepayers to protest against or support before the Committee the issue or renewal of any licence.

No fresh licences will be issued during the twelve months ensuing and until the next annual sitting of the Committee.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 24, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2815.
### FIREARMS.
### (Carrying or Conveying.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons desiring to carry firearms are required to take out a licence under Bye-law XXXVII.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

1.—That the licence be not transferable to any other person, and refers only to the particular firearm in respect of which it is issued, which firearm is hereunder described.

2.—That the firearm remain at all times in the possession of the licensee, who shall produce it to the Police if and when called upon to do so.

3.—That the licensee shall, in case of any change of address or other alteration in the information supplied by him in the Application Form for this licence within seven days thereof give to the Council notice in writing of such change or alteration.

4.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid to any employe of the Council.

5.—That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

Tls. 10 per quarter payable in advance.

Description of Firearm in respect of which this licence is issued.

Nature and Calibre.

Maker's name.

Maker's number on firearm.

NOTES.

Applications for licences must be made in writing on the prescribed form which can be obtained at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund.

No licence is required for firearms which are solely used for sporting purposes, and members of any recognized revolver or rifle club will not be required to take out a licence, providing the membership of the club is submitted for record with the Police, together with the particulars of the weapon owned by members, and subject to the Council's right to insist upon a licence being taken out in any individual case when exemption is for good reason considered undesirable in the public interest.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2816.
### LICENCES.

FOREIGN THEATRE, CHINESE THEATRE, CINEMATOGRAPH EXHIBITION, SING SONG AND STORY TELLER, MUSIC HALL AND OTHER PLACES OF PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT.

The following new licence condition will be enforced from March 3, 1921:—

2a.—That not more than . . . . persons, exclusive of those in the employ of the licensee, be permitted to be in or upon the premises at any one time.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1921.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2814.**

**HOUSE NUMERATION.**

THE numbering of the houses hereunder specified will be altered on April 1, 1921 as follows:—

| Present Number | Occupant | Proposed Number |
|---|---|---|
| 128A Bubbling Well Road | Oxford & Co. | 136 Bubbling Well Road |
| 129A " | Berean Bible Hall | 137 " |
| 130A " | Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld. | 138 " |
| 131A " | Zung Kee & Co. | 139 " |
| 135A " | Kleffel, Mrs. | 140 " |
| 136 " | Ismer, C. | 141 " |
| 137 " | Magnani, A. | 142 " |
| 138 " | Goldman, L. | 143 " |
| 139 " | Hamilton, Mrs. E. G. | 144 " |
| 140 " | Liu Zung Sze | 145 " |
| 141 " | Johnston, Mrs. J. | 146 " |
| 141A " | Lindsay, H. S. | 147 " |
| 142 " | Liddell, Mrs. J. O. | 148 " |
| 142A " | Tong Hang Yih | 149 " |
| 143 " | Dombey & Son | 150 " |

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2817.**

**LICENCES.**

HOTEL OR TAVERN.
CHINESE WINESHOP.
BILLIARD OR BOWLING SALOON.
CHINESE CLUB.
CHINESE LODGING HOUSE.
TEA SHOP.
EATING HOUSE, PLACE OF REFRESHMENT, RESTAURANT.
FOREIGN THEATRE.
CHINESE THEATRE.
CINEMATOGRAPH.
SING SONG AND STORY TELLER.
MUSIC HALL, CIRCUS, FAIR, DANCING SALOON OR OTHER PLACE OF PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT.
CARGO BOAT.
FERRY AND PASSENGER BOAT.
LAUNCH.
CHINESE BOAT.
SAMPAN.
CARRIAGE.
LIVERY STABLE.
MOTOR CAR OR OTHER MOTOR VEHICLE.
CART AND HANDCART.
PUBLIC RICSHA.
PUBLIC SEDAN CHAIR.
WHEELBARROW.

The following amended licence condition will be enforced from this date with respect to the above mentioned licences:—

"That immediate notice be given to the Municipal Police of any death occuring on the (*premises, boat, launch, vehicle, ricsha, chair or barrow*)" as the case may be.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1921.

AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, February 25, 1921, at 5.15 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
C. W. Atkinson
A. W. Burkill
A. O. Hynes
D. McColl
W. L. Merriman
J. W. Stephenson

*Absent:*

Messrs. F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphrys

The meeting adjourned at 7.10 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, March 2, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

The meeting adjourned at 5.25 p.m.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Light Horse.*—Upon the recommendation of the Commandant, a commission as 2nd Lieut. is authorized for issue to Squadron Sergeant-Major H. Martin, D.S.O.

### Health Committee.

The resignation of Dr. J. W. Jackson of his seat on the above Committee has been accepted with regret.

### Chinese Advisory Committee.

Letter to the Chairman, Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, in continuation of the correspondence published in the Municipal Gazette of February 24:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 24, 1921.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 22, forwarding a copy of a letter dated February 19, from Dr. C. T. Wang, Chairman of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association, in further reference to the nominations for membership of the Chinese Advisory Committee.

In reply I am directed to request that you may kindly impress upon Dr. Wang that whatever may be the interpretation intended to be placed upon Regulation 6 of the Association, the Council can only have regard to what that Regulation does actually mean. It is not a question of intention, but of fact, and therefore no declaration by any meeting of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association can in any way modify the Council's objection to the Regulation in question. When the Regulation has been cancelled, and only then, will the Council consent to transmit to the Consular Body the five nominations which were submitted in your letter of November 24, 1920.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

The CHAIRMAN,
Chinese General Chamber of Commerce.

### Charity Organization Committee.

Letter from the Secretary of the above Committee requesting the Council's support of the establishment of a convalescent home, with Council's reply:—

Shanghai, January 22, 1921.

DEAR SIR,—May we again bring to your notice the matter of a Convalescent Home, about which Mrs. Grant and I called to see you on October 27, of last year?

We have mentioned the need of such a home in our Annual Report to the Council as follows:—

"Another great need has become apparent to the Committee in their work, and that is a Convalescent Home for children with accommodation for women when necessary. To the children the principal evils of poverty are material ones, lack of nourishing food, suitable clothing, and healthy home surroundings. For the destitute sick outside the hospital the District Nurse does good work, but with all she can do for them in their homes there is still need of provision for convalescents who are sent from hospital too weak for school or work, and are still needing rest, good food, and pure air to effect a complete cure. It would also be a home where children could be placed, who through misfortune or otherwise had been deprived of their natural home."

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Three cases are then quoted where the home would have proved of great value during the past year.

In your letter to us dated December 30, 1918, referring to the Livesey case, and regarding a "Cottage Home" you say :

"Were you to rent a house and "have a caretaker it would seem "possible that funds might in "some way be made available."

Will you assist us by pointing out this need to the Council and if possible getting their financial help in the way of an annual grant.

The King's Daughters' have at present about $1,900 in hand and are also in receipt of monthly subscriptions for the current year amounting to $30.

Thanking you for your interest and all future help.

I am,
Yours faithfully
ADA WHEEN,
*Secretary,*
*Charity Organization Committee.*

Dr. A. STANLEY,
Health Officer,
Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, February 23, 1921.

MADAM,—I am directed to inform you that your letter of January 22, addressed to the Health Officer on the subject of the establishment of a small convalescent home for children and mothers in distressed conditions, has recently been considered by the Council, which much regrets that it is unable to assist by any contribution towards this project, since to do so would involve a departure from the principle laid down in the report of the Special Committee appointed in accordance with the amendment to Resolution V. passed at the Ratepayers' Meeting in March, 1916, and referred to in my letter to you of March 5, 1918, in reply to the inquiry then made as to whether the Council would assume responsibility for the rent of one or two charity homes in Dixwell Road.

In the Council's opinion there should be no difficulty in securing all required support to the establishment of a convalescent home by appealing for voluntary subscriptions.

I am, Madam,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Mrs. ADA WHEEN,
Secretary,
Charity Organization
Committee.

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**Electric Trucks-Licence Fee.**

Letter from Messrs. Mackenzie & Co., Ld. with Council's reply:—

Shanghai, January 5, 1921.

SIR,—We have the honour to bring to your attention the question of motor tax on a type of electric truck and trailer new to Shanghai, use of which would greatly reduce number of wheelbarrows and handcarts.

Length of truck is 11 ft. 6 in. and width 4 ft. while trailers are only 6 ft. by 3 ft. wide as against the over all length allowed in Municipal Notification No. 2685 of 24 ft. for trucks and 20 ft. for trailers.

Trailers steer on all four wheels, and truck and trailer, while they can be run into a godown and loaded on the spot and can also be readily manœuvred in narrow spaces, cannot compete with the big petrol or motor trucks on hauls of any length, as top speed is only six miles per hour, and radius of action is comparatively small. It is specially designed to take the place of the handcraft, wheelbarrow or bamboo coolie in carrying cargo to and from the various godowns to the river side and competes with coolie labour where the latter works to its best advantage.

Earnings are therefore necessarily low and if charged according to present tariff, the taxes per quarter amounting to Tls. 20 on tractor and Tls. 10 on trailer come to a very large proportion of the total cost of operation.

We find out on actual test that the truck and trailer we now have going from our godowns to the Canton Road Jetty, take at one load as much as 24 bamboo coolies, cutting down the volume of traffic from our premises to and over the Bund tremendously.

The general use of trucks of this description for short distance hauls would diminish volume of traffic in the same proportion and would largely relieve the congested state of roads near the Bund, and we submit it is not for the public interest to penalize introduction by taxing unduly. As already pointed out, these trucks are no way a competitor with the heavy high speed petrol or electric truck which has now established a firm place for itself in Shanghai. Owing to the slow speed and short hauls, wear and tear on the roads is far less and we suggest for your consideration a tax of Tls. 10 per quarter on tractor and Tls. 5 on trailer would be a fair proportion in comparison with revenue derived from heavier trucks.

We enclose an illustration of the truck in question, which we will be pleased to demonstrate to your representative at any time, and trust the Council may see its way to favourably consider our suggestion.

Awaiting the favour of your reply,

We are, Sir,
Your obedient servants,
MACKENZIE & Co., LD.,
F. R. SCOTT,
*Acting General Manager.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, February 18, 1921.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of January 5 on the subject of the licence fee payable for motor freight trucks and requesting a reduction of the fee in respect of the electric truck which you are using at present and others which you propose to import.

In reply, I am directed to inform you that the Council regards with satisfaction the introduction of any form of suitable transport which will tend to lessen the number of handcarts and wheelbarrows now in use and has, accordingly, authorized a tentative licence fee of Tls. 10 per quarter for trucks and Tls. 5 per quarter for trailers, not more than one trailer to be attached to each motor-truck.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

Messrs. MACKENZIE & Co., LD.

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Shanghai, February 21, 1921.

DEAR SIR,—We beg to acknowledge receipt of your favour of February 18 on the subject of licence fee payable for the Yale electric motor trucks and trailers for which we are agents, and wish to express our appreciation of the action of the Council in authorizing tentative licence fee of Tls. 10 per quarter for trucks and Tls. 5 for trailers.

We are, dear Sir,
Your obedient servants,
MACKENZIE & Co., LD.,
F. R. SCOTT,
*Acting General Manager.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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**Wharfage Dues.**

Correspondence with the Commissioner of Customs and the French Municipal Council on the subject of the proposed remission of Wharfage Dues on rice imported for Famine Relief:—

Shanghai, January 28, 1921.

SIR,—I am directed by the Inspector-General of Customs to ascertain whether it will be possible to obtain exemption from Wharfage Dues for rice imported for the purpose of Famine Relief and I shall therefore be obliged if you will be good enough to let me know at your early convenience if your Council will be disposed to consider this question favourably, in which event I shall communicate with the Chinese Authorities interested. You are doubtless aware that imported rice is not liable to Customs duty.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. GORDON LOWDER,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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*Translation of letter from the French Municipal Council, dated February 5, 1921.*

SIR,—I am directed to send you, herewith enclosed, copy of a letter from the Chinese Customs asking that rice destined for famine relief should be exempt from Wharfage Dues.

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I shall be obliged if you will kindly let me know the opinion of the Municipal Council on this subject, to which the French Council agrees in advance.

I am, etc.,
P. LEGENDRE,
*Secretary.*

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, February 15, 1921.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of January 28, enquiring whether the Council would favourably entertain the exemption from Wharfage Dues of rice imported for the purposes of famine relief.

In reply I am directed to state that should the Council's proposals for amendment of Land Regulation IX, be approved at the forthcoming meeting of Ratepayers and receive the sanction of the Authorities concerned, Wharfage Dues will thereupon cease to be levied on rice and all other articles which are from time to time exempt from Customs Duty. The Council has every reason to believe that such proposals, which were communicated to you in my letter of October 22 last, will in fact be passed by the Ratepayers and receive the sanction of the Authorities referred to, but it cannot in the meantime, it is regretted, favourably entertain any suggestion for the remission of Dues, the levy of which was expressly approved and directed at the last Annual Meeting of Ratepayers.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

E. GORDON LOWDER, Esq.,
Commissioner of Customs.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, February 16, 1921.

SIR,—I am directed to thank you for your letter of February 5, in reference to the Commissioner of Customs' letter of January 28, requesting exemption from Wharfage Dues on rice imported for the purposes of famine relief, and to send you herein enclosed, copy of the Council's letter to the Commissioner. Perhaps it would be as well if you would kindly address the Commissioner stating that your Council agrees with the views expressed by this Council.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Monsieur P. LEGENDRE,
Secretary, French Municipal Council.

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**Public Library.**

NEW BOOKS

The Letters of Henry James (2 Vols.) ...Percy Lubbock
Mirthful Memories of a Magician E. E. Noakes
The Report of the Seybert Commission on Spiritualism
Towards Reunion by Free Church Writers
Realities of War Philip Gibbs
Average Americans Theodore Roosevelt
H. M. S. Anonymous Taffrail
Through St. Dunstan's to Light Private J. H. Rawlinson
The Rising Tide of Colour Lothrop Stoddard
The Whole Armour of Man C. W. Saleeby
Great Artists & Their Works A. M. Brooks
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Cardinal Mercier's Own Story D. J. C. Mercier
Admiral Teach C. J. C. Hyne
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Beautiful End C. Holme
Beauty and Bands E. T. Fowler
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Celia and Her Friends. E. Brunner
Children of the Dead End Patrick Macgill
Coffin Island Maurice Leblanc
Count Philip Pierre Benoit
Eight Short Stories L. Robinson
Evander Eden Phillpotts
The Geste of Duke Jocelyn Jeffery Farnol
Growth of the Soil Knut Hamsun
The Heart of Nami-San Kenjiro Tokutomi
His Majesty A. W. Marchmont
The Honourable Algernon Knox E. P. Oppenheim
The Man with the Clubfoot D. Valentine
The Mills of the Gods E. Robins
Miser's Money Eden Phillpotts
O Perfect Love Lady Troubridge
In Orchard Glen Marian Keith
The Power of a Lie John Bojer
Prelude B. Nichols
The Red Widow Wm. Le Queux
The Reluctant Lover S. McKenna
A Remedy Against Sin W. B. Maxwell
The Rescue Joseph Conard
Sonnica V. B. Ibanez
Up and Down E. F. Benson

**Educational Department.**

*Public Schools for Chinese.*—The Headmasters report the following entries for the Summer term:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Public School for Chinese | 407 |
| Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese | 415 |
| Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese | 226 |
| Polytechnic Public School for Chinese | 150 |

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*Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese, Scholarships.*—The offer of Mr. Chicheh Nieh has been accepted to donate scholarships to the above school to the value of $200 a year for a further period of three years. The thanks of the Chinese Educational Committee and the Council are recorded in the subjoined letter:—

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 17, 1921.

SIR,—I am directed to convey to you an expression of the Chinese Educational Committee's thanks for your generous offer to donate scholarships to the Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese to the value of $200 a year for a further three years; an offer which the Committee cordially accepts. I am also to express its appreciation and the appreciation of the Council of the assistance which you are rendering, by this generous and practical gift, in the work of educating Chinese children in the Settlement.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
J. M. McKEE,
*Assistant Secretary.*

CHICHEH NIEH, Esq.

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*Hongkong Local Examinations.*—The Headmaster of the Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese reports the following successes in the Hongkong University Junior Local Examination held in December 1920:—

Yui Zoong-zung (於崇仁).
Tsung Sau-sai (甄少珊).

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Total amount deposited up to February 22, 1921 | 252,722.32 |
| Add amount deposited-February 23 to March 1, 1921 | 15,420.78 |
| Tls. | 268,143.10 |

*Note.*—In the event of the 1921 Loan being issued at a price giving a return below the current rate of interest (7% per annum) allowed by the Investment Bank, depositors can withdraw deposits made between the closing date of the 1920 Loan and the opening date of the 1921 Loan. For full particulars *vide* Municipal Notification No. 2818.

J. T. FORD.
*Acting Treasurer and Comptroller.*

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**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26.

*Fire Brigade.* — Probationary Supervising Fireman C. C. J. Whitehead is permitted to terminate his service on February 28.

*Police Force.*—The service of Sergeant H. Young is terminated with effect from February 16.

Constable S. Sawahata is discharged, invalided, from February 28.

*Health Department.*—Long leave is granted to Mrs. A. M. Corti, Female Attendant in the Mental Ward, from May 10.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to Clerk-of-Works J. Eitter from May 1.

*Educational Department.*—Long leave is granted to Miss E. H. Mayhew, Headmistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, from March 26.

*Secretariat.*—Mr. J. W. Allen is appointed Junior Assistant on three months' probation from February 21.

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*Revenue Office.*—Mr. G. Kliene is appointed Clerical Assistant on three months' probation from February 18.

Long leave is granted to Collecton F. George, from March 9.

**Public Band.**

The weekly performance of dance music will be given at the Town Hall on Thursday, at 5.30 p.m., this week instead of Friday.

On Sunday next, March 6, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.

SIXTEENTH CONCERT.

"Richard Wagner"

with the Collaboration of

Mrs. L. Isenman (Soprano), Mrs. Goldman (Mezzo-Soprano) and Mr. V. Meyer (Baritone)

1.—Lohengrin

(*a*) Prelude to the 1st Act

(*b*) Elsa's Dream (1st Act)

Soloist: Mrs. Isenman

(*c*) Duo: (2nd Act) Elsa and Ortrude

Mrs. Isenman and Mrs. Goldman

(*d*) Prelude to the 3rd Act

2.—Tristan and Isolde—Prelude

3.—Tannhauser—Wolfram's Rec. and Air

"O Star of Eve"

Soloist: Mr. V. Meyer

4.—The Master Singers—Prelude

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, February 27, 1921. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 24,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 780,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 6 | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 20 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 9 | 163 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Plans of New Buildings Approved**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 112 | Canton | The Augustinian Corpn. | | | block offices |
| 41A | Off Kiukiang | The Russo-Asiatic Bank | | | water closet |
| 1037 | Off Broadway East & Kungping | E. J. Muller | | | block offices flats & staff qutrs. (amended plan) |
| Unreg. W of 1630 | Chusan | ZeeShunShing | | | addns. & boundary wall (amended plan) |
| 7293 | Off Seoul | Tsao Zen Kee | | | 2boundary walls |
| Unreg. N of 876 | „ Urga | Zen Kee | | | foundry |
| 2460 | Off Yangtszepoo | Jardine, Matheson & Co. Ld. | | | water closet |
| 2460 | „ | Stewardson & Spence | | | altns. |
| 2304 | Off Weihaiwei | Tsong Wei Kee | | | watchman's house & garage |
| 2184 | Off Yates | V. K. Shen | | | drying shed |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 99 | Off Foochow | Yung Chong | | | addns. |
| 128 | Honan | Sung Tai Chong & Co. | | | altns. |
| 366 | Off E. Yalu | Brandt & Rodgers | 33 | | gate-house |
| Unreg. E of 7293 | „ Meichow | Tse Hai Zai | 4 | | |
| Unreg. S of 7500 | „ Seoul | Chang Tuh Yeh | 3 | | |
| 3062 | „ Avenue | A. Corrit | | | 2hongs |
| Unreg. E of 5201 | „ Ferry | Pao Nee Tai | | | 1 hong & bridge |
| Unreg. N of 2307 | Weihaiwei | Tsao Yue Kee | 4 | | |

**Fire Brigade Report for January.**

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 34, as against 53 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 10,000 (Foreign Tls. 75; Chinese Tls. 9,925), as against Tls. 20,500 (Foreign Tls. 2,450; Chinese Tls. 18,050) during January 1920. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 943,500 (Foreign Tls. 35,500; Chinese Tls. 908,000), as against Tls. 643,000 (Foreign Tls. 380,000; Chinese Tls. 263,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 17, Watch Towers 11, Police 4, and Staff 2. The district call was given on 5 occasions, the remaining 29 being station calls. These calls proved to be 18 small fires, 2 chimney fires, 6 false alarms, 1 not traced, and 7 outside the Settlement.

The principal supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—Sparks or embers from stove, clothes in contact with stove, firecrackers, dropped match or cigarette end, overheated bearing, lamp or stove upset, joss paper, match in cotton.

22 buildings were more or less damaged by fire, smoke and water.

One life was lost during the month.

There was a marked reduction in the number of calls and fires with that of the corresponding month last year. The loss was also particularly low for this time of the year. Nearly all the fires were the result of natural causes, only in two instances was there any suspicion.

The fires for comment during the month were as follows:—

*January 3, Hong Yue Cotton Mill — 57 Markham Road 7.34 p.m. Telephone Call.*—Six bins in the mixing room on the first floor were well alight. They took some time to extinguish, but the fire was well held. A man lying on the cotton at the back of one of the bins, apparently started the fire by smoking. He was pluckily rescued by Chinese Fireman No. 181 who himself was overcome by smoke and heat. The man was terribly burnt, rendered first aid by the Department and sent to Hospital and is now recovering.

*January 8, Pp 779 off Tong Dong Ka Loong 12.31 p.m. Telephone Call.*—A dwelling in a very congested area was in flames. A girl on a visit from the country could not get down the staircase and was burnt to death.

*January 11, B 2061 Sinza Road 12.59 a.m. Telephone Call.*—The back portion of the printing press was well alight. The Brigade succeeded in preventing the fire from enveloping the main premises.

*January 21, G. 162 Fokien Road 3.10 a.m. Watch Tower Call.*—A piece goods hong was well alight around the staircase and back portion of the first floor. The premises were difficult of access and blocked by a matshed wall at the rear. Area very congested. A good stop was effected. About one-third of the premises and contents were damaged. Adjoining hongs were hardly damaged, one of which held contents to the value of Tls. 20,000.

Assistance was rendered at the following fires outside Settlement Limits:—

*January 14, Corner of Stone Bridge Road and North Soochow Road Extension 4 a.m. Watch Tower Call.* — The north-west corner block was in flames. The fire was mainly extinguished by this Brigade. Eleven shops and houses being gutted.

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*January 18, Lee Nee Du Ka 2.39 a.m. Telephone Call.*—Assistance was asked for at a large conflagration in the village at the back of the Hoong Shing and Butterfield & Swire's Wharves, Pootung. A section of the Central Division and Fire Float arrived just in time to save the premises of the former wharf company. The Brigade was at work until 4 p.m. Over 100 shops and/or dwellings were gutted and a large number damaged. This made the third conflagration that has occurred in this vicinity in the last two years. The local firemen were powerless. Had it not been for the work of the Brigade, the fire would have reached the water front.

*January 23, Pootung 12.08 a.m. Police Call.*—A matshed used as a workshop near the Asiatic Petroleum Co.'s upper wharf was alight at the south end. A section of the Eastern Division crossed the river and rendered assistance.

On this date there were three calls to fires in Chapei, and at the last one at 4.08 p.m., assistance was rendered to the Chapei Brigade.

The New Yangtszepoo Fire Station was partly occupied, providing a nucleus for the Eastern Division and two machines on January 16.

Thus this important district now has a Fire Station for its protection. The new Station when fully completed will be the training depot of the Department, there being more room, yard space and other facilities than at Hongkew, where the recruits are instructed at present.

The new Premier First Aid Light Tender was placed in full commission at the Central Station on January 1. It is an improved model on No. 19. The water supply to the pump being automatic either from a 40 gallon tank or the hydrant connection. The design and construction of the body with the pump and first aid equipment being carried out at the Brigade workshops.

The total cost of this machine being approximately the same as No. 19, i.e., less than Tls. 1,000.

M. W. PETT,
*Chief Officer.*

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call: Time of | Call: How received | Alarm given | Locality | District: Municipal | District: Fire | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire: Hours | Time at fire: Minutes | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. 1 | 1.16 a.m. | Police | Station | 14A Darroch Road | Northern | 2 | Foreign Residence | | | 15 | |
| 1 | 2.30 p.m. | " | District | J 720/1 East Seward Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shop | 1 damaged | 21 | | |
| 2 | 1.00 a.m. | Telephone | Station | JG 1001 Ward Road | " | 1 | Chinese Shop | 1 damaged | 5 | | |
| 3 | 3.45 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | R 991 off East Hanbury Rd. | " | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | 3 damaged | 15 | | |
| 3 | 5.54 p.m. | Police | " | 59 Avenue Road | Western | 7 | Foreign | | | 20 | |
| 3 | 7.34 p.m. | Telephone | " | 57 Markham Road | " | 7 | Cotton Mill | | 17 | | One man injured |
| 4 | 5.20 p.m. | " | " | Foochow Road | Central | 4 | Cotton Mill | | | 10 | False alarm |
| 4 | 6.24 p.m. | " | " | 57 Markham Road | Western | 7 | Cotton Mill | | | 25 | |
| 4 | 8.35 p.m. | " | " | JF 388 Muirhead Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 20 | False alarm |
| 7 | 12.05 p.m. | Central Tower | " | Peking, Fokien Roads | Central | 6 | | | | 10 | False alarm |
| 8 | 12.31 p.m. | Telephone | District | PP 779 off Tong Dong Ka Loong | Northern | 8 | Chinese Dwelling | 3 damaged | 51 | | One life lost |
| 9 | 6.45 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | Station | Chapoo, Quinsan Roads | " | 2 | | | | 12 | False alarm |
| 9 | 11.42 a.m. | Staff | " | 24 Range Road | " | 2 | Foreign Residence | | | 20 | Chimney |
| 9 | 1.08 p.m. | Central Tower | District | I 744 Chekiang Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Joss House | 4 damaged | 11 | | |
| 10 | 11.42 a.m. | Telephone | Station | 35 Baikal Road | Eastern | 1 | Foreign Residence | | | 25 | Chimney |
| 11 | 12.43 a.m. | " | " | 192 Bubblingwell Road | Western | 7 | " | | 1 | | |
| 11 | 12.59 a.m. | " | " | B 2061 Sinza Road | " | 7 | Chinese Printing Press | 1 damaged | 17 | | |
| 12 | 1.33 a.m. | " | " | Q 288 Tientsin Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Shop | | | 15 | |
| 13 | 6.34 p.m. | Staff | " | F 1850 Bubblingwell Rd. | Western | 7 | Chinese Shop | | 2 | | |
| 14 | 4.04 a.m. | Sinza Tower | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | 1 | | |
| 14 | 11.53 a.m. | Telephone | " | E 128/9 Shanse Road | Central | 3 | Chinese Shop | 5 damaged | 24 | | |
| 17 | 4.00 a.m. | Sinza Tower | " | Avenue, Myburgh Roads | Western | 7 | | | | 25 | False alarm |
| 18 | 2.39 a.m. | Telephone | " | Pootung | Outside | | | | 13 | | |
| 19 | 2.05 a.m. | " | " | O 295 Kiukiang Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Shop | 2 damaged | 16 | | |
| 19 | 8.10 a.m. | " | " | Chapei | Outside | | | | | 45 | |
| 19 | 5.05 p.m. | " | " | R 117 Yunnan Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Shop | | 1 | | |
| 21 | 3.10 a.m. | Central Tower | District | G 162 Fokien Road | " | 4 | Chinese Hong | 2 damaged | 14 | | One man injured |
| 23 | 12.08 a.m. | Police | " | Pootung | Outside | | | | | | |
| 23 | 12.21 p.m. | Sinza Tower | Station | Chapei | " | | | | | 20 | |
| 23 | 2.03 a.m. | " | " | " | " | | | | 2 | | |
| 23 | 4.08 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | " | " | | | | 1½ | | |
| 26 | 3.08 p.m. | Telephone | " | LC 123 Yangtszepoo Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 20 | |
| 30 | 1.12 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | " | Minghong and Miller Roads | Northern | 2 | | | | 15 | False alarm |
| 31 | 1.10 p.m. | Telephone | " | Mohawk, Mandalay Roads | Western | 7 | | | | 25 | Not traced |

M. W. PETT, *Chief Officer.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局承認全份或幾份係本局自有稀利

二 未定必承攬目雖是極低本局亦不承辦如有赤付認辦人自行估價之准予辦理

三 擇定人到局之後該承攬人遵照合同辦理

四 所有承攬人信及承攬人之公稱俾知悉

五 所有取登入本局若須付錢內登

六 本局必將其錢數在此範圍內所有承攬信項工料二等物必於信工號十四上午挂號明所收之錢款一俟有退還

所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

漆其承攬信項工料二等物必於信工號十四上午挂號明後仍將該款一律退還

面寫明送至江西路二十四號工信部局總辦處須在期日以前送交本局審查以後不得更改

二時之前以便本局審查後方可開標

信送來最善

清單費

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, Administration Building, Foochow Road | | |
| 212 | Vulcanised Cable | Tls. 5 | May 5, Noon |
| 213 | Weatherproof Copper Cable | Tls. 5 | ,, 5, ,, |
| 214 | Oregon Pine Poles | — | March 9, ,, |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

## TENDERS RECEIVED

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Tender No. 598

Laying Spall Foundations, Great Western Road

| | per fong |
|---|---|
| Yung Kee | Tls. 3.95 |
| Zee Yung Chong | 3.85 |
| Koo Yao Kee | 3.83 |
| *Wong Chung Zien | 3.78 |

* Accepted

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2818.**

**MUNICIPAL INVESTMENT BANK.**

**DEPOSITS FOR INVESTMENT IN THE MUNICIPAL LOAN, 1921.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council is prepared to receive deposits in the Municipal Investment Bank on account of the Loan of 1921, the terms of which will be announced after the next Ratepayers' meeting. Such deposits will be subject to the Investment Bank rules as published in the Municipal Gazette of February 3, 1921, except that in the event of the Loan of 1921 being issued at a price which gives a return below the current rate of interest (7 per cent. per annum), allowed by the Investment Bank, depositors will have the option of withdrawing deposits made by them between the closing date of the subscription list for the 1920 Loan and the date on which the subscription list is opened for the 1921 Loan.

The option must be exercised in writing addressed to the Municipal Treasurer and Comptroller within fourteen days after the opening date of the said subscription list and upon its exercise such deposits will be refunded in full with interest at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2812.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

**MARCH, 1921.**

DURING the month of March, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be as follows:—

| 1st-10th | 11th-20th | 21st-end of month |
|---|---|---|
| 6.03 | 6.10 | 6.17 |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 24, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2810.**

**CEMETERY, TAKU AND LUNGMEN ROADS.**

**RE-NAMING.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after March 1, 1921, the section of the Cemetery Road between Thibet and Taku Roads as also the existing Lungmen Road, will be re-named Taku Road. The remaining section of the Cemetery Road running South from Taku Road into Avenue Edward VII. will be re-named Lungmen Road.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 17, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2813.**

**TAVERN LICENCES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Watch Committee will sit on Friday, April 8, to decide upon the number and locality of Foreign Taverns to be licensed during the ensuing year.

Applications for new licences, upon the form obtainable at the Revenue Office, must be forwarded to the undersigned on or before March 19. Applications received after March 19, will not be considered.

Thereafter, by public notification, an opportunity will be afforded to Ratepayers to protest against or support before the Committee the issue or renewal of any licence.

No fresh licences will be issued during the twelve months ensuing and until the next annual sitting of the Committee.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 24, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2815.**

**FIREARMS.**

**(Carrying or Conveying.)**

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons desiring to carry firearms are required to take out a licence under Bye-law XXXVII.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

1.—That the licence be not transferable to any other person, and refers only to the particular firearm in respect of which it is issued, which firearm is hereunder described.

2.—That the firearm remain at all times in the possession of the licensee, who shall produce it to the Police if and when called upon to do so.

3.—That the licensee shall, in case of any change of address or other alteration in the information supplied by him in the Application Form for this licence within seven days thereof give to the Council notice in writing of such change or alteration.

4.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid to any employe of the Council.

5.—That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

Tls. 10 per quarter payable in advance.

Description of Firearm in respect of which this licence is issued.

Nature and Calibre.
Maker's name.
Maker's number on firearm.

NOTES.

Applications for licences must be made in writing on the prescribed form which can be obtained at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund.

No licence is required for firearms which are solely used for sporting purposes, and members of any recognized revolver or rifle club will not be required to take out a licence, providing the membership of the club is submitted for record with the Police, together with the particulars of the weapon owned by members, and subject to the Council's right to insist upon a licence being taken out in any individual case when exemption is for good reason considered undesirable in the public interest.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2816.**

**LICENCES.**

FOREIGN THEATRE, CHINESE THEATRE, CINEMATOGRAPH EXHIBITION, SING SONG AND STORY TELLER, MUSIC HALL AND OTHER PLACES OF PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT.

The following new licence condition will be enforced from March 3, 1921:—

2a.—That not more than . . . . persons, exclusive of those in the employ of the licensee, be permitted to be in or upon the premises at any one time.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1921.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2814.**
**HOUSE NUMERATION.**

THE numbering of the houses hereunder specified will be altered on April 1, 1921 as follows:—

| Present Number | Occupant | Proposed Number |
|---|---|---|
| 128A Bubbling Well Road | Oxford & Co. | 136 Bubbling Well Road |
| 129A " | Berean Bible Hall | 137 " |
| 130A " | Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld. | 138 " |
| 131A " | Zung Kee & Co. | 139 " |
| 135A " | Kleffel, Mrs. | 140 " |
| 136 " | Ismer, C. | 141 " |
| 137 " | Magnani, A. | 142 " |
| 138 " | Goldman, L. | 143 " |
| 139 " | Hamilton, Mrs. E. G. | 144 " |
| 140 " | Liu Zung Sze | 145 " |
| 141 " | Johnston, Mrs. J. | 146 " |
| 141A " | Lindsay, H. S. | 147 " |
| 142 " | Liddell, Mrs. J. O. | 148 " |
| 142A " | Tong Hang Yih | 149 " |
| 143 " | Dombey & Son | 150 " |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2817.**
**LICENCES.**

HOTEL OR TAVERN.
CHINESE WINESHOP.
BILLIARD OR BOWLING SALOON.
CHINESE CLUB.
FOREIGN LODGING HOUSE.
CHINESE LODGING HOUSE.
TEA SHOP.
EATING HOUSE, PLACE OF REFRESHMENT, RESTAURANT.
FOREIGN THEATRE.
CHINESE THEATRE.
CINEMATOGRAPH.
SING SONG AND STORY TELLER.
MUSIC HALL, CIRCUS, FAIR, DANCING SALOON OR OTHER PLACE OF PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT.
CARGO BOAT.
FERRY AND PASSENGER BOAT.
LAUNCH.
CHINESE BOAT.
SAMPAN.
CARRIAGE.
LIVERY STABLE.
MOTOR CAR OR OTHER MOTOR VEHICLE.
CART AND HANDCART.
PUBLIC RICSHA.
PUBLIC SEDAN CHAIR.
WHEELBARROW.

The following amended licence condition will be enforced from this date with respect to the above mentioned licences:—

"That immediate notice be given to the Municipal Police of any death occuring on the (*premises, boat, launch, vehicle, ricsha, chair* or *barrow*)" as the case may be.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2819.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business, on GOOD FRIDAY, March 25, on Saturday, March 26, and on EASTER MONDAY, March 28.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 10, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2820.**
**TRAFFIC.**

THE Honan Road Bridge will be closed to traffic during repairs from Friday, March 25, for a period of about three weeks.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 10, 1921.

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AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Monday, February 21, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. W. Burkill (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. B. Neill
P. Peebles

*Absent:*
Mr. H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 6.05 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, March 4, 1921, at 5.15 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
A. W. Burkill
A. C. Hynes
D. McColl
W. L. Merriman
J. W. Stephenson

*Absent:*
Messrs. C. W. Atkinson
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphrys

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Monday, March 7, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
H. A. Macintyre
S. Sakuragi

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, March 7, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. F. Mackay (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, March 9, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock p.m.

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### Health Committee.

Dr. E. D. Jackson has accepted an invitation to serve on this Committee in the place of Dr. J. W. Jackson, resigned.

### Volunteer Corps.

*"A" Company British.*—Lance-Corporal J. Dalton, M.C. to be Second Lieutenant.

*Headquarters.*—Lieutenant S. B. Neill, Reserve of Officers, to be Orderly Officer.

The Commissions of the following are renewed:—

Captain H. C. Patrick from February 10, 1921.
Captain F. M. Nield from February 27, 1921.
Captain E. L. Marsh from February 27, 1921.

*Light Horse.*—Second Lieutenant T. G. Drakeford is transferred to the Reserve of Officers.

Sergeant-Major H. M. Spence to be Second Lieutenant.

### Cemeteries.

With effect from March 1, 1921, the fee for grave reservations in the Municipal Cemeteries will be increased from Tls. 10 to Tls. 20 per space.

### Taverns, etc., Beyond Settlement Limits.

Letter from the Senior Consul forwarding correspondence which has passed between the Consular Body and General Ho Feng-lin, Defence Commissioner, on the subject of the suppression of disorderly bars, etc., situate just beyond Settlement Limits:—

Shanghai, February 16, 1921.

SIR,—I have the honour to enclose for your information copies of correspondence which has passed between the Consular Body and General Ho Feng-lin on the subject of the "Trenches."

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. D. H. FRASER,
*H. B. M. Consul-General, and Senior Consul.*

A. BROOKE-SMITH, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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(*Enclosure No. 1.*)

*Copy of letter from Senior Consul to General Ho Feng-lin, Defence Commisioner, dated January 14, 1921.*

YOUR EXCELLENCY,—I am desired by the Consular Body to approach you with a view to securing the closing of the bar rooms in the North Szechuen Road and Jukong Road District outside Settlement Limits. As Your Excellency is well aware these bars, though ostensibly only for the sale of liquor, are the haunt of the lowest class of foreign prostitutes who attract the more disorderly elements of the population of the Settlement as well as the sailors from the foreign steamers in the harbour. These dens thrive on the profits from the sale of evil liquors, prostitution and gambling, and they have been the direct cause of many shooting affrays resulting in death, as well as of cases of assault and disorderly conduct without number. Their existence brings disgrace not only on the Foreign Settlement at whose doors they lie, but also on the Chinese Authority within whose jurisdiction they are situated, and within whose power it is to suppress them.

The Consular Body have noted with approval Your Excellency's efforts to control these bars, but they desire to press on Your Excellency that partial measures of control are easily evaded and therefore useless, and that the only effective course is to close them absolutely and finally and to prevent them from reopening either in the same or other similar locality. The Consular Body would at the same time be grateful if they could be supplied with the names of the bars which claim foreign protection, together with the names and nationalities of the proprietors in order that such other action may be taken as may be feasible.

In conclusion I am to urge Your Excellency to take the most vigorous measures for the suppression of a business which has long been a menace to the peace and good order of the Settlement and the neighbouring Chinese territory, and to assure Your Excellency that such measures will receive the hearty support and co-operation of the Consular Body who deeply regret that the good name of the foreign community should be brought into disrepute by the actions of a few unscrupulous persons.

I have, etc.,
(Sgd.) E. D. H. FRASER,
*Senior-Consul.*

(*Enclosure No. 2.*)

*Copy of letter from General Ho Feng-lin, Defence Commissioner, to Senior Consul, dated January 25, 1921.*

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your despatch of January 14 on the subject of the bars in the North Szechuen Road and Jukong Road district.

As these bars are not only a moral danger to the community but constantly give rise to most regrettable shooting affrays and disturbances both in the Chinese and foreign territories, this Office had even before receipt of your despatch instructed the Police Office to draw up regulations for their control. At first the proprietors proved recalcitrant and the Police Office was strictly enjoined to compel the bars to close within a definite time, while the Tax Office was directed to suspend the issue of licences to businesses of this nature, any of which remaining open after the expiration of the time limit were to be sealed up forthwith.

I am very grateful for the Consular Body's promise of hearty co-operation, and I enclose herewith a list prepared by the Police Office of the bars in question, together with the names and nationalities of their proprietors for such action as may be deemed expedient.

I have, etc.,
(Sgd.) HO FENG-LIN.

(*Enclosure No. 3.*)

*Copy of letter from Senior Consul to General Ho Feng-lin, Defence Commissioner, dated February 5, 1921.*

YOUR EXCELLENCY,—I have the honour on behalf of the Consular Body to thank you for your courteous letter of January 25.

To my colleagues and myself it seems that one great safeguard against such undesirable haunts as the Trenches would be for the Chinese Authorities concerned to decline to issue to foreigners licences for places of entertainment of any kind beyond Settlement limits unless the applicant in each case produce a certificate of approval under the seal of his Consul.

If Your Excellency concurs we hope you will issue instructions accordingly.

I am, etc.,
(Sgd.) E. D. H. FRASER,
*H. B. M. Consul-General and Senior Consul.*

(*Enclosure No. 4.*)

*Copy of letter from General Ho Feng-lin, Defence Commissioner, to Senior Consul, dated February 11, 1921.*

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 5 on the subject of the Trenches.

These bars being in very truth as you describe them "undesirable haunts," I have repeatedly directed the Police Office to put an end to them within a definite time, and I am fully determined to see that this is done.

I have also directed the Chapei Tax Office that no licences whatever are to be issued to future applicants in respect of this class of business, which step should lead to its complete suppression.

I have, etc.,
(Sgd.) HO FENG-LIN.

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 28, 1921.

SIR,—I have the honour to thank you for your letter of February 16, kindly forwarding copy of correspondence which has passed between the Consular Body and General Ho Feng Lin on the subject of "The Trenches," and, in reply, to inform you that the Council greatly appreciates the representations therein made by the Consular Body as also the action taken and promised by General Ho Feng-lin with a view to the suppression of those bars and dance halls which have for long been a menace to peace and good order and have brought the good name of the foreign community into disrepute.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
A. BROOKE-SMITH,
*Chairman.*

Sir E. D. H. FRASER, K.C.M.G.,
H. M. Consul-General and
Senior Consul.

**Municipal Investment Bank.**

RECORD OF DEPOSITS.

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Total on March 1, 1921 | 268,143.10 |
| Deposits since received | 110,737.94 |
| Total on March 8 Tls. | 378,881.04 |

*Note.*—In the event of the 1921 Loan being issued at a price giving a return below the current rate of interest (7% per annum) allowed by the Investment Bank, depositors can withdraw deposits made between the closing date of the 1920 Loan and the opening date of the 1921 Loan. For full particulars *vide* Municipal Notification No. 2818.

J. T. FORD,
*Acting Treasurer and Comptroller.*

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MARCH 5.

*Volunteer Corps.*—The service of Corps Sergeant-Major S. Wise will terminate on April 14, the date of completion of his period of seconded service.

*Police Force.*—Constable R. H. Norton was permitted to terminate his service on February 24.

The appointment of Mr. R. M. Jordan, Printer in the Gaol Printing Department, is confirmed under an agreement from October 13, 1920, terminable at three months' notice.

Sergeants J. Hunter and F. A. Treacher are transferred for duty at the Mixed Court from February 12 and March 1, respectively, *vice* Sergeants G. Sale and R. J. Crouch.

Long leave is granted to Inspector T. P. Givens from April 2.

*Health Department.*—Dr. R. N. McKinstry is appointed Assistant Health Officer under agreement from February 27.

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Long leave, under medical certificate, is granted to Miss M. M. Murphy, Matron of the Isolation Hospital from March 25.

Mr. H. D. Taylor is appointed Junior Clerk on probation from March 2.

*Public Works Department.*—Long leave is granted to Clerk-of-Works H. H. Cox from May 1.

Mr. W. C. Youngs is appointed Assistant Inspector on three months' probation from March 1.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. T. D. Gram is appointed Yard Foreman on probation from February 15.

Long leave is granted to Mr. M. P. Baker, Testing Assistant, from April 25.

*Educational Department.*—Two months' special leave is granted to Mrs. A. Thompson, Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, from February 22.

Mrs. M. A. Mitchell, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Girls, is permitted to terminate her service on February 28.

Long leave is granted to Miss M. C. Cardwell and Mrs. E. Murray, Assistant Mistresses in the Public School for Girls, from March 26 and March 29 respectively.

*Finance Department.* — Long leave is granted to Mr. S. J. Williams, Assistant, from May 1.

Mr. T. H. Hutchison, is appointed Assistant Accountant from August 23, the date of renewal of his agreement.

*Secretariat.*—Long leave is granted to Messrs. J. Egan and E. T. Nash, Assistants in the Secretariat, from April 4 and April 11, respectively.

**Return of Communicable Disease**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, March 6, 1921. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 24,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 780,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 1 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 4 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 18 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 11 | 176 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.**

PHYSICAL REPORT.

In connexion with the health and welfare of the children attending this school I venture to submit the following report for the information of the Committee.

An examination of children attending the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys for general health, cleanliness and suitability of clothing is carried out on parade every morning by the master on duty for the day.

Boys whose appearance in any way suggests their inability to undertake the day's work are referred back for more detailed inspection and if their condition appears to demand it, they are then examined by the Council's Medical Officers for further report. Once each month each child in attendance is weighed, is measured for height and chest and the results are recorded in the daily register.

Once each term eyesight tests are conducted by class teachers. Boys whose eyesight is defective are directed to seek examination by an oculist.

Twice each year the teeth of all the boarders are inspected by a dentist, who remedies any defects that are then revealed.

In addition to the work outlined there is a periodical examination by the Director of Physical Education whose report for the year 1920 is as follows:—

REPORT OF DIRECTOR OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION.

The Physical Examination of 247 Thomas Hanbury School Boys showed that 82 of these (33 per cent.) were suffering from various physical defects. These figures include all boys examined during the calendar year 1920, and are exclusive of all cases of impaired hearing and postural defect. In cases of deafness, boys are seated near the front of the room and on the side on which they can hear best. Individual exercises are prescribed for all postural defects.

The figures are as follows:—

Total number boys examined 247

Number boys having physical defects 82

Number of cases (some boys have more than one defect) 104

Number of boys still to be treated 26

Number of boys treated or left school 56

The different ailments are as follows:—

| Ailment | No. cases | No. cases treated | To be treated | Left School | Afraid | Dr. says no need | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Eyes | 28 | 11 | 7 | 9 | 0 | 1 | Only those needing glasses are reported |
| Adenoids | 8 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | |
| Tonsils | 15 | 3 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 0 | Only cases of enlarged Tonsils where the child has a history of colds, sore throat, tonsilitis, etc., are reported. |
| Teeth | 52 | 23 | 15 | 14 | 0 | 0 | |
| Scoliosis | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | |
| Totals | 104 | 40 | 32 | 30 | 1 | 1 | |

Of the 26 boys still to be treated quite a large proportion have no funds with which to get medical or dental attention. In many cases the parents object either through fear or because they do not realize the importance of treatment. Other parents seem to care little for their children's health and send in word that they have no time to take the necessary steps in connexion with treatment.

Steps should be taken to bring pressure to bear upon careless parents and to furnish free medical, dental and optical treatment to those who cannot afford it.

A comparison of the Hanbury School and Public School figures is of interest.

| | No. Examined | No. having defects | No. cases | Percentage of defects |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Public School | 247 | 104 | 147 | 42% |
| Hanbury School | 247 | 82 | 104 | 33% |

Countersigned:

A. J. STEWART,
Headmaster.

C. D. GIAUQUE,
*Director of Physical Education.*

**Public Band.**

The weekly performance of dance music will be given at the Town Hall to-day, at 5.30 p.m., instead of to-morrow, Friday.

On Sunday next, March 13, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.

SEVENTEENTH CONCERT.

"MOZART—LISZT"

Soloist: MAESTRO M. PACI (Piano)

Quintet: V. DRAMIS (Clarinet)
V. SIROIDO (1st Violin)—G. LESTUZZI (Clarinet)
B. GERSHGORN (Viola)—P. BRUNNELLI (Cello)

1.—Quintet in A major Op. 108 for Clarinet with String-Quartet Mozart

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(a) Allegro—(b) Larghetto—(c) Menuetto—(d) Theme et Variations

2.—Concerto in D major (known as "The Coronation Concert") for Piano with Orchestra Mozart

(a) Allegro (Cadenza by M. Paci)

(b) Larghetto

(c) Rondo: Allegretto

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3.—Piano Solo by M. Paci Liszt

(a) Nocturne "Dream of Love"

(b) Souvenirs d'Italie: "Venise et Naples"

1. Gondoliere Venitienne
2. Tarantelle
3. Chanson Napolitaine

4.—Les Preludes for Orchestra Liszt

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

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**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | *Foreign* | | |
| Hongkong | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | office & godown (amended plan) |
| Koo Ka Loong | Chow Wai Siak | 1 | | |
| Off Ward | The Nan Yang Construction Co. | | | godown |
| Yangtsepoo | Stewardson & Spence | | | staff qtrs. |
| Off Yangtsepoo | Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ld. | | | addns. |
| Off Burkill | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | conservatory |
| Gordon | Kung Sing Nye Kee | 1 | | boundary wall |
| | | *Chinese* | | |
| Yuhang | Yee Tai Loong | | | addns. |
| Baikal | Tsao Zen Kee | 53 | | |
| Off Seoul | " | | | shed |
| Yangtsepoo | Municipal Electricity Department | | | latrine & shed |
| Off Ferry | Tsai Sho Chew | 3 | | |
| " Gordon | W. N. Chow | 3 | | |

## Health Officer's Report for February.

The general mortality rate remains low. Diphtheria of mild type continued prevalent. The incidence of Scarlet fever has been remarkably slight considering its usual association with Diphtheria as to prevalence. There were a few cases of Smallpox, mostly imported during the incubation period. In view of this, vaccination at the Branch Health Offices was resumed shortly after the Chinese New Year holiday.

There was no further development of the plague position after finding two infected rats in the neighbourhood of the wharves last December. A large number of rats have been examined in the Laboratory from ships gassed by the Port Health Authority, but none were found plague-infected.

Plague in the most deadly Pneumonic form has again shown itself as a menace from the North carried by railways and roads by the big human traffic. The vast sandy wastes beyond the northern border of China may be considered for practical purposes a potential endemic plague-infected area, where plague infection is ever present somewhere or other among certain rodents, leading to a danger of human infection. Previously stress was laid on the tropical home of Plague, mainly Bubonic; but the menace from the North is more sinister, threatening and elusive. Pneumonic Plague is the most deadly of all diseases and when once introduced infects in mass like Influenza, but every case of Pneumonic Plague is fatal. On the evidence at our disposal, a serious outbreak of Pneumonic Plague in Shanghai is unlikely, but were cases to come down early in the winter there is more than a possibility of great danger. Up to now, by the time cases get as far South as Shantung the advent of warmer weather discounts the danger.

The refugee camps located in the neighbourhood have been visited, but so far as could be ascertained no serious sickness has arisen during the month.

The attention of the Chinese authorities having again been called to a reprehensible coffin dump off Kiaochow Road, some 400 coffins, which represent an accumulation since last summer, were removed.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention work, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

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DEATHS.

| | Foreign Resident | Foreign Non-resident | Chinese |
|---|---|---|---|
| Smallpox | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Typhoid fever | 0 | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid fever | 1 | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 0 | 7 |
| Scarlet fever | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 | 0 | 72 |
| Cerebrospinal fever | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| Influenza | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| From all causes | 35 | 2 | 592 |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Smallpox | 1 |
| Typhoid fever | 2 |
| Paratyphoid fevers | 4 |
| Diphtheria | 25 |
| Scarlet fever | 3 |
| Tuberculosis | 3 |
| Dysentery | 1 |

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

| | Foreign | Chinese |
|---|---|---|
| Cases admitted – Small pox | 2 | 0 |
| Diphtheria | 28 | 10 |
| Scarlet fever | 3 | 5 |
| Cerebrospinal fever | 1 | 1 |
| Measles | 0 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 6 | 0 |
| Discharged | 38 | 12 |
| Died | 2 | 2 |
| Remaining last day of month | 31 | 23 |

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Small-pox vaccine issued | 16,873 |
| Bacterial " " | 174 |
| Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment | 8 |
| Bacteriological examinations | 3,114 |
| Analyses | 67 |

RABIES OBSERVATION

| | |
|---|---|
| Dogs received for observation | 5 |
| Dogs biting people | 4 |
| Returned to owners | 2 |
| Sent to lethal chamber | 1 |
| Died of Rabies | 1 |

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

| | Slaughtered. | Rejected at Slaughter-house. | Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds. | Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds. | Rejected at Cattle-sheds. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oxen ..... | 1,763 | 7 | 1,763 | 5 | 0 |
| Sheep ..... | 2,359 | 3 | 2,359 | 41 | 0 |
| Calves ..... | 442 | 0 | 442 | 0 | 0 |
| Pigs..... | 318 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK.

| | District | | | | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | |
| Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination | 245 | 401 | 162 | 300 | 1108 |
| Rats plague infected ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Human plague cases ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| No. of traps in operation .... | 1200 | 2200 | 2450 | 400 | 6250 |
| No. of rats trapped and burnt | 1031 | 2491 | 1251 | 531 | 5304 |
| Poisoned baits laid ..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier ..... | 0 | 0 | 128 | 0 | 128 |
| Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Persons vaccinated against plague..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Rats destroyed on ships and examined in Laboratory .. | — | — | — | — | 1542 |

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VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

| | Cases admitted | Nursed outside |
|---|---|---|
| Medical | 35 | 6 |
| Surgical | 32 | 0 |
| Maternity | 16 | 3 |
| Mental | 6 | 4 |
| Infectious | 0 | 1 |
| Total | 89 | 14 |

LABORATORY REPORT ON WATER.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks' water.

Sample received February 28, 1921.

Report sent out March 5, 1921.

Physical Characters.—Yellowish green colour with moderate opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

| | |
|---|---|
| Solid Matter in Solution | 13.0 |
| Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring | |
| Total Hardness | 8.5 |
| (a) Temporary | 4.8 |
| (b) Permanent | 3.7 |
| Chlorine | 1.9 |
| Nitrogen as Nitrates | 0.0570 |
| Saline Ammonia | 0.0013 |
| Albuminoid Ammonia | 0.0096 |
| Poisonous Metals | Nil |
| Nitrites | Nil |
| Phosphates | Minute traces |
| Sulphates | Traces |
| Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° c. | 0.0540 |

Bacteriological Examination.—Nutrient agar plates at 23° C. for 72 hours showed an average of 95 colonies per c.c.

Nutrient agar plates at 37° C. for 24 hours showed an average of 17 colonies per c.c.

Organisms of the coli group were present after 48 hours in 3 c.c.'s and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—Show satisfactory purification.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

| | District | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Central | Northern | Eastern | Western | [illegible] |
| Vaccination against small-pox ... ... ... ... ... | 96 | 120 | 285 | 107 | [illegible] |
| Enquiries after notification of foreign cases of infectious disease ... ... ... ... ... ... | 2 | 17 | 16 | 10 | [illegible] |
| Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease ... ... ... ... | 3 | 69 | 61 | 24 | [illegible] |
| Rooms disinfected after infectious disease ... ... | 52 | 98 | 132 | 128 | [illegible] |
| Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 683 | 1,613 | 2,556 | 1,061 | 5,[illegible] |
| Houses cleansed and limewashed ... ... ... ... | 150 | 61 | 147 | 46 | [illegible] |
| Ventilation and lighting amended ... ... ... ... | 0 | 16 | 9 | 0 | [illegible] |
| Defective drainage amended ... ... ... ... ... | 27 | 49 | 36 | 32 | [illegible] |
| Cement refuse receptacles erected ... ... ... ... | 1 | 0 | 9 | 2 | [illegible] |
| " " repaired ... ... ... ... | 29 | 43 | 17 | 14 | [illegible] |
| Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy ... | 8 | 2 | 16 | 3 | [illegible] |
| Ordure pits and kongs abolished ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 53 | 2 | [illegible] |
| Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried ... ... | 0 | 14 | 10 | 403 | [illegible] |
| Smoke nuisances suppressed ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Beggar-boats removed ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 21 | 0 | 21 |
| Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 10 | 16 | 12 | 10 | 48 |
| Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office | 44 | 86 | 62 | 61 | 253 |
| Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment | 0 | 7 | 2 | 6 | 15 |
| Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Samples taken for analysis... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 8 | 20 | 32 | 60 |
| Pounds of unsound food destroyed ... ... ... ... | 0 | 425 | 665 | 275 | 1,365 |
| Hawkers licensed ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 385 | 648 | 519 | 347 | 1,899 |
| Food prosecutions ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 21 | 6 | 8 | 35 |
| House refuse prosecutions ... ... ... ... ... ... | 0 | 23 | 6 | 0 | 29 |
| Laundry and other prosecutions ... ... ... ... | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 7 |
| Tons of ordure removed ... ... ... ... ... ... | 3,514 | 3,696 | 2,078 | 3,430 | 12,718 |
| Tons of W.C. cesspool contents removed ... ... ... | 2,629 | 618 | 579 | 823 | 4,649 |
| Tons of house refuse removed ... ... ... ... ... | 7,967 | 3,456 | 2,230 | 3,196 | 16,849 |

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE MUNICIPAL LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

| Name of Dairy | Licensee | Situation | Adulteration, etc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Delta Dairy | Myer Myer | Jj 401 Chaoufoong Rd. | 29.42% added water |
| Hong Kee | Tsa Dzien-iung | N. Szechuen Rd. Extn. | 17.06% do. |
| Thoong Oo | Tsang Ts-kyung | Jg 1102 Ward Road | 11.18% do. |
| Mo Hung Shing | Mo An-tsha | N. Szechuen Rd. Extn. | 11.18% do. |
| Hongkew | Tsang Ts-liang | Y 133 N. Szechuen Rd. | 7.9% do. |
| Gordon Road | Ts Oong-kwhe | Z 1128 Gordon Road | 5.89% do. |
| Fok Kyung | Phe Z Zung | Je 1600 Tongshan Rd. | 4.12% do. |
| Zien Kyi | Zien Ah-ling | 52 Ferry Road | 3.5% do. |
| Thoong Oo | Tsa Ah-hoo | Z 815 Gordon Road | Abstraction of fat |
| Dzang Shing | Ng Yeu-san | Hungjao Road | do. |

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 凡有承攬之人須行繳納保證金之責任者本局有權准許其自行辦理

三 本局有權不承認任何人之投標

四 本局有權取消已經承認之投標

五 本局有權收回已經承認之投標

六 所有承攬之人須將所擬之投標書連同合格之保證金一併送交本局秘書處

本局有權要求投標人提出其過去之經驗及能力證明書

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2821.**

**SPECIAL MEETING OF RATEPAYERS.**

**LAND REGULATIONS AND BYE-LAWS.**

A SPECIAL Meeting of Ratepayers will be convened for the same date as the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Ratepayers, when the following resolutions will be brought forward by the Council:—

*Resolutions I, II and III.*—Formal business and adoption of Rules of Procedure.

*Resolution IV.*—That Land Regulation IX in so far as it refers to the collection of Wharfage Dues and which at present reads:—

"And it shall also be competent to the said meeting or a majority thereof as aforesaid, to impose other rates and taxes in the form of dues on all goods passed through the Chinese Custom-house by any person or persons resident within the said limits, or landed, shipped or transhipped at any place within the said limits; provided the said rates or taxes levied in the form of dues shall in no case exceed *the amount of one-tenth of one per cent. on the value* of the goods so passed, landed, shipped or transhipped."

be amended to read:—

"and it shall also be competent to the said meeting or a majority thereof as aforesaid, to impose other rates and taxes in the form of dues on all goods passed through the Chinese Custom-house by any person or persons resident within the said limits, or landed, shipped or transhipped at any place within the said limits; provided the said rates or taxes levied in the form of dues shall in no case exceed *3 per cent. of the Customs duty on* the goods so passed, landed, shipped or transhipped."

and that the said amendment be communicated to the Consular Body with a request for its co-operation and support in obtaining as soon as possible the necessary sanction thereof.

*Resolution V.*—That the following Bye-law be passed, approved and numbered XXXVA:—

*Printed Matter.*—Any person who shall print (which term shall for the purposes of this bye-law include any mechanical mode of reproduction) or publish, or cause to be printed or published, any newspaper pamphlet circular handbill leaflet placard or other paper containing public news intelligence or occurrences or any remarks or observations thereon, and shall not prior to such printing or publishing have registered or caused to be registered, in the case of foreigners with the Consul of the nationality to which such person belongs and otherwise with the Municipal Council, his name and usual places of abode and business or shall knowingly have made or caused to be made any misrepresentation or omission whereby such registration shall be misleading; and any person who shall print any paper whatsoever which shall be meant to be published or dispersed and who shall not print upon the front of every such paper, if the same shall be printed upon one side only, or upon the first or last or editorial leaf of every paper which shall consist of more than one leaf, in legible characters, his name and usual places of abode and business; and any person who shall publish or disperse, or assist in publishing or dispersing, any such paper on which the name and usual places of abode and business of the person printing the same shall not be printed as aforesaid, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding three hundred dollars or to imprisonment not exceeding three months or to any such other penalty as shall be prescribed by the law to which such person is amenable."

and that a copy of the said Bye-law be communicated to the Consular Body with a request for its co-operation and support in obtaining as soon as possible the necessary sanction thereof.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, March 17, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2818.**

**MUNICIPAL INVESTMENT BANK.**

**DEPOSITS FOR INVESTMENT IN THE MUNICIPAL LOAN, 1921.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council is prepared to receive deposits in the Municipal Investment Bank on account of the Loan of 1921, the terms of which will be announced after the next Ratepayers' meeting. Such deposits will be subject to the Investment Bank rules as published in the Municipal Gazette of February 3, 1921, except that in the event of the Loan of 1921 being issued at a price which gives a return below the current rate of interest (7 per cent. per annum), allowed by the Investment Bank, depositors will have the option of withdrawing deposits made by them between the closing date of the subscription list for the 1920 Loan and the date on which the subscription list is opened for the 1921 Loan.

The option must be exercised in writing addressed to the Municipal Treasurer and Comptroller within fourteen days after the opening date of the said subscription list and upon its exercise such deposits will be refunded in full with interest at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,

*Secretary.*

Council Room,

Shanghai, March 3, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2815.**

**FIREARMS.**

**(Carrying or Conveying.)**

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons desiring to carry firearms are required to take out a licence under Bye-law XXXVII.

The licence conditions are as follows:—

1.—That the licence be not transferable to any other person, and refers only to the particular firearm in respect of which it is issued, which firearm is hereunder described.

2.—That the firearm remain at all times in the possession of the licensee, who shall produce it to the Police if and when called upon to do so.

3.—That the licensee shall, in case of any change of address or other alteration in the information supplied by him in the Application Form for this licence within seven days thereof give to the Council notice in writing of such change or alteration.

4.—That no gratuities of any kind be paid to any employe of the Council.

5.—That on a breach of any of its conditions the licence be subject to withdrawal or suspension by the Council and the licensee be liable to prosecution.

SECURITY.

At the discretion of the Council.

FEE.

Tls. 10 per quarter payable in advance.

Description of Firearm in respect of which this licence is issued.

Nature and Calibre.

Maker's name.

Maker's number on firearm.

NOTES.

Applications for licences must be made in writing on the prescribed form which can be obtained at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund.

No licence is required for firearms which are solely used for sporting purposes, and members of any recognized revolver or rifle club will not be required to take

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out a licence, providing the membership of the club is submitted for record with the Police, together with the particulars of the weapon owned by members, and subject to the Council's right to insist upon a licence being taken out in any individual case when exemption is for good reason considered undesirable in the public interest.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2816.**
**LICENCES.**

FOREIGN THEATRE, CHINESE THEATRE, CINEMATOGRAPH EXHIBITION, SING SONG AND STORY TELLER, MUSIC HALL AND OTHER PLACES OF PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT.

The following new licence condition will be enforced from March 3, 1921:—

2a.—That not more than . . . . persons, exclusive of those in the employ of the licensee, be permitted to be in or upon the premises at any one time.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2817.**
**LICENCES.**

HOTEL OR TAVERN.
CHINESE WINESHOP.
BILLIARD OR BOWLING SALOON.
CHINESE CLUB.
FOREIGN LODGING HOUSE.
CHINESE LODGING HOUSE.
TEA SHOP.
EATING HOUSE, PLACE OF REFRESHMENT, RESTAURANT.
FOREIGN THEATRE.
CHINESE THEATRE.
CINEMATOGRAPH.
SING SONG AND STORY TELLER.
MUSIC HALL, CIRCUS, FAIR, DANCING SALOON OR OTHER PLACE OF PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT.
CARGO BOAT.
FERRY AND PASSENGER BOAT.
LAUNCH.
CHINESE BOAT.
SAMPAN.
CARRIAGE.
LIVERY STABLE.
MOTOR CAR OR OTHER MOTOR VEHICLE.
CART AND HANDCART.
PUBLIC RICSHA.
PUBLIC SEDAN CHAIR.
WHEELBARROW.

The following amended licence condition will be enforced from this date with respect to the above mentioned licences:—

"That immediate notice be given to the Municipal Police of any death occuring on the (*premises, boat, launch, vehicle, ricsha, chair or barrow*)" as the case may be.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2819.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business, on GOOD FRIDAY, March 25, on Saturday, March 26, and on EASTER MONDAY, March 28.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 10, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2820.**
**TRAFFIC.**

THE Honan Road Bridge will be closed to traffic during repairs from Friday, March 25, for a period of about three weeks.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 10, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2824.**
**TRAFFIC.**

NOTICE is hereby given that in connexion with ballasting and metalling operations the Hungjao Road will be closed to through vehicular traffic from March 28.

The public is reminded that Brenan and Warren Roads have been ashed, and are available for vehicular traffic.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 17, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2822.**
**PARKS AND OPEN SPACES.**
**SALE OF REFRESHMENTS.**

THE Council is prepared to grant the privilege of selling light refreshments (non-alcoholic) at the various Parks and Gardens from May 1 to October 31, 1921. Those wishing to avail themselves of this privilege should submit tariff of prices it is proposed to charge, to the undersigned not later than noon on Thursday, March 24.

Particulars of the conditions to be observed by the caterer in the carrying out of this concession may be obtained on application at the Public Works Department.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 17, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2823.**
**HOUSE REFUSE REMOVAL.**

THE Council invites tenders for the Removal of House Refuse from the Settlement for one year ending April 30, 1922. The Council will bring the House Refuse to the Shoots.

The Contractor will have the privilege of selling House Refuse. Further particulars and tender forms can be obtained from the Acting Health Officer, Honan Road, at 11 a.m. daily, except on Sundays.

Tenders to be sent to the undersigned before noon on March 31. Tenders received after that time and date, or which are not made on the official "tender form" obtainable from the Acting Health Officer, will not be considered.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 17, 1921.

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AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, March 10, 1921, at 5.15 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
A. W. Burkill
C. G. Humphrys
A. C. Hynes
D. McColl
W. L. Merriman
J. W. Stephenson

*Absent:*
Messrs. C. W. Atkinson
F. C. Butcher

The meeting adjourned at 7.10 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Foreign Educational Committee held on Monday, March 14, 1921, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Rev. C. J. F. Symons (*Acting Chairman*)
Mrs. Billinghurst
Mrs. Merriman

*Absent:*
Mr. P. W. Massey
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 12.50 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Monday, March 14, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
H. A. Macintyre
S. Sakuragi

The meeting adjourned at 6.40 p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Health Committee held on Tuesday, March 15, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. H. H. Girardet (*Chairman*)
S. J. Halse
Dr. E. D. Jackson

*Absent:*
Mr. S. Fessenden
Dr. R. J. Marshall

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Permanent Education Committee held on Tuesday, March 15, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present*:

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
E. I. Ezra
Rev. Dr. D. MacGillivray
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Mr. H. G. Simms

The meeting adjourned at 5.15 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, March 16, 1921, at 4 p.m., there were :—

*Present*:

Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
H. H. Girardet
H. A. Macintyre
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

*Absent*:

Mr. S. Fessenden

The meeting adjourned at 5.40 p.m.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Shanghai Scottish Company.*—*Maritime Company.*—The dates of promotion of 2nd Lieutenants W. A. Turnbull and F. W. Snape should be February 18, 1921 and not as stated in the Gazette of February 24, 1921.

### Library Committee.

The resignation of Mr. R. N. Macleod of his seat on the above Committee has been accepted with regret.

### Band Committee.

Mr. N. G. Maitland has accepted an invitation to serve as a member of the Committee in the place of Mr. O. M. Green, resigned.

### Parks Committee.

Mr. C. R. Slowe has accepted an invitation to serve as a member of the Committee in the place of Mr. F. Ayscough, resigned.

### Chinese Education.

*Public School for Chinese.*—Certificates of having passed the Sixth Form Examination in English and Chinese have been issued to the following pupils:—

Ma Char-zur 馬家壽
Chun Foh-ziang 陳復祥
Wang Sze-yuan 王自芸
Dzun Zau-zun 鄭紹成
Hu Cheng-en 胡承恩
Oong Teh-zee 翁德齊

### Municipal Investment Bank.

RECORD OF DEPOSITS.

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Total on March 8, 1921 | 378,881.04 |
| Deposits since received | 11,821.20 |
| Total on March 15 Tls. | 390,702.24 |

*Note.*—In the event of the 1921 Loan being issued at a price giving a return below the current rate of interest (7% per annum) allowed by the Investment Bank, depositors can withdraw deposits made between the closing date of the 1920 Loan and the opening date of the 1921 Loan. For full particulars *vide* Municipal Notification No. 2818.

J. T. FORD,
*Acting Treasurer and Comptroller.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 36 | Off The Bund | The Chartered Bank | | | water closet |
| 148 | Off Honan | The Modern Citizens Bank, Ld. | | | " |
| 124 | " Kiangse | H. M. H. Nemazee & Co. | | | " |
| 8 | Yuenmingyuen and Soochow | A. Lafuente | | | addns. |
| 2255 | Off Baikal | Dong Chi Kee | 1 | | (amended plan) |
| Unreg. W of 1433 | E. Yuhang | Davies & Brooke | 1 | | conservatory, watchman's lodge & garage (amended plan) |
| 6015 | Off Yangtszepoo | Lin Tai & Co. | | | altns. |
| 6001 | " | Palmer & Turner | | | latrine |
| 2924 | Avenue | The Augustinian Corpn. | 3 | | |
| 439 | Off Avenue | Yao An Kee | 1 | | boundary wall |
| 2820 | " Ferry | Palmer & Turner | | | " |
| 2686 | Off Kiaochow | Stewardson & Spence | 1 | | garage & servants' quarters |
| 2306 | Off Weihaiwei | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | 4 garages |
| 740 | W. Soochow & Chengtu | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | godown |
| 805 | Off W. Soochow | The Foh Sing Flour Mill | | | garage |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 81 | Alabaster | Chew Young Kee | | | altns. |
| 477 | Boone and Cunningham | Wong Koh An | | | " |
| 328 | Off North Shanse | E. D. Sassoon & Co., Ld. | 3 | | |
| Unreg. N of 3227 | Off Baikal | Zee Sing Kee | 7 | | |
| Unreg. N of 460 | " Urga | Ying Mow Kee | 3 | | |
| 655 | Sinza | Chang Yuen Kee | 3 | | |
| 2148 | Yates | V. K. Shen | | | addns. |

### Public Band.

On Sunday next, March 20, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.

EIGHTEENTH CONCERT
"BEETHOVEN—WAGNER—TSCHAIKOWSKY"

1.—Symphony No. 6 "Pastorale" or "Recollections of Country life" Beethoven
(*a*) Allegro ma con moto: "The Awakening of cheerful feelings on arriving in the Country"
(*b*) Andante con moto: "Scene of the Brook"
(*c*) Allegro "Merry meeting of country life"
(*d*) Allegro "Thunderstorm—Tempest"
(*e*) Allegretto: "Song of the Sheperds; glad and thankful feelings after the Storm"

2.—Two fragments Wagner
(*a*) Siegfried's Song "Forging of the Sword"
(*b*) Siegfried's Funeral march from "The Dusk of the Gods"

3.—Capriccio Italiano Tschaikowsky
Andante—Allegro moderato—Presto (Alla Tarantella).

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MARCH 12.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Sergeants F. Mitchell and G. Morgan from April 1 and April 8, respectively.

E. Papp is appointed Constable on probation from March 4.

Japanese Constables No. 38, Yoshitaka Miyamae and No. 20 Toranosuke Uye were permitted to terminate their service on March 3.

*Health Department.*—Mr. G. J. Turnbull, Clerical Assistant, is promoted to be Chief Clerk under a new agreement from March 1.

Inspector J. S. Graham will undertake the duties of Clerical Assistant from April 1.

Inspector A. Watson is appointed Translator and Registrar.

Miss M. H. M. Christie, Housekeeper at the Victoria Nursing Home, is permitted to terminate her service on May 27.

Miss M. B. Johnston is engaged as a candidate for appointment as Probationer Nurse, on six months' trial from April 1.

Mr. C. Bogomoloff is appointed temporarily as Health Inspector from March 7.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. A. D. Henne, Charge Engineer, is permitted to terminate his service on March 26.

Long leave is granted to the following:—

Mr. C. Knight, Assistant Mains Engineer, from April 3.
Mr. L. Smith, Charge Engineer, from April 29.
Mr. W. S. Clay, Clerical Assistant, from May 1.

*Educational Department.*—Miss L. Hiron, temporary Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, is permitted to terminate her service on April 30.

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Miss F. Wills is appointed temporarily as Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, on six months' probation from May 1.

Mr. C. D. Giauque, Director of Physical Training in the Public and Thomas Hanbury Schools for Boys, is permitted to terminate his service on August 31.

Mrs. F. J. Cutforth, temporary Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Chinese, is permitted to terminate her service on March 31.

Miss F. E. Ware is appointed temporarily as Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Chinese, from April 1.

**Return of Communicable Disease**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, March 13, 1921. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 24,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 780,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 1 | 1 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 1 | — |
| Diphtheria | 2 | 0 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 | 20 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 1 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 9 | 163 |

ARTHUR STANLEY,
*Health Officer.*

**Report of Commissioner of Police for February.**

**Strength of the Force on February 28.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Officers | 9 | |
| Foreigners | 204 | |
| Japanese | 41 | |
| Sikhs | 652 | |
| Chinese | 1,467 | |
| | | 2,373 |
| Clerical and Teaching Staff | 101 | |
| Followers | 231 | |
| | | 332 |
| | Total | 2,705 |

*Robbery.*—During the month 13 cases of armed robbery from dwelling houses, one of which was accompanied by the murder of one of the inmates, occurred in the Settlement. In connexion with these reports ten persons were arrested, five of whom were remitted to the Court of the Military Governor, one to imprisonment at the Municipal Gaol and the case against one was dismissed. Two are still under remand awaiting trial and one committed suicide in the Station cells.

An attempted armed robbery from a dwelling house was reported in the Louza District.

Eight members of a gang of robbers were arrested during the month, two being sentenced to imprisonment, four expelled from the Settlement and two are still under remand. One person was apprehended in connexion with an armed robbery committed outside the Settlement limits and was handed over to the Chinese Authorities.

Two persons referred to in last month's report as being under remand on a charge of attempted highway robbery, have been sentenced to imprisonment.

*Property Stolen.*—376 reports made at the different stations include 50 cases of burglary, 8 of housebreaking, 6 of godownbreaking and 1 of office breaking.

In 122 cases investigation was made with successful results. The return shows a decrease of 80 compared with the figures of the previous month and an increase of 61 on the corresponding month of last year.

*Crimes Reported Outside Settlement Limits.*—During the month 10 cases of robbery and piracy have been reported as having occurred in the region around Shanghai. The most serious case took place in the Pootung district on February 16 when over ten armed men entered a house, tied up one of the inmates and tortured him with burning candles until he revealed the whereabouts of his jewellery and money.

*Anonymous Letters.*—The people who spend their days in writing anonymous letters of a malicious and calumnious character, ostensibly to render a public service but in reality to pay off old scores and get even with a rival, have grown so much in number outside the Settlement as well as inside it that various Chinese authorities have found themselves under the necessity of issuing a notification to the effect that, in future, no attention whatever would be paid to anonymous communications which contained accusations against persons, and that any one desirous of making a complaint should write a formal petition and present it in person when it would be investigated. Whether such a notification produces any results or not remains to be seen, but it is to be welcomed even if it causes half the people who are given to doing this dastardly work to desist from wasting their time. Ninety-nine per cent. of these documents are pure fabrications, written in concocting schemes for utilizing Government and other forces in the destruction of their enemies with no other object than that of surreptitiously doing an injury to a person whom the writer has not the courage to face in the open. There are a good many persons not altogether of Oriental nationality who might profit from the injunction which the authorities are laying upon the Chinese.

*Throwing of Firecrackers.*—The report of an accident which occurred at Hongkong on Chinese New Year's Day, when part of an exploding firecracker entered the eye of a chauffeur causing him to lose control of his motor car and allowing it to run into a crowd killing three persons and injuring others, affords an opportunity of calling attention to the very dangerous practice which is growing, and which was very evident on the evening of last New Year Festival days when the frequenters of Foochow and adjoining roads gathered in crowds and pelted the female and other occupants of passing ricshas, carriages and motor cars with firecrackers, any one of which striking the face of a chauffeur might possibly have brought about an accident similar to that which marked the opening day of the ChineseYear at Hongkong. Fortunately nothing did happen in Shanghai in the district referred to beyond a temporary obstruction of traffic and the loss of several articles of personal adornment annexed by thieves who were not slow to take advantage of the confusion which reigned when a vehicle was held up. That there was nothing worse was not the fault of those who were participating in this dangerous form of amusement.

***Identification Office.*** **—During the month 555 prisoners' records passed through this office for identification prior to the prisoners going to Court for trial, out of which number 134 were identified as having a previous conviction or convictions. In addition to the above 98 records were received from the French Police out of which number 46 were identified in the records of this office, making the total for the month:—**

| | |
|---|---|
| For Identification | 653 |
| Identified | 180 |
| Percentage | 28 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" only | 2 |
| Deportees re-arrested and charged with "returning" and other offences | 37 |
| Total | 39 |

**Men previously released under the Mark System of Remission of Sentence, re-arrested 20.**

**The prisoners who have been arrested during the month are classified as follows:—**

347 ***First offenders*** **(minor).—Larcenies, assault, etc.**
74 ***First offenders*** **(serious).—Fraud, burglaries, etc.**
54 ***Second offenders.***
31 ***Third offenders.***
4 ***Habitual offenders*** **(minor).**
45 ***Habitual offenders*** **(serious).**

555

***Return of Convict Labour for February***

| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed for the P.W.D. | Tls. 56.70 |
| Total | Tls. 56.70 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Gross value of work performed in addition to that for the P.W.D. Tls. | 2,124.81 |
| *Less.* Cost of raw material, etc. | 1,423.10 |
| Total Tls. | 701.71 |
| Grand Total Earned by Convict Labour Tls. | 758.21 |

Here follow tables of persons coming under the notice of Police for criminal and other offences, punishments inflicted, prisoners in custody, vehicle licences suspended and confiscated, dogs captured, etc., value of property stolen and recovered.

K. J. McEuen,
*Commissioner of Police.*

RETURN OF FOREIGNERS COMING UNDER NOTICE OF POLICE FOR CRIMINAL AND OTHER OFFENCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1.—*Offences against the person:—* | |
| Assault | 3 |
| Murder, attempted | 2 |
| 2.—*Offences Against Property:—* | |
| False pretences | 1 |
| Larceny | 3 |
| 3.—*Offences of a Public Nature:—* | |
| *Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions in respect to the following:—* | |
| Motor Car | 4 |
| Ricsha | 1 |
| Drunk, disorderly and assault, etc. | 12 |
| Gambling | 5 |
| In possession of seditious literature | 1 |
| Obstructing the Police | 1 |
| Obstruction | 1 |
| Riding a bicycle after sunset without a light | 1 |
| Soliciting alms | 5 |
| Total | 40 |

| | Foreigners | Chinese | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Not Charged:* | | | |
| Begging, hawking, rag-picking | 1 | 1,140 | 1,141 |
| Others | 50 | 769 | 819 |
| Total | 51 | 1,909 | 1,960 |

RETURN OF SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Bound over | 1 |
| Conviction, no fine | 1 |
| Dismissed | 2 |
| Fined | 11 |
| Handed over to U.S. Court for trial | 2 |
| Imprisonment | 13 |
| Imprisonment and Expulsion | 1 |
| Imprisonment and Fined | 1 |
| Released on Security | 1 |
| Remanded | 6 |
| Ordered to leave Shanghai | 1 |
| Total | 40 |

PRISONERS IN CUSTODY

on February 28.

| | |
|---|---|
| Central Station | 20 |
| Louza Station | — |
| Hongkew Station | 12 |
| Harbin Road Station | 3 |
| West Hongkew Station | 12 |
| Wayside Station | 9 |
| Yangtszepoo Station | 5 |
| Sinza Station | 15 |
| Bubbling Well Station | 3 |
| Gordon Road Station | 2 |
| North Szechuen Road Station | — |
| Gaol | 1,566 |
| Reformatory | 48 |
| Total | 1,695 |

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BETWEEN

January 29 and February 25, 1921.

| | Dollars |
|---|---|
| Stolen | 75,962.26 |
| Recovered | 19,767.03 |

VEHICLE LICENCES.

| | Suspended | Confiscated |
|---|---|---|
| Ricsha | 643 | 205 |
| Wheelbarrow | nil. | nil. |
| Handcart | nil. | nil. |
| Total | 643 | 205 |

DOGS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| At Kennels on 31/1/21 | 32 | 213 |
| Captured | 181 | |
| Returned | 38 | 213 |
| Killed | 142 | |
| At Observation Kennels | 4 | |
| Remaining at Kennels | 29 | |

## Report of Commissioner of Public Works for February.

The traffic question continues to occupy public attention, but there is little doubt that much as efficient regulation may ameliorate congestion, the only satisfactory and permanent solution is the provision of more and wider roads. The cost, of course, will be immense, but if Shanghai continues to develop as it promises to do, more and wider arterial roads become a practical necessity.

The immediate acquisition of the necessary land and house property for these roads is practically out of the question but if they are scheduled now the cost would be spread over a number of years as the widenings would only be effected when the various properties are rebuilt, and in the case of undeveloped land all new buildings would be kept clear of the scheduled road line. The whole question of course simply resolves itself into one of Finance and although the extensions and widenings proposed for this year's plans are drastic the longer the problem is deferred the greater will be the cost.

Shanghai suffers from modern traffic operating in an area where the population is far more dense than in towns of the same size in Europe and America, and where, particularly in the Central and Northern Districts the proportion of road area to built up area is low, and it naturally follows that the smaller the proportion of road area to building area, the greater will be the congestion of pedestrian traffic.

An additional ricsha shelter has been erected near St. George's Farm, and the tramway shelter is about to be moved to a position adjacent to this, a further ricsha shelter being erected on Bubbling Well Road at the junction with Avenue Haig.

Ashes are being laid in Brenan and Warren Roads in preparation for the ballasting and metalling of Hungjao Road between Avenue Haig and Warren Road, when it will be necessary to close the road to through vehicular traffic.

Chapoo Road Bridge has been completely overhauled, and repairs to Thibet Road Bridge are in hand.

A commencement has been made with the laying of the footpath around the Administration Building.

12-in. diameter sewers have been laid in Tongting Road, South of Yangtszepoo Road, and Yangchow Road, West of Whashing Road.

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

*Administration Building.*—The ground floor concrete is being laid and the interior carpentry and joinery and fittings are proceeding.

Work in this, as in all other building work, has, of course, been rather held up on account of the Chinese New Year Holidays.

FIRE BRIGADE.

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—The paving to compound and erection of boundary walls is proceeding.

POLICE FORCE.

*Louza Police Station Extension.*—This building is now roofed in, and internal plastering to walls and ceilings is proceeding.

*Hongkew Station Extension—Indians' Quarters.*—The walls are up to second floor level, and the falsework for this floor is in course of erection.

*Gordon Road Station—Gymnasium.*—This building is practically completed.

*Yangtszepoo Station—Dog Kennels.*—The falsework for the concrete kennels is being erected. The interior plastering is completed.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

*Isolation Hospital—Observation Suites.*—This building is practically completed, and most of the light and water fittings, etc., have been installed.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

*Yochow Road Workshops.*—The walls of the godown are up to 2nd floor level, and the beams for this floor have been poured.

*Pingchiao Quarry.*—1,518 fong of material was despatched to the Public Works Department during the month.

The average number of coolies and artisans employed was 180.

| *Cleansing and Watering.* | *Total* |
|---|---|
| Road sweepings—collected cart-loads | 4,501 |
| Snow | 4,820 |
| Used for raising land | 405 |
| Water used for street watering | 2,082,800 gallons. |

*Labour.*—The average number of labourers employed daily was as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Coolies | 2,219 |
| Artisans | 446 |
| Foremen | 249 |
| Mafoos | 150 |

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*Concreteware.*—The following has been produced during the month:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Hand made | 4,021 pieces |
| Machine made | 1,870 ,, |
| Total | 5,891 pieces |

*Work Shelters.*—There were 54 admissions during the month, and 120 bundles of wood chopped.

*Survey Work.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Official measurements of new lots | 66 |
| Boundary stone certificates issued | 40 |
| Consular lots surveyed | 26 |
| Official plans prepared | 20 |
| Surveys made in connexion with road widenings and/or extensions | 48 |
| Lots examined to ascertain whether they included roads and/or waterways which are or may in future be of use to the public | 66 |

M. C. R. stones have been erected as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Eastern District | 28 |
| Western ,, | 18 |
| Outside Limits | 7 |

*New Buildings.*

| | |
|---|---|
| *Buildings under construction | 412 |
| Plans submitted for approval | 56 |
| Plans approved | 45 |
| Inspections by Inspectors | 3,051 |
| Boundary walls erected | 296 |
| Carpenter sheds erected | |
| Repairs to buildings effected | |
| New shop fronts inserted | |
| Shop fronts, etc., painted | |
| Alterations effected | |
| Fences erected | |
| Sign-boards erected | |
| Drying stages erected | |
| Temporary mat sunshades erected | |
| ,, ,, over road | 1 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Temporary cloth sunshades erected | 19 |
| Dangerous notices issued | 4 |
| Summonses | 1 |
| Applications for licences dealt with | 26 |
| Licensed premises inspected | 65 |

*These figures refer to the number of blocks of buildings under construction; the number of houses would be considerably greater.

*Dangerous Structures.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dangerous structures reported by P.W.D. | 4 |
| First intimation notices issued | 4 |
| | 8 |

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
*Commissioner of Public Works.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬章程

一、所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二、所有承攬人須繳保證金

三、行文未定之前必須承認各局之章程

四、本所有權取消承攬人之資格

五、本所有權將該款項扣留

六、所有承攬人須繳保證金

目前本局正在審查承攬人之資格

所有承攬人之資格必須經本局認定

本局有權取消承攬人之資格

本局有權將該款項扣留

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## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice:—

That a Public Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall on Thursday, April 14, at 2 o'clock p.m. precisely, to devise ways and means of raising the requisite funds for Municipal purposes, and to pass resolutions in reference thereto and to deliberate and decide upon other Municipal matters and business. At such meeting the accounts of the Council for the year ending December 31, 1920, will be submitted for the sanction and approval of the Ratepayers.

Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

E. D. H. FRASER,
*H. B. M. Consul-General.*
T. RAASCHOU,
*Consul-General for Denmark and Acting Consul for Spain.*
DE REUS,
*Consul-General for the Netherlands.*
G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy.*
K. YAMASAKI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*
H. A. WILDEN,
*Consul-General for France.*
ALFREDO CASANOVA,
*Consul-General for Portugal.*
N. AALL,
*Consul-General for Norway.*
M. F. PERKINS,
*American Consul in Charge.*
E. AKERHIELM,
*Acting Consul-General for Sweden.*
CH. FEGUENNE,
*Acting Consul-General for Belgium.*
MANOEL DE VEIGA MENEZES,
*Consul for Brazil.*

## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice:—

That a Special Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in The Town Hall on Thursday, April 14, at 1.45 p.m. precisely, to consider and to pass resolutions upon the several matters notice of which is given in Municipal Notification No. 2821, published in the Municipal Gazette of March 17, 1921.

Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

A. D. BELL
A. W. BURKILL
A. J. H. CARLILL
E. O. CUMMING
GILBERT DAVIES
DOUGLAS FLEMING
H. E. GIBSON
R. E. S. GREGSON
A. H. HALLAM
CECIL HOLLIDAY
GEO. A. JOHNSON
C. KNIPSCHILDT
H. LESTER
P. W. O. LIDDELL
M. H. LOGAN
R. G. MACDONALD
W. L. MERRIMAN
W. B. O. MIDDLETON
S. B. NEILL
E. W. NOEL
E. C. PEARCE
ERIC M. ROSS
C. J. SCOTT
G. H. STITT
L. STRAETMANS
H. M. TIBBEY
R. E. TOEG
T. E. TRUEMAN
A. J. WELCH
W. C. WORCESTER

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2821.

### SPECIAL MEETING OF RATEPAYERS.

### LAND REGULATIONS AND BYE-LAWS.

A SPECIAL Meeting of Ratepayers will be convened for the same date as the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Ratepayers, when the following resolutions will be brought forward by the Council:—

*Resolutions I, II and III.*—Formal business and adoption of Rules of Procedure.

*Resolution IV.*—That Land Regulation IX in so far as it refers to the collection of Wharfage Dues and which at present reads:—

"And it shall also be competent to the said meeting or a majority thereof as aforesaid, to impose other rates and taxes in the form of dues on all goods passed through the Chinese Custom-house by any person or persons resident within the said limits, or landed, shipped or transhipped at any place within the said limits; provided the said rates or taxes levied in the form of dues shall in no case exceed *the amount of one-tenth of one per cent. on the value of* the goods so passed, landed, shipped or transhipped."

be amended to read:—

"and it shall also be competent to the said meeting or a majority thereof as aforesaid, to impose other rates and taxes in the form of dues on all goods passed through the Chinese Custom-house by any person or persons resident within the said limits, or landed, shipped or transhipped at any place within the said limits; provided the said rates or taxes levied in the form of dues shall in no case exceed *3 per cent. of the Customs duty on* the goods so passed, landed, shipped or transhipped."

and that the said amendment be communicated to the Consular Body with a request for its co-operation and support in obtaining as soon as possible the necessary sanction thereof.

*Resolution V.*—That the following Bye-law be passed, approved and numbered XXXVA:—

*Printed Matter.*—Any person who shall print (which term shall for the purposes of this bye-law include any mechanical mode of reproduction) or publish, or cause to be printed or published, any newspaper pamphlet circular handbill leaflet placard or other paper containing public news intelligence or occurrences or any remarks or observations thereon, and shall not prior to such printing or publishing have registered or caused to be registered, in the case of foreigners with the Consul of the nationality to which such person belongs and otherwise with the Municipal Council, his name and usual places of abode and business or shall knowingly have made or caused to be made any misrepresentation or omission whereby such registration shall be misleading; and any person who shall print any paper whatsoever which shall be meant to be published or dispersed and who shall not print upon the front of every such paper, if the same shall be printed upon one side only, or upon the first or last or editorial leaf of every paper which shall consist of more than one leaf, in legible characters, his name and usual places of abode and business; and any person who shall publish or disperse, or assist in publishing or dispersing, any such paper on which the name and usual places of abode and business of the person printing the same shall not be printed as aforesaid, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding three hundred dollars or to imprisonment not exceeding three months or to any such other penalty as shall be prescribed by the law to which such person is amenable."

and that a copy of the said Bye-law be communicated to the Consular Body with a request for its co-operation and support in obtaining as soon as possible the necessary sanction thereof.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 17, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2827.

### TAVERN LICENCES.

REFERRING to Notification No. 2813, application has been made to the Council for the following new Tavern Licence for the ensuing Municipal year:—

| Applicant | Address |
|---|---|
| H. C. Norman on behalf of St. Joseph's Catholic Association | K. 148 Boone Road |

The public is reminded that protests against the issue of this licence, or against the renewal of

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any existing licences, will be heard by a Committee of the Council sitting in the Council Room, No. 24 Kiangse Road, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, April 8.

It is requested that notice of such protest be given in writing to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2818.**

**MUNICIPAL INVESTMENT BANK.**

**DEPOSITS FOR INVESTMENT IN THE MUNICIPAL LOAN, 1921.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council is prepared to receive deposits in the Municipal Investment Bank on account of the Loan of 1921, the terms of which will be announced after the next Ratepayers' meeting. Such deposits will be subject to the Investment Bank rules as published in the Municipal Gazette of February 3, 1921, except that in the event of the Loan of 1921 being issued at a price which gives a return below the current rate of interest (7 per cent. per annum), allowed by the Investment Bank, depositors will have the option of withdrawing deposits made by them between the closing date of the subscription list for the 1920 Loan and the date on which the subscription list is opened for the 1921 Loan.

The option must be exercised in writing addressed to the Municipal Treasurer and Comptroller within fourteen days after the opening date of the said subscription list and upon its exercise such deposits will be refunded in full with interest at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 3, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2819.**

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business, on GOOD FRIDAY, March 25, on Saturday, March 26, and on EASTER MONDAY, March 28.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 10, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2828.**

**TRAFFIC.**

THE Szechuen Road Bridge will be closed to all traffic during reconstruction from Thursday, March 31, and until further notice.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2824.**

**TRAFFIC.**

NOTICE is hereby given that in connexion with ballasting and metalling operations the Hungjao Road will be closed to through vehicular traffic from March 28.

The public is reminded that Brenan and Warren Roads have been ashed, and are available for vehicular traffic.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 17, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2822.**

**PARKS AND OPEN SPACES. SALE OF REFRESHMENTS.**

THE Council is prepared to grant the privilege of selling light refreshments (non-alcoholic) at the various Parks and Gardens from May 1 to October 31, 1921. Those wishing to avail themselves of this privilege should submit tariff of prices it is proposed to charge, to the undersigned not later than noon on Thursday, March 24.

Particulars of the conditions to be observed by the caterer in the carrying out of this concession may be obtained on application at the Public Works Department.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 17, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2823.**

**HOUSE REFUSE REMOVAL.**

THE Council invites tenders for the Removal of House Refuse from the Settlement for one year ending April 30, 1922. The Council will bring the House Refuse to the Shoots.

The Contractor will have the privilege of selling House Refuse. Further particulars and tender forms can be obtained from the Acting Health Officer, Honan Road, at 11 a.m. daily, except on Sundays.

Tenders to be sent to the undersigned before noon on March 31. Tenders received after that time and date, or which are not made on the official "tender form" obtainable from the Acting Health Officer, will not be considered.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 17, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2825.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

**APRIL, 1921.**

DURING the month of April, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be as follows:—

| 1st-10th | 11th-20th | 21st-end of month |
|---|---|---|
| 6.23 | 6.29 | 6.36 |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2826.**

**HONGKEW RECREATION GROUND.**

OWING to the public demand for the use of the space available for the playing of games, it has been decided, in lieu of the "First come first served" practice, to call for applications by those desiring playing space, whereafter allocation will be made and notification will be issued as to what arrangements are feasible.

All persons desiring such playing space should form themselves into groups or associations of whom one person shall be considered to be the representative.

Each application should provide the following information in the order given:—

1.—Name of group, club or association.
2.—Name of Chairman or President.
3.—Name and address of Secretary.
4.—Number of members.
5.—Space applied for.
6.—Number of months and days per month and approximately the hours during which it is desired to make use of the space applied for.
7.—Whether in case applications outrun the number of playing spaces, the club is willing to share a space with another club playing on alternate days.

Applications in writing should be made to Mr. D. Drake, c/o Shanghai Public School, on or before Thursday, April 21, 1921, after which date playing spaces will be allotted for the current season.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

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AT the meeting of the Works Committee held on Monday, March 21, 1921, at 12 o'clock, noon, there were:—

*Present:*
Messrs. E. F. Mackay (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin

*Absent:*
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 1 o'clock, p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Finance Committee held on Monday, March 21, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present*:
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith(*Chairman*)
S. Sakuragi

*Absent*:
Mr. H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m.

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AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, March 23, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were :—

*Present*:
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith(*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

*Absent*:
Mr. H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 6.45 p.m.

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### Volunteer Corps.

*Headquarters.*—The Commission of Captain W. J. N. Dyer, is renewed from March 20, 1921.

*Shanghai Scottish Company.*—Captain G. L. Campbell is granted leave from April 1, 1921 to February 1, 1922.

### Police Force.

*Foreign Branch Quarters.*—The leases from Messrs. Lester, Johnson and Morriss of Nos. 1, 6 and 7 Tsongchow Road, which expired on March 1 and February 28 respectively, have been renewed on a monthly tenancy.

### Municipal Properties.

*Yangtszepoo Fire Station.*—In view of the necessity for increased accommodation, it has been decided to extend the engine room at this station by roofing in the space on the west side of the tower. The cost of this alteration, involving the construction of brick walls, a reinforced concrete roof and teak floor is estimated at Tls. 699.

*North Szechuen Road Police Sub-Station.*—The lease from Messrs. Algar & Co., Ld. of Nos. 165/6 North Szechuen Road has been renewed for a further period of three years terminating on February 29, 1924, at an increased rental of Tls. 15 for each house, i.e., from a total rental of Tls. 120 to Tls. 150 per mensem.

*Gaol Reformatory.*—The lease from Messrs. B. A. Somekh & Co. of No. 24 Tongshan Road has been renewed for a further period of two years terminating on February 28, 1923, at a rental of Tls. 350 per mensem.

### Unburied Coffins.

Letter from the Senior Consul on the above subject in reply to the Council's communication published in the Municipal Gazette of January 20, 1921 :—

Shanghai, February 28, 1921.

SIR,—With reference to previous correspondence on the subject of the coffin dump near the Kiaochow Road, I am now in receipt of a further communication from the Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, who states that the coffins have all been removed and the Tipao of the district concerned has been directed to take steps to prevent any further accumulating.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. D. H. FRASER,
*H. B. M. Consul-General, and Senior Consul.*

A. BROOKE SMITH, Esq.,
Chairman, Municipal Council.

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### Public Library.

NEW BOOKS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Mr. Balfour | E. T. Raymond |
| The Life of Sir Stanley Maude | Sir C. E. Callwell |
| A Labrador Doctor Autobiography of Wilfred Thomason Grenfell | |
| The Life of Admiral Mahan | Charles Carlisle Taylor |
| Children of the Slaves | Stephen Graham |
| When Labour Rules | J. H. Thomas |
| By Sea and Land | E. Hilton Young |
| Foch His Character and Leadership | Raymond Recouly |
| The Crisis of the Naval War | Admiral V. Jellicoe |
| The Outline of History (2 vols) | H. G. Wells |
| Idealism in National Character | Sir Robert Falconer |
| From the Log of the Velsa | Arnold Bennett |
| The New Calendar of Great Men | Edited by Frederic Harrison S. H. Swinny & F. S. Marvin |
| Jacopone da Todi. A Spiritual Biography | E. Underhill |
| Jane Austen | O. W. Firkins |
| London Through Chinese Eyes | M. T. Z. Tyau |
| The Harvest of Japan | C. Bogue Luffmann |
| In Morocco | Edith Wharton |
| Acres of Diamonds | Russell H. Conwell |
| An Adopted Husband | Futabatei |
| Also Ran | Mrs. Baillie Reynolds |
| The Bairnsfather Case | Bruce Bairnsfather |
| Blood and Sand | V. B. Ibanez |
| Brodie and the Deep Sea | I. A. R. Wylie |
| Brute Gods | Louis Wilkinson |
| The Coming of Bill | P. G. Wodehouse |
| Daisy Ashford Her Book | Angela Ashford |
| Development | W. Bryher |
| Diamonds | F. E. Penny |
| The Dream-Detective | Sax Rohmer |
| The Dummy Hand | C. N. & A. M. Williamson |
| His Friend and His Wife | Cosmo Hamilton |
| In Chancery | John Galsworthy |
| Limbo | Aldous Huxley |
| Linda Condon | Joseph Hergesheimer |
| The Maid of the Mayflower | Albert Lee |
| Mary Olivier A Life | May Sinclair |
| No Defence | Gilbert Parker |
| Sweet Aloes | Elizabeth Stirling |
| The Vanity Girl | Compton Mackenzie |
| Without Mercy | John Goodwin |

### Municipal Investment Bank.

RECORD OF DEPOSITS.

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Total on March 15 | 390,702.24 |
| Deposits since received | 16,726.72 |
| Total on March 22 Tls. | 407,428.96 |

*Note.*—In the event of the 1921 Loan being issued at a price giving a return below the current rate of interest (7% per annum) allowed by the Investment Bank, depositors can withdraw deposits made between the closing date of the 1920 Loan and the opening date of the 1921 Loan. For full particulars *vide* Municipal Notification No. 2818.

J. T. FORD,
*Acting Treasurer and Comptroller.*

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### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MARCH 19.

*Fire Brigade.*—The following Supervising Firemen are promoted to be Assistant Station Officers from January 1:—

E. Puttergill
J. Gilhooly
G. C. Barlett
S. M. Vincent

The designation "Sub Officer" is substituted for that of "Supervising Fireman" in the following cases:—

C. Caynes
R. H. Miles
C. Kinnaird
L. Heap

The appointment of Mr. G. Furlan, Motor Mechanic, is confirmed under an agreement from January 1.

Fireman R. O. Jackson is appointed Supervisor under a new agreement from January 1.

*Police Force.*—Long leave is granted to Superintendent T. M. Wilson and Chief Inspector J. Bourke from April 4 and April 1 respectively.

Constable No. 24 K. Morimoto, is discharged, invalided, from March 19.

*Health Department.*—Nurse A. T. Robinson will take charge of the Police Hospitals from December 10, during the absence on leave of Miss A. A. Thomlinson.

During the absence of Miss M. M. Murphy on long leave from March 25, Miss L. Dawson, Matron, will take charge of the Isolation Hospital.

During Miss L. Dawson's temporary transfer to the Isolation Hospital, Miss B. Phillips will take charge of the Chinese Isolation Hospital.

Long leave is granted to Nurses M. Buchanan and H. Saunders from May 20.

*Electricity Department.*—Mr. W. W. Mackenzie is appointed Assistant Draughtsman under agreement from March 12.

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*Educational Department.*—Mr. T. Lang is appointed temporarily as Assistant Master in the Ellis Kadoorie Public School for Chinese, from April 1.

*Finance Department.* — Long leave is granted to Mr. L. D. Lemaire, Assistant Accountant, from April 24.

*Secretariat.*—Mr. R. F. Barff, Assistant, is permitted to terminate his service on July 4.

*Revenue Office.*—Mr. J. M. Holzheimer is appointed Tax Collector on three months' probation from March 15.

### Public Band.

On Good Friday, March 25, there will be no public dance performance in the Town Hall.

On Sunday next, March 27, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.

NINETEENTH CONCERT

Popular Overtures and Dance Music

1.—Overture "Morning, Noon and Night in Vienna" — Suppe

2.—Two Hungarian Dances Nos. 5 and 6 — Brahms

3.—Suite de Ballet — Gretry

(*a*) Tambourin

(*b*) Menuet

(*c*) Gigue

4.—Valse Triste — Sibelius

5.—Three Slavonic Dances — Dvorak

6.—Overture "The Bat" — Strauss

A. DE KRYGER,
*Assistant Conductor.*

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, March 20, 1921. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 24,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 780,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 1 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 2 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 1 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 1 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 23 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 9 | 155 |

C. NOEL DAVIS,
*Acting Health Officer.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 137 | Off Kiangse | The Ningpo Commercial Bank | | | water closet |
| 14 | " Museum | P. Tilley | | | altns. |
| 948 | Haining | S. Okano | | | printing works |
| 20 | Winchester | The Eastern Construction Co. | | | go-down |
| 1037 | Off Broadway | S. Okano | | | " |
| 650 | Off Chaoufoong | P. Tilley | | | addns. |
| 7293 | Off Seoul | Tsao Zen Kee | | | covered way |
| 2191 | Off B'bling Well | G. O. Wootten | | 1 | |
| 6117 | Off Kiaochow | C. Luthy | | | pump-house |
| 6098 | " | T. Arakwa | 1 | | |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 647 | Chekiang | Y. S. Wong | | | altns. |
| 826 & 827 | Tiendong & Woosung | Ying Ven Ching | 30 | | 2 gate-houses |
| 350 | E. Yalu | E. D. Tsu | 38 | 2 | gate-house (amended plan) |
| Unreg. S of 7170 | Off Meichow | Tse Hai Zar | 4 | | " |
| Unreg. S of 2067 | MacGregor | Yao Ming Kee | 3 | | " |
| 2774 | Yangtszepoo | Ching Yue Tai | 8 | | |
| 2460 | " | Stewardson & Spence | | | altns. |
| 3021 | Off Avenue | Tsao Zen Kee | 3 | | |
| 4741 | Gordon | Dong Kee & Co. | 57 | | 2 gate-houses (amended plan) |
| Unreg. W of 4381 | Off Haiphong | Dah Tuck Ming | 11 | | |

### Mixed Court Report for February.

The Japanese Assessor has been appointed to sit in Chinese Civil Cases for the remainder of the year in the place of the Portuguese Assessor who resigned.

The Consular Body has appointed Mr. N. A. Ivanow to sit in all Civil Cases in which the defendant is a Russian subject or protégé.

Of the ten unrepresented foreigners charged criminally (particulars are given below) four were brought up for begging; three of them were lightly dealt with as they undertook to leave the Settlement. These people are only encouraged by receiving alms from the general public and it is only by doing away with this practice and by recommending the beggar to go to one of the various charitable organizations that this class of offence can be decreased.

| Name | Nationality claimed | Offence | Decision |
|---|---|---|---|
| E. Wahlstram | Finn | Vagrancy | 1 month impt. |
| W. L. Dissmeyer | Dane | Gambling | Fined $3 |
| S. G. Pinighin | Russian | Drunk and Disorderly | Fined $5 |
| C. Y. Sauritz | Russian | Larceny | Dismissed. On $300 for good behaviour for 1 year |
| Mrs. T. Grimpel | Russian | Assault | Dismissed |
| D. Lukhamanoff | Russian | Libel | Fined $500 and to publish letter of apology |
| Sinia Dmitriesky | Servian | Begging | 4 days impt. (suspended). To leave S'hai in 24 hours |
| Endoxie Ogly | Persian | Begging | 4 days impt. (suspended). To leave S'hai in 24 hours |
| George High | British | Larceny | 1 month impt. |
| V. Leomardo | Russian | Begging | To leave Shanghai within one week |

Ninety-nine persons were charged under the law governing the sale and smoking of opium, while two persons were charged with retailing morphia. In one of these cases an old woman of filthy appearance was charged with selling and injecting this drug, which, together with the syringes, she stated she obtained in the French Concession. She charged six cents for each injection which was given with a syringe which was of the crudest of makes and left a scar on the person of the devotee of nearly a quarter of an inch. She was sentenced to three months' imprisonment.

The Consular Body has appointed Messrs. Seth, Mancell & McLure as the sole Court Accountants. This appointment was the result of the tremendous increase in the number of bankruptcies, etc., that has arisen lately owing to business depression and the fall in the value of silver.

The Chinese New Year caused a cessation of a week's work on Civil cases but during the month, the number of Chinese Civil cases awaiting a first hearing was reduced by two, while the Foreign Civil List was increased by the same number.

**Here follow returns of offences, Summonses and Warrants dealt with; Sentences and Decisions, Prisoners in custody, Foreign Civil Cases, Civil Defendants under detention, and Chinese Civil Cases.**

F. L. WAINWRIGHT,
*Acting Registrar.*

Countersigned,
K. J. MCEUEN,
Commissioner of Police.

OFFENCES.

1.—Offences Against the Person:—

| | Number Charged |
|---|---|
| Abduction | 6 |
| Allowing Children in Brothels | 1 |
| Assault | 30 |
| Attempted Suicide | 1 |
| Cruelty to Children | 1 |
| Rape | 1 |
| Wounding (Causing grievous bodily harm) | 2 |

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2.—Offences Against Property :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Burglary | 22 |
| Cruelty to animals | 3 |
| Embezzlement | 6 |
| Extortion (obtaining money by threats) | 5 |
| False Pretences | 1 |
| Forgery | 1 |
| Fraud | 11 |
| Godown-breaking | 2 |
| House-breaking | 2 |
| Larceny | 186 |
| Malicious Damage | 4 |
| Receiving stolen property | 7 |
| Robbery | 14 |

3.—Offences of a Public Nature :—

Breach of Licensing Bye-law or of License Conditions in respect to the following :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Carriage | 11 |
| Cart | 31 |
| Dairy | 5 |
| Dog | 2 |
| Foodshop | 5 |
| Hawker | 5 |
| Laundry | 5 |
| Motor Car | 50 |
| Opium | 99 |
| Pawnshop | 1 |
| Ricsha | 1,179 |
| Tea-shop | 8 |
| Wheel-barrow | 86 |
| Wine-shop | 7 |
| Brothel | 18 |
| Exchange shop | 1 |

Breach of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations in respect to the following:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Arms | 2 |
| Feathers | 1 |
| Fireworks | 8 |
| House refuse | 30 |
| Nuisance | 800 |
| Prostitutes | 37 |
| Traffic | 40 |
| Disorderly Conduct | 97 |
| Gambling | 162 |
| Libel | 1 |
| Loitering with intent | 9 |
| Returning after expulsion | 5 |
| Trafficking in Women or Children | 4 |
| Vagrancy | 6 |

4.—Miscellaneous Cases :—

| | |
|---|---|
| Husband and Wife | 3 |
| Insanity | 3 |
| Seeking protection of Door of Hope | 2 |
| Stray Children | 1 |
| Witness in Criminal Cases | 3 |
| Various | 4 |
| TOTAL | 3,037 |

SENTENCES AND DECISIONS.

| | Number Dealt with |
|---|---|
| Bail forfeited | 2,171 |
| Cases withdrawn | 7 |
| Cautioned | 20 |
| Compensation | 1 |
| Dismissed | 40 |
| Expulsion | 6 |
| Fined | 495 |
| Handed to Parents or Guardians | 2 |
| Imprisonment | 215 |
| " and expulsion | 56 |
| Reformatory | 1 |
| Released on Security | 2 |
| Sent to Chinese Authorities | 3 |
| Sent to Military Governor of Shanghai | 5 |
| Sent to Charitable Institutions | 8 |
| TOTAL | 3,037 |

WOMEN'S PRISON.

| | |
|---|---|
| On February 1 | 84 |
| Received during the month | 39 |
| Released during the month | 64 |
| On February 28 | 59 |

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Summonses issued | 172 |
| " served | 154 |
| Warrants issued | 45 |
| " executed | 17 |

FOREIGN CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants issued | 11 |
| " executed | 3 |
| " withdrawn | 1 |
| Summonses issued | 28 |
| " served | 21 |
| " withdrawn | 2 |
| Persons apprehended on Warrants | 3 |
| " summoned | 21 |
| Sealing orders issued | 26 |
| " " executed | 10 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 15 |
| " " withdrawn | 1 |
| Reopening orders executed | 4 |

CHINESE CIVIL CASES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Petitions filed requiring a hearing by Court | 69 |
| " " of a miscellaneous nature | 30 |
| Cases added to hearing list | 84 |
| " heard | 130 |
| " in course of hearing | 4 |
| " concluded | 78 |
| " awaiting first hearing on Feb. 28, 1921 | 136 |
| Summonses issued | 78 |
| " served | 65 |
| " withdrawn | 7 |
| Warrants issued | 34 |
| " executed | 11 |
| " withdrawn | 5 |
| Persons arrested on warrant | 11 |
| " summoned | 77 |
| " failed to appear on first summons | 47 |
| Sealing orders issued | 15 |
| " " executed | 2 |
| " " not executed (claim settled) | 8 |
| " " withdrawn | 5 |
| Reopening orders executed | 3 |

SECURITY BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Persons ordered to find security | 78 |
| Bonds accepted | 65 |
| " rejected | 18 |

HOUSE OF DETENTION.

| | |
|---|---|
| On February 1 | 49 |
| Received | 22 |
| Released | 25 |
| On February 28 | 46 |

SUMMARY OF FOREIGN CASES HEARD

| Plaintiffs | Nationality | Defendants | Claim | Judgment |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Gaston, Williams and Wigmore | American | Tsu Sung-tah | G. $73,000<br>Tls. 1,965 | Proceeding |
| Andersen, Meyer & Co. | do. | Fah Shing Iron Works | $2,902.92<br>Tls. 1,761.77 | " |
| Wong Kwei Chuh | Portuguese | Yang Yi-zu | Tls. 16,401 | For plaintiff for Tls. 4,151.99 |
| A. G. Sharpley | American | Peter Tsang | $9,447.50 | Dismissed |
| Edward Maurer & Co. | do. | Hyui Sing-dien | Tls. 600 | For plaintiff for Tls. 670 |
| " " | do. | " " | Tls. 567.86 | Proceeding |
| " " | do. | Chen Wei-ching | G. $236,717.50 | " |
| Bowern & Co. | British | Soochow Electrical Co. | $13,140 | " |
| Mencarini & Co. | Spanish | Woo Yih-tsar and Woo Sung-ling | £6,657-16-11 | " |
| T. W. Simmons & Co. | American | Au Jui-tshoe | Tls. 84,640 | " |
| U. S. Trading Co. | do. | Tsu Sung-tah | G. $34,375 | " |
| Isamu Banjo | Japanese | Ng Tsung-ling *et al* | Tls. 3,717.80 | " |

## Parks Report for February.

*Roadside Trees.*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of trees planted | 950 |
| Total number of trees fastened, staked, pruned | 4,567 |
| Total number of trees transplanted | 23 |
| Dead trees removed | 9 |

*Road widening.*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of trees transplanted | 50 |

*Nurseries.*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Various cuttings inserted | 5,340 |
| *Shrubs planted* at Jessfield Park | 500 |
| *Trees planted* at Hanbury School for Boys | 4 |

*Plants Bedded out.*—

| | |
|---|---|
| Reserve Garden | 60 |
| Public Gardens | 2,040 |
| Wayside Park | 480 |
| Jessfield Park | 8,000 |
| Public Recreation Ground | 1,992 |
| Quinsan Square | 280 |
| Ellis Kadoorie School | 1,400 |
| Hanbury School for Boys | 420 |
| Public School for Girls | 400 |
| Public School for Chinese | 390 |
| Public School for Girls in Western District | 400 |
| Kungping Road Public School | 800 |
| Yangtszepoo Police Station | 480 |
| Bubbling Well Police Station | 500 |
| Sinza Police Station | 380 |
| Hongkew Police Station | 340 |
| Harbin Road Police Station | 340 |
| Total | 18,702 |

SPORTS.

*Hongkew Recreation Ground.*

| | No. of Players. |
|---|---|
| Golf | 1,076 |
| Football | 462 |
| Hockey | 154 |
| Total No. of Players | 1,692 |
| " " " non-players | 4,420 |
| Total number of visitors | 6,112 |

D. MACGREGOR,
*Superintendent of Parks and Open Spaces.*

Countersigned :-

CHAS. H. GODFREY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局有權承攬全份或幾份

二 所有承攬本局自有權承認

三 行文估定必准攬價目是否亦自

四 未承認承辦本局亦

五 本局有取必登記之保證金

六 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

目所有之價後之用款項目

人擇定局之後承攬人

人到局之後承攬人

所有承攬人之信用

行文估定必准攬價目是否亦自

所有承攬人之信用

本局有取必登記之保證金

所有承攬人之信用

目所有之價後之用款項目

人擇定局之後承攬人

人到局之後承攬人

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行文估定必准攬價目是否亦自

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## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice:—

That a Public Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall on Thursday, April 14, at 2 o'clock p.m. precisely, to devise ways and means of raising the requisite funds for Municipal purposes, and to pass resolutions in reference thereto and to deliberate and decide upon other Municipal matters and business. At such meeting the accounts of the Council for the year ending December 31, 1920, will be submitted for the sanction and approval of the Ratepayers.

Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

E. D. H. FRASER,
*H. B. M. Consul-General.*

T. RAASCHOU,
*Consul-General for Denmark and Acting Consul for Spain.*

DE REUS,
*Consul-General for the Netherlands.*

G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy.*

K. YAMASAKI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*

H. A. WILDEN,
*Consul-General for France.*

ALFREDO CASANOVA,
*Consul-General for Portugal.*

N. AALL,
*Consul-General for Norway.*

M. F. PERKINS,
*American Consul in Charge.*

E. AKERHIELM,
*Acting Consul-General for Sweden.*

CH. FEGUENNE,
*Acting Consul-General for Belgium.*

MANOEL DE VEIGA MENEZES,
*Consul for Brazil.*

## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice:—

That a Special Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in The Town Hall on Thursday, April 14, at 1.45 p.m. precisely, to consider and to pass resolutions upon the several matters notice of which is given in Municipal Notification No. 2821, published in the Municipal Gazette of March 17, 1921.

Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

A. D. BELL
A. W. BURKILL
A. J. H. CARLILL
E. O. CUMMING
GILBERT DAVIES
DOUGLAS FLEMING
H. E. GIBSON
R. E. S. GREGSON
A. H. HALLAM
CECIL HOLLIDAY
GEO. A. JOHNSON
C. KNIPSCHILDT
H. LESTER
P. W. O. LIDDELL
M. H. LOGAN
R. G. MACDONALD
W. L. MERRIMAN
W. B. O. MIDDLETON
S. B. NEILL
E. W. NOEL
E. C. PEARCE
ERIC M. ROSS
C. J. SCOTT
G. H. STITT
L. STRAETMANS
H. M. TIBBEY
R. E. TOEG
T. E. TRUEMAN
A. J. WELCH
W. G. WORCESTER

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2821.

### SPECIAL MEETING OF RATEPAYERS.

### LAND REGULATIONS AND BYE-LAWS.

A SPECIAL Meeting of Ratepayers will be convened for the same date as the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Ratepayers, when the following resolutions will be brought forward by the Council:—

*Resolutions I, II and III.*—Formal business and adoption of Rules of Procedure.

*Resolution IV.*—That Land Regulation IX in so far as it refers to the collection of Wharfage Dues and which at present reads:—

"And it shall also be competent to the said meeting or a majority thereof as aforesaid, to impose other rates and taxes in the form of dues on all goods passed through the Chinese Custom-house by any person or persons resident within the said limits, or landed, shipped or transhipped at any place within the said limits; provided the said rates or taxes levied in the form of dues shall in no case exceed *the amount of one-tenth of one per cent. on the value of* the goods so passed, landed, shipped or transhipped."

be amended to read:—

"and it shall also be competent to the said meeting or a majority thereof as aforesaid, to impose other rates and taxes in the form of dues on all goods passed through the Chinese Custom-house by any person or persons resident within the said limits, or landed, shipped or transhipped at any place within the said limits; provided the said rates or taxes levied in the form of dues shall in no case exceed *3 per cent. of the Customs duty on* the goods so passed, landed, shipped or transhipped."

and that the said amendment be communicated to the Consular Body with a request for its co-operation and support in obtaining as soon as possible the necessary sanction thereof.

*Resolution V.*—That the following Bye-law be passed, approved and numbered XXXVA:—

*Printed Matter.*—Any person who shall print (which term shall for the purposes of this bye-law include any mechanical mode of reproduction) or publish, or cause to be printed or published, any newspaper pamphlet circular handbill leaflet placard or other paper containing public news intelligence or occurrences or any remarks or observations thereon, and shall not prior to such printing or publishing have registered or caused to be registered, in the case of foreigners with the Consul of the nationality to which such person belongs and otherwise with the Municipal Council, his name and usual places of abode and business or shall knowingly have made or caused to be made any misrepresentation or omission whereby such registration shall be misleading; and any person who shall print any paper whatsoever which shall be meant to be published or dispersed and who shall not print upon the front of every such paper, if the same shall be printed upon one side only, or upon the first or last or editorial leaf of every paper which shall consist of more than one leaf, in legible characters, his name and usual places of abode and business; and any person who shall publish or disperse, or assist in publishing or dispersing, any such paper on which the name and usual places of abode and business of the person printing the same shall not be printed as aforesaid, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding three hundred dollars or to imprisonment not exceeding three months or to any such other penalty as shall be prescribed by the law to which such person is amenable."

and that a copy of the said Bye-law be communicated to the Consular Body with a request for its co-operation and support in obtaining as soon as possible the necessary sanction thereof.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 17, 1921.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2831.**

**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.**

**Six per cent Sterling Loan, 1920.**
**Issue of Debentures to Bearer**
**(with Interest Coupons attached)**

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after Monday, April 4, 1921, Bankers' Receipts Nos. 124, 197, 220, 237, 259, 322, 351, 357/398, 401 (being in respect of subscriptions received subsequent to August 31, 1920) may be exchanged for Debentures to Bearer, with Interest Coupons attached, at the Office of the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, Administration Building, Hankow Road. For their own protection, holders of Bankers' Receipts are advised to attend personally at the above address, or to give a written authority to any person acting as their proxy in the matter.

Interest Coupon No. 2 payable on June 30, 1921, must be lodged with the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 56 Szechuen Road, two clear days before the date of payment. Payment will be made (at the option of the Debenture Holder to be declared in writing at the time of lodgement with the Bank) either by sterling demand draft on London at par, or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative Interest Coupon.

A further notification as to the exchange of Bankers' Receipts Nos. 300, 399 and 400 will be issued in due course.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 31, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2828.**

**TRAFFIC.**

THE Szechuen Road Bridge will be closed to all traffic during reconstruction from Thursday, March 31, and until further notice.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2830.**

**TRAFFIC.**

THE Shanse Road Bridge will be closed to all traffic during repairs from Monday, April 4, for a period of about three weeks.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 31, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2827.**

**TAVERN LICENCES.**

REFERRING to Notification No. 2813, application has been made to the Council for the following new Tavern Licence for the ensuing Municipal year:—

| Applicant | Address |
|---|---|
| H. C. Norman on behalf of St. Joseph's Catholic Association | K. 148 Boone Road |

The public is reminded that protests against the issue of this licence, or against the renewal of any existing licences, will be heard by a Committee of the Council sitting in the Council Room, No. 24 Kiangse Road, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, April 8.

It is requested that notice of such protest be given in writing to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2823.**

**HOUSE REFUSE REMOVAL.**

THE Council invites tenders for the Removal of House Refuse from the Settlement for one year ending April 30, 1922. The Council will bring the House Refuse to the Shoots.

The Contractor will have the privilege of selling House Refuse. Further particulars and tender forms can be obtained from the Acting Health Officer, Honan Road, at 11 a.m. daily, except on Sundays.

Tenders to be sent to the undersigned before noon on March 31. Tenders received after that time and date, or which are not made on the official "tender form" obtainable from the Acting Health Officer, will not be considered.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 17, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2825.**

**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**

**APRIL, 1921.**

DURING the month of April, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be as follows:—

| 1st-10th | 11th-20th | 21st-end of month |
|---|---|---|
| 6.23 | 6.29 | 6.36 |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2826.**

**HONGKEW RECREATION GROUND.**

OWING to the public demand for the use of the space available for the playing of games, it has been decided, in lieu of the "First come first served" practice, to call for applications by those desiring playing space, whereafter allocation will be made and notification will be issued as to what arrangements are feasible.

All persons desiring such playing space should form themselves into groups or associations of whom one person shall be considered to be the representative.

Each application should provide the following information in the order given:—

1.—Name of group, club or association.
2.—Name of Chairman or President.
3.—Name and address of Secretary.
4.—Number of members.
5.—Space applied for.
6.—Number of months and days per month and approximately the hours during which it is desired to make use of the space applied for.
7.—Whether in case applications outrun the number of playing spaces, the club is willing to share a space with another club playing on alternate days.

Applications in writing should be made to Mr. D. Drake, c/o Shanghai Public School, on or before Thursday, April 21, 1921, after which date playing spaces will be allotted for the current season.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

**No. 2829.**

**HISTORY OF SHANGHAI.**

THE first volume of this work, to be completed in three volumes, has been published, and may be obtained from Messrs. Kelly & Walsh Ld., on and after Friday, April 1, at $7.50 per copy.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 31, 1921.

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**AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, March 30, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—**

***Present:***
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

***Absent:***
Messrs. M. Benjamin
H. A. Macintyre

**The meeting adjourned at 6.10 p.m.**

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### Volunteer Corps.

*American Company.*—The leave granted to 2nd Lieutenant J. W. Baldwin in the Gazette of September 30, 1920, is extended to June 30, 1921.

*Engineer Company.* — The resignation of Lieut. R. C. Young, as notified in the Gazette of November 25, 1920, is cancelled. This officer is transferred to the Reserve List with effect from that date.

### Foreign Educational Committee.

The resignation of Mr. P. W. Massey of his seat on the above Committee has been accepted with regret.

### Municipal Properties.

*Thomas Hanbury School for Boys.*—To provide accommodation for fifty boys' bicycles and two cars, it has been decided at an estimated cost of Tls. 200, to re-erect the shed and outhouse, formerly used for this purpose, which were demolished when the extension was made to the playground.

### Municipal Investment Bank.

RECORD OF DEPOSITS.

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Total on March 22 | 407,428.26 |
| Deposits since received | 16,006.10 |
| Total on March 29 Tls. | 423,435.06 |

J. T. FORD,
*Acting Treasurer and Comptroller.*

### Return of Communicable Disease.

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, March 27, 1921. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 24,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 780,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 2 | 5 |
| Scarlet Fever | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 13 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 0 | 0 |
| Hydrophobia | 0 | 1 |
| Cerebrospinal Fever | 2 | — |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 7 | 141 |

C. NOEL DAVIS,
*Acting Health Officer.*

### Plans of New Buildings Approved.

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 107 | Canton | The Standard Oil Co. of New York | | | office & ricsha shed |
| 148 | Honan | Atkinson & Dallas, Ld. | | | bank building (amended plan) |
| 44 | Off Kiukiang | The Mitsui Bank, Ld. | | | water closet |
| 27 | Off Yuenmingyuen | Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ld. | | | altns. |
| 1029 | Boone | S. Okano | | | garage |
| 2255 | Off Baikal | Dong Chi Kee | 1 | | (amended plan) |
| 846 | Tungchow | Lee Zung Mur | | | workshop |
| 928 | Off ,, | Lee Che Dong | | | factory |
| 3780 | Off Whashing | Brandt & Rodgers | | | altns. |
| 916 | Carter | J. F. Takaki | | | cinematograph hall |
| 3996 | Off Haiphong | The Municipal Electricity Department | | | shed |
| 3810 | Hart | The Credit Foncier d'Extreme Orient | 3 | | boundary wall & entrance gates |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| Unreg. E of 1860 | Off Kinchow | The Yue Loong Co. | 3 | | |
| Unreg. N of 5149 | ,, Rangoon | Seng Tong Ngo | | 1 | |
| Unreg. N of 1728 | Off Tongshan | Yao An Kee | 3 | | |
| Unreg. S of 940 | Urga | Zee Shan Kee & Son | 3 | | |
| Unreg. E of 5840 | Ferry | Tsai Sho Chew | 3 | | (amended plan) |
| 4247 | Gordon | E. E. Lever | 35 | | gatehouse |
| Unreg. W of 460 | Urga | S. F. Zah | | | shed |

### Municipal Staff.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MARCH 26.

*Police Force.*—Long leave, under medical certificate, is granted to Ng Tak-shang, Police Interpreter, from May 16.

*Public Works Department.*—Mr. T. Dijkstra is appointed temporarily as Assistant Land Surveyor from March 18.

Mr. P. M. Peyran is appointed Assistant Inspector on probation from March 24.

*Electricity Department.*—Messrs A. M. Levenspiel, Assistant Draughtsman, and J. E. Edmund, Motor Car Mechanic, are permitted to terminate their service on April 30 and March 31, respectively.

*Educational Department.*—Miss L. Hiron, temporary Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, is permitted to terminate her service on April 30.

*Revenue Office.*—Lond leave is granted to Collector E. H. Solly from April 1.

### Public Band.

On Sunday next, April 3, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.

TWENTIETH CONCERT
"MENDELSSOHN"
with the collaboration of
Prof. G. ZALSMAN (Baritone)

1.—Introduction to the *Oratorio "St. Paul"* Mendelssohn
2.—Aria *"O God have mercy"* from Oratoria "St. Paul" for Baritone Mendelssohn
Soloist: Prof. G. ZALSMAN
3.—Overture to the *"Fables of the handsome Melusine"* Mendelssohn
4.—Three Classical Songs (17th and 18th Century)
(a) I attempt from Love's sickness to fly Purcell
(b) Plaisir d'amour G. Martini
(c) Pur dicesti, o bocca bella A. Lotti
Soloist: Prof. G. ZALSMAN
5.—Music to Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Night's Dream" Mendelssohn
(a) Overture
(b) Notturno
(c) Scherzo
(d) Wedding March

MAESTRO M. PACI,
*Conductor.*

### Fire Brigade Report for February.

The total number of calls to fires, or supposed fires, during the month was 41, as against 29 for the corresponding month last year. The damage on assessed property within the Settlement is estimated at Tls. 7,510 (Foreign Tls. 150; Chinese Tls. 7,360), as against Tls. 10,025 (Foreign Tls. 125; Chinese Tls. 9,900) during February 1920. The property at risk is estimated at Tls. 421,500 (Foreign Tls. 150,000; Chinese Tls. 271,500), as against Tls. 612,500 (Foreign Tls. 437,500; Chinese Tls. 175,000) for the corresponding period last year.

The calls were received as follows:—Telephones 23, Watch Towers 12, Police 5, and Staff 1. The district call was given on 6 occasions, the remaining 35 being station calls. These calls proved to be 32 small fires, 1 chimney fire, 3 false alarms and 5 fires outside the Settlement.

The principal supposed causes of the fires within the Settlement are as follows:—Dropped match or cigarette end, lamp upset, fire-crackers, joss paper, children playing with matches, electric motor overheated, etc.

Of these 30 buildings were more or less damaged by fire, smoke and water.

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The month was not marked by any fire of particular note.

Unfortunately there were two fatalities during the month.

*February 1, 6.23 a.m. Hongkew Tower. W63 Tsungming Road.*—The above house was in flames on arrival. When the fire was practically extinguished the body of a man was found on the first floor joists. Presumably he got to the window, and was there overcome.

*February 8, 5.15 a.m. Telephone call. R494 Yunnan Road.*—A candle set fire to a mosquito curtain on a bed, where one woman and two children were asleep. The fire was extinguished with trivial damage. Both persons were burned about the face. One child was despatched to Hospital, where it died on the following day.

M. W. Pett,
*Chief Officer.*

RECORD OF CALLS.

| Date | Call: Time of | Call: How received | Alarm given | Locality | District: Municipal | District: Fire | Class of Building | Buildings damaged | Time at fire: Hours | Time at fire: Minutes | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Feb. 1 | 6.23 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | District | W 63 Tsungming Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Shop | 6 damaged | 34 | | 1 life lost |
| 2 | 8.45 a.m. | Staff | Station | 1 Jinkee Road | Central | 3 | Foreign Residence | | | 20 | Chimney |
| 3 | 3.38 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | X 92A off North Shanse Road | Northern | 8 | Chinese Dwelling | 4 damaged | 16 | | |
| 4 | 6.35 p.m. | Sinza Tower | District | MM 415 Myburg Road | Western | 7 | ,, | 1 ,, | 16 | | |
| 4 | 7.58 p.m. | Telephone | Station | Kansuh, Alabaster Road | Northern | 8 | | | | 30 | False alarm |
| 6 | 3.14 p.m. | Police | ,, | West of Darroch Road | Outside | | | | | 30 | |
| 7 | 8.46 p.m. | ,, | ,, | LA 2676 Yangtszepoo Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 15 | |
| 8 | 5.15 a.m. | Telephone | .. | R 494 Yunnan Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Lodging House | 1 damaged | | 40 | 1 life lost and 2 persons injured |
| 8 | 7.39 a.m. | ,, | ,, | R 1079 off East Hanbury Rd. | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 20 | |
| 8 | 6.17 p.m. | Central Tower | .. | CA 123 Jee Bae Ka | Central | 4 | Chinese Lodging House | | 6 | | |
| 10 | 9.32 a.m. | Telephone | ,, | EE 676/7 S. Li Hongkew Ka | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 30 | |
| 10 | 11.18 a.m. | ,, | ,, | 17 Kungping Road | ,, | 1 | Bamboo Store | | | 30 | |
| 10 | 6.31 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | Chapei | Outside | | | | 2 | | |
| 11 | 3.03 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | K 43 Wuhu Road | Central | 4 | Chinese Shop | | | 15 | |
| 11 | 5.09 p.m. | ,, | ,, | IA 62A Annam Road | Western | 7 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 20 | |
| 12 | 1.17 a.m. | ,, | ,, | K 248 Park Rd. | ,, | 7 | ,, | | | 40 | |
| 12 | 2.54 a.m. | Police | ,, | LH 1539A Baikal Road | Eastern | 1 | ,, | | 1 | | |
| 13 | 8.19 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | EA 1155A off Wuchow Rd. | ,, | 1 | Firewood Yard | | | 50 | |
| 14 | 2.36 p.m. | ,, | .. | Scott Road | Northern | 2 | Builder's Yard | | 12 | | |
| 14 | 5.09 p.m. | ,, | ,, | U 759 Peking Road | Central | 6 | Chinese Shop | | | 15 | |
| 17 | 10.30 p.m. | ,, | .. | 10 N. Szechuen Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Store | | | 15 | |
| 18 | 1.16 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | Ying-Hsiang-Kong Village | Outside | | | | 6 | | |
| 18 | 10.35 a.m. | Central Tower | District | GG 22A Pakhoi Road | Central | 5 | Chinese Dwelling | 5 damaged | 11 | | |
| 18 | 7.23 p.m. | Telephone | Station | C 20/21 Honan Road | ,, | 4 | Chinese Shop | | 2 | | |
| 18 | 8.43 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | District | G 431 off Tiendong Road | Northern | 2 | Chinese Dwelling | 1 damaged | 21 | | |
| 19 | 3.17 p.m. | Telephone | Station | IB 203 North Thibet Road | ,, | 8 | Chinese Shop | | | 20 | |
| 20 | 7.06 a.m. | Police | ,, | 2 Ichang Road | Western | 7 | Cotton Mill | 1 damaged | 5 | | |
| 21 | 3.00 a.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | Chapei | Outside | | | | | 30 | |
| 21 | 5.15 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | JE 189 off Tongshan Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | | | 20 | |
| 21 | 7.30 p.m. | ,, | ,, | Broadway East | ,, | 1 | | | | 20 | Advertising board on fire |
| 22 | 1.05 a.m. | Central Tower | ,, | U 1275 Peking Road | Central | 3 | Chinese Shop | 1 damaged | 12 | | |
| 22 | 6.55 a.m. | ,, | ,, | Foochow, Kiangse Rds. | ,, | 4 | | | | 15 | False alarm |
| 22 | 11.18 a.m. | Telephone | District | L 357/8 Canton Road | ,, | 5 | Chinese Shop | 3 damaged | 11 | | |
| 22 | 7.03 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | Station | Yochow Road | Outside | | | | 2½ | | |
| 23 | 11.30 a.m. | Police | ,, | RC 311 Hailar Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Shop | | | 15 | |
| 23 | 4.43 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | CC 100/102 East Yuhang Rd. | ,, | 1 | Coal yard | | | 15 | |
| 23 | 10.02 p.m. | ,, | ,, | 51B Kiangse Road | Central | 3 | Foreign Residence | | 1 | 35 | |
| 24 | 1.53 p.m. | ,, | District | L 1322 off Yangtszepoo Road | Eastern | 1 | Chinese Dwelling | 6 damaged | 18 | | |
| 24 | 7.40 p.m. | ,, | Station | Pakhoi Road | Central | 5 | | | | 24 | False alarm |
| 24 | 8.17 p.m. | Hongkew Tower | ,, | Z60 Miller Rd. | Northern | 2 | Chinese Shop | 1 damaged | 18 | | |
| 28 | 1.03 p.m. | Telephone | ,, | 18 Peking Road | Central | 3 | Foreign Offices | | 17 | | |

M. W. Pett, *Chief Officer.*

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**Mosquito Notice.**

NO STAGNANT WATER—NO MOSQUITOES.

Mosquitoes carry MALARIA and other diseases.

Mosquitoes cannot multiply except in STAGNANT WATER. Where stagnant water cannot be ABOLISHED kerosine sprinkled on the surface to form a film will kill mosquito 'wrigglers,' as it prevents breathing when they come to the surface.

Old tins and bottles, broken crockery and unconsidered ARTICLES OF THIS KIND CAPABLE OF HOLDING RAIN WATER should be carefully COLLECTED from the garden and backyard and placed with the refuse for removal.

Tubs, kongs, water plants, flower-pot saucers or other VESSELS OF WATER, which cannot be dispensed with should be EMPTIED OR SPRINKLED WITH KEROSINE ONCE A WEEK.

GARDENERS' KONGS, DUG-OUTS, WELLS AND WATER BARRELS should be done away with, water for the garden, etc., being derived directly from the tap or, if that be impossible, the kongs, etc., should be oiled once a week or kept securely covered so that mosquitoes cannot get to the water to lay their eggs.

Have the water from kennels, chicken coops, etc., regularly emptied out.

Keep drains and rain-water roof channels clean and clear and in good repair. GULLY TRAPS that are not frequently flushed should be oiled weekly.

Shallow RAIN WATER POOLS AND SLUSHY PLACES can generally be obliterated by a SCRATCH DRAIN or LEVELLED with house ashes, PONDS AND DITCHES by FILLING-IN and drainage.

ORNAMENTAL PONDS may be kept free from mosquitoes by FISH but, if mosquito 'wrigglers' be found, the water should be OILED WEEKLY preparatory to FILLING-IN.

A WEEKLY INSPECTION of house and surroundings should be made. It may be remembered that a small unheeded pot of water will suffice to breed enough mosquitoes to irritate a whole neighbourhood.

C. NOEL DAVIS,
*Acting Health Officer.*

# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬章程

一 所有承攬事件由英文開列於下

二 未有必准攬本局自有本局承認全份減

三 行估定價認辦本局各項本局承

四 擱定之准攬目錄有稀利

五 人到定價之准攬目錄如是極低

六 所有份保承攬本局各項本局承

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五 人到定價之准攬目錄有稀利

## TENDERS INVITED *(Continued)*

### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 600 | Supply and delivery of Interlocking Steel Sheet Piling, as follows:—<br>500 lineal feet 7 feet long, with 25 corner pieces<br>500 lineal feet 12 feet long, with 25 corner pieces | — | April 22, Noon |

### ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT

Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, Administration Building, Foochow Road

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 212 | Vulcanised Cable | Tls. 5 | May 5, Noon |
| 213 | Weatherproof Copper Cable | Tls 5 | " 5, " |
| 215 | Three-phase Induction Motors | Tls. 5 | July 4, " |
| | Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | | |

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## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice:—

That a Public Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall on Thursday, April 14, at 2 o'clock p.m. precisely, to devise ways and means of raising the requisite funds for Municipal purposes, and to pass resolutions in reference thereto and to deliberate and decide upon other Municipal matters and business. At such meeting the accounts of the Council for the year ending December 31, 1920, will be submitted for the sanction and approval of the Ratepayers.

Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

E. D. H. FRASER,
*H. B. M. Consul-General.*
T. RAASCHOU,
*Consul-General for Denmark and Acting Consul for Spain.*
DE REUS,
*Consul-General for the Netherlands.*
G. DE ROSSI,
*Consul-General for Italy.*
K. YAMASAKI,
*Consul-General for Japan.*
H. A. WILDEN,
*Consul-General for France.*
ALFREDO CASANOVA,
*Consul-General for Portugal.*
N. AALL,
*Consul-General for Norway.*
M. F. PERKINS,
*American Consul in Charge.*
E. AKERHIELM,
*Acting Consul-General for Sweden.*
CH. FEGUENNE,
*Acting Consul-General for Belgium.*
MANOEL DE VEIGA MENEZES,
*Consul for Brazil.*

## NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice:—

That a Special Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in The Town Hall on Thursday, April 14, at 1.45 p.m. precisely, to consider and to pass resolutions upon the several matters notice of which is given in Municipal Notification No. 2821, published in the Municipal Gazette of March 17, 1921.

Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

A. D. BELL
A. W. BURKILL
A. J. H. CARLILL
E. O. CUMMING
GILBERT DAVIES
DOUGLAS FLEMING
H. E. GIBSON
R. E. S. GREGSON
A. H. HALLAM
CECIL HOLLIDAY
GEO. A. JOHNSON
C. KNIPSCHILDT
H. LESTER
P. W. O. LIDDELL
M. H. LOGAN
R. G. MACDONALD
W. L. MERRIMAN
W. B. O. MIDDLETON
S. B. NEILL
E. W. NOEL
E. C. PEARCE
ERIC M. ROSS
C. J. SCOTT
G. H. STITT
L. STRAETMANS
H. M. TIBBEY
R. E. TOZG
T. E. TRUEMAN
A. J. WELCH
W. G. WORCESTER

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2821.

### SPECIAL MEETING OF RATEPAYERS.

### LAND REGULATIONS AND BYE-LAWS.

A SPECIAL Meeting of Ratepayers will be convened for the same date as the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Ratepayers, when the following resolutions will be brought forward by the Council:—

*Resolutions I, II and III.*—Formal business and adoption of Rules of Procedure.

*Resolution IV.*—That Land Regulation IX in so far as it refers to the collection of Wharfage Dues and which at present reads:—

"And it shall also be competent to the said meeting or a majority thereof as aforesaid, to impose other rates and taxes in the form of dues on all goods passed through the Chinese Custom-house by any person or persons resident within the said limits, or landed, shipped or transhipped at any place within the said limits; provided the said rates or taxes levied in the form of dues shall in no case exceed *the amount of one-tenth of one per cent. on the value of* the goods so passed, landed, shipped or transhipped."

be amended to read:—

"and it shall also be competent to the said meeting or a majority thereof as aforesaid, to impose other rates and taxes in the form of dues on all goods passed through the Chinese Custom-house by any person or persons resident within the said limits, or landed, shipped or transhipped at any place within the said limits; provided the said rates or taxes levied in the form of dues shall in no case exceed *3 per cent. of the Customs duty on* the goods so passed, landed, shipped or transhipped."

and that the said amendment be communicated to the Consular Body with a request for its co-operation and support in obtaining as soon as possible the necessary sanction thereof.

*Resolution V.*—That the following Bye-law be passed, approved and numbered XXXVa:—

*Printed Matter.*—Any person who shall print (which term shall for the purposes of this bye-law include any mechanical mode of reproduction) or publish, or cause to be printed or published, any newspaper pamphlet circular handbill leaflet placard or other paper containing public news intelligence or occurrences or any remarks or observations thereon, and shall not prior to such printing or publishing have registered or caused to be registered, in the case of foreigners with the Consul of the nationality to which such person belongs and otherwise with the Municipal Council, his name and usual places of abode and business or shall knowingly have made or caused to be made any misrepresentation or omission whereby such registration shall be misleading; and any person who shall print any paper whatsoever which shall be meant to be published or dispersed and who shall not print upon the front of every such paper, if the same shall be printed upon one side only, or upon the first or last or editorial leaf of every paper which shall consist of more than one leaf, in legible characters, his name and usual places of abode and business; and any person who shall publish or disperse, or assist in publishing or dispersing, any such paper on which the name and usual places of abode and business of the person printing the same shall not be printed as aforesaid, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding three hundred dollars or to imprisonment not exceeding three months or to any such other penalty as shall be prescribed by the law to which such person is amenable."

and that a copy of the said Bye-law be communicated to the Consular Body with a request for its co-operation and support in obtaining as soon as possible the necessary sanction thereof.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 17, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

### No. 2832.

THE following Resolutions will be brought forward by the Council at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers to be held in the Town Hall on April 14, 1921, at 2 o'clock p.m., and are published for general information:—

*Resolutions I, II and III.—Formal business and adoption of Rules of Procedure.*

*Resolution IV.*—That the Report and Accounts for the year ending December 31, 1920, be passed.

*Resolution V.*—That the Council be, and it is hereby authorized and directed to take such action as it may, in its discretion, think fit, to reduce the bulk of the next and succeeding Annual Municipal Reports.

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*Resolution VI.*—That the estimated expenditure for 1921, contained in the Budget proposed by the retiring Council, together with the recommendations attached thereto, be approved and adopted, and that the Council be and it is hereby authorized to impose, collect and recover the rates, taxes, dues and fees recommended therein, and to raise, should it be considered expedient to do so, upon such terms and in such manner as the Council may in its discretion think fit, a sum not exceeding Tls. 7,000,000 or the equivalent of this sum, for the purposes defined in the estimate of Extraordinary Expenditure.

*Resolution VII.—Election of Land Commissioner for the ensuing year.*

*Resolution VIII.—Election of four Governors of the General Hospital for the ensuing year.*

*Resolution IX.—Election of two members of the Permanent Education Committee.*

Ratepayers intending to ask questions in regard to the Accounts or other matters connected with the foregoing Resolutions, are requested to give notice of such intention at least 24 hours before the Meeting, so that a full answer or other explanation may be given.

Ratepayers desirous of bringing forward additional motions, or of nominating duly qualified persons willing to serve under Resolutions VII, VIII and IX, are required to give notice thereof to the undersigned before 4 p.m. on April 8, for due publication.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 2, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2831.**
**SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.**
**Six per cent Sterling Loan, 1920.**
**Issue of Debentures to Bearer (with Interest Coupons attached)**

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after Monday, April 4, 1921, Bankers' Receipts Nos. 124, 197, 220, 237, 259, 322, 351, 357/398, 401 (being in respect of subscriptions received subsequent to August 31, 1920) may be exchanged for Debentures to Bearer, with Interest Coupons attached, at the Office of the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, Administration Building, Hankow Road. For their own protection, holders of Bankers' Receipts are advised to attend personally at the above address, or to give a written authority to any person acting as their proxy in the matter.

Interest Coupon No. 2 payable on June 30, 1921, must be lodged with the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 56 Szechuen Road, two clear days before the date of payment. Payment will be made (at the option of the Debenture Holder to be declared in writing at the time of lodgement with the Bank) either by sterling demand draft on London at par, or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative Interest Coupon.

A further notification as to the exchange of Bankers' Receipts Nos. 300, 399 and 400 will be issued in due course.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 31, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2834.**
**LOAN OF 1901.**

THE debentures outstanding under the Municipal Loan of 1901 will be paid on presentation at the Finance Department, Administration Building, Hankow Road, if properly endorsed by the registered owner, on and after June 30, 1921, from which date interest will cease.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 7, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2827.**
**TAVERN LICENCES.**

REFERRING to Notification No. 2813, application has been made to the Council for the following new Tavern Licence for the ensuing Municipal year:—

| Applicant | Address |
|---|---|
| H. C. Norman on behalf of St. Joseph's Catholic Association | K. 148 Boone Road |

The public is reminded that protests against the issue of this licence, or against the renewal of any existing licences, will be heard by a Committee of the Council sitting in the Council Room, No. 24 Kiangse Road, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, April 8.

It is requested that notice of such protest be given in writing to the undersigned.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2826.**
**HONGKEW RECREATION GROUND.**

OWING to the public demand for the use of the space available for the playing of games, it has been decided, in lieu of the "First come first served" practice, to call for applications by those desiring playing space, whereafter allocation will be made and notification will be issued as to what arrangements are feasible.

All persons desiring such playing space should form themselves into groups or associations of whom one person shall be considered to be the representative.

Each application should provide the following information in the order given:—

1.—Name of group, club or association.
2.—Name of Chairman or President.
3.—Name and address of Secretary.
4.—Number of members.
5.—Space applied for.
6.—Number of months and days per month and approximately the hours during which it is desired to make use of the space applied for.
7.—Whether in case applications outrun the number of playing spaces, the club is willing to share a space with another club playing on alternate days.

Applications in writing should be made to Mr. D. Drake, c/o Shanghai Public School, on or before Thursday, April 21, 1921, after which date playing spaces will be allotted for the current season.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2829.**
**HISTORY OF SHANGHAI.**

THE first volume of this work, to be completed in three volumes, has been published, and may be obtained from Messrs. Kelly & Walsh Ld., on and after Friday, April 1, at $7.50 per copy.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 31, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2833.**
**LAND ASSESSMENT.**

MADE in pursuance of Resolution XII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers held on April 7, 1920.

The Schedules containing the Consular and Cadastral numbers of lots, in the Central, Northern and Eastern Districts with areas and values, and with accompanying plans, are now ready and may be obtained on application at the Revenue Office, No. 7A The Bund, on payment of $1.00 per copy.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL.
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 7, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
**No. 2825.**
**VEHICLES—LIGHTING UP TIME.**
**APRIL, 1921.**

DURING the month of April, "Sunset," i.e., the time prescribed in all vehicle licences for lighting up, will be as follows:—

| 1st-10th | 11th-20th | 21st-end of month |
|---|---|---|
| 6.23 | 6.29 | 6.36 |

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 24, 1921.

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## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2808 (*Amended*).
### TRAFFIC REGULATION RANKING OR PARKING OF MOTOR VEHICLES.

THE attention of the public is directed to the terms of the subjoined Police Notice, which has been served on motor vehicle owners with a view to relieving congestion in the Central District:—

NOTICE.

The Commissioner of Police presents his compliments to the registered owner of motor car No. and informs him that in future the ranking or parking of motor vehicles for an extended period (except on the authorized Vehicle Stands) in the following roads is prohibited:—

Peking Road
Jinkee Road
Ningpo Road
Nanking Road
Kiukiang Road
Hankow Road
Foochow Road
Canton Road
Bund
Yuen-ming-yuen Road
Museum Road
Szechuen Road
Kiangse Road
Honan Road

The authorized Vehicle Stands available for motor cars in the neighbourhood of the above-mentioned roads are specified in Traffic Regulation No. 47 (see overleaf), and it is requested that one of them be used accordingly.

Motor cars can be ordered as required through Police Telephone Boxes which are situated on the Vehicle Stands as under:

| *Bund*: | *Tel. No. C.* |
|---|---|
| Opposite Jinkee Road | 2541 |
| ,, Kiukiang Road | 2549 |
| ,, Foochow Road | 2548 |
| ,, Canton Road | 2547 |

*Hankow Road.*—At Kiangse Road crossing: Tel. No. C. 2544

47.—Except on a duly authorized Vehicle Stand, the ranking or parking of vehicles on a highway shall as a rule be permitted to a limited extent and/or for a limited time only; and shall be dependent on the exigencies of traffic.

The Vehicle Stands authorized for ricshas only are indicated by signboards. Those authorized for the ranking or parking of motor or horse drawn vehicles are specified hereunder:—

(1) Bund (Centre) between Avenue Edward VII and Peking Road.

(2) Avenue Edward VII (Centre) between the Bund and Kiangse Road.

(3) Hankow Road (Centre) between Honan Road and Kiangse Road.

(4) Soochow Road (North side) between the Garden Bridge and Chapoo Road Bridge.

(5) Whangpoo Road (South side) East of Astor Road.

(6) Avenue Edward VII (North side) between Yunnan Road and Thibet Road.

(7) Thibet Road (East side) between Nanking Road and Burkill Road.

(8) Thibet Road (East side) between Nanking Road and Kiukiang Road.

(9) Bubbling Well Road (South side) between the main Race Club gate and a point opposite Myburgh Road.

In those cases in which no chauffeurs are employed or in which motor vehicles are in constant use during business hours the claims of the concerned for special consideration will be considered on application to the Commissioner of Police, Central Police Station, Foochow Road.

It is earnestly hoped that the public will readily co-operate with the Police in the carrying out of this measure in futherance of the convenience of the public in general.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 7, 1921.

## MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
### No. 2835.
### CHAUFFEURS' SCHOOL.

NOTICE is hereby given that from and after Monday, April 18, this School at the Gordon Road Training Depot will be opened for the training of Chauffeurs. Owners may send candidates to the Central Registry Office, Central Police Station, where their names will be registered, and the fee of $25 may be paid.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 7, 1921.

AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Monday, April 4, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. A. W. Burkill (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. B. Neill
P. Peebles

*Absent*:
Mr. H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 6.10 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Municipal Salaries Commission held on Friday, April 1, 1921, at 5 o'clock, p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
A. W. Burkill
A. C. Hynes
D. McColl
W. L. Merriman
J. W. Stephenson

*Absent*:
Messrs. C. W. Atkinson
F. C. Butcher
C. G. Humphrys

The meeting adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Band Committee held on Tuesday, April 5, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon, there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. A. Howard (*Chairman*)
N. G. Maitland
Dr. S. A. Ransom

The meeting adjourned at 1.30 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, April 6, 1921, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

*Present*:
Messrs. A. Brooke Smith (*Chairman*)
M. Benjamin
S. Fessenden
H. H. Girardet
E. F. Mackay
Dr. S. A. Ransom
Messrs. S. Sakuragi
H. G. Simms

*Absent*:
Mr. H. A. Macintyre

The meeting adjourned at 7.20 p.m.

### Consular Body.

A letter from Mr. Edwin S. Cunningham, Consul-General for the United States of America, informs the Council that he has resumed charge of the Consulate-General with effect from March 31.

A letter from Mr. K. Yamasaki, Consul-General for Japan, informs the Council that during his temporary absence from Shanghai he has handed over charge of the Consulate-General to Mr. Hiroshi Kawamura, Vice-Consul, with effect from April 4.

### Volunteer Corps.

*Headquarters.*—The Very Rev. C. J. F. Symons is granted leave from April 1 to October 31, 1921. During his absence the Rev. C. E. Spencer will perform the duties of Chaplain to the Corps.

*Reserve of Officers.*—The commission of Lieut. R. C. Young is renewed from June 21, 1920.

*American Company.*—With reference to the extension of leave granted to Second-Lieut. Baldwin in the Gazette of March 31, 1991, the period is further extended to September 24, 1921.

### Foreign Educational Committee.

The resignation of the Very Rev. C. J. F. Symons of his seat on the above Committee has been accepted with regret.

### Library Committee.

The resignation of the Very Rev. C. J. F. Symons of his seat on the above Committee has been accepted with regret.

### Easements.

Permission has been granted to the following applicants to place suction pipes under the roads stated hereunder upon payment of an annual easement fee of Tls. 10 and subject to conditions similar to those under which like easements were granted to the Heng Foong Cotton Manufacturing Co. as set forth on page 3 of the Gazette of January 6, 1921.

*Jessfield Road.*—The Toyoda Cotton Spinning & Weaving Company, connecting their Mill with the Soochow Creek.

*West Soochow Road.*—The Foh Sing Flour Mills Company, connecting their No. 2 Mill with the Soochow Creek.

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### Wharfage Dues.

Further correspondence with the Commissioner of Customs and the French Council on the subject of the remission of Wharfage Dues on rice imported for Famine Relief, in continuation of that published in the Municipal Gazette of March 3:—

Shanghai, March 4, 1921.

SIR,—Having reference to my letter to you of January 28 last, asking whether it would be possible to obtain exemption from wharfage dues for rice imported for the purposes of famine relief, and to your reply thereto of February 15, stating that the Council regretted it could not favourably entertain any suggestion for the remission of dues, levy of which was expressly approved at the last annual meeting of the ratepayers, unless its proposals for the amendment of Land Regulation 9 be approved at the forthcoming meeting of ratepayers. I am directed by the Inspector General of Customs to say that he is most reluctant to convey to the Government a refusal from the Council in such terms and to approach you again with the request that the Council will reconsider this matter in the light of the following facts: That the Chinese Government is exempting all grain for famine relief purposes from dues of all kinds; that efforts are being made on all sides to cope with the famine raging in five provinces in which millions of lives are at stake; that a Chinese Government organ is collecting wharfage dues on behalf of the Council; and that the Chinese Government itself makes this request.

I am to add that exemption, if granted, would not of course prejudice in any way the proposals under consideration, or be regarded as any other than a special case to meet a special emergency.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. GORDON LOWDER,
*Commissioner of Customs.*

N. O. LIDDELL, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 22, 1921.

SIR,—I am directed to send you herein enclosed copy of further letter from the Commissioner of Customs, on the subject of the exemption of famine relief rice from wharfage dues. This letter was considered at a recent meeting of Council, when in view of the small amount of revenue that would be involved, the Council decided, subject to the concurrence of your Council, to reply to the Commissioner, stating that on reconsideration of the matter the Council had decided in deference to the views of the Inspector General of Customs to grant the exemption requested.

I am directed to request that you may kindly let me know whether your Council is prepared to agree to this reply.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

MONSIEUR P. LEGENDRE,
Secretary, French Municipal Council.

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*Translation of letter from the French Municipal Council, dated March 24, 1921.*

SIR,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 22, 1921, relating to the exemption of rice from wharfage dues imported for the Famine in the North.

In reply, I am directed to inform you that the French Council agrees with the recent dicision adopted by the Municipal Council to exempt rice destined for the Committee of the Famine Relief, from wharfage dues.

I am, etc.,
P. LEGENDRE.

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, March 30, 1921.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 4, further on the subject of the enquiry made in your letter of January 28, as to whether the Council would favourably entertain the exemption of Wharfage Dues on rice imported for the purposes of Famine Relief.

In reply, I am directed to state that upon further consideration, and in deference to the request made by you and by the Inspector General of Customs, the Council has approved exemption as requested, an approval with which the French Council has expressed concurrence.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
N. O. LIDDELL,
*Secretary.*

E. GORDON LOWDER, Esq.,
Commissioner of Customs.

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### Municipal Investment Bank.

RECORD OF DEPOSITS.

| | Tls. |
|---|---|
| Total on March 29 | 423,435.06 |
| Deposits since received | 37,582.98 |
| Total on April 5 | Tls. 461,018.04 |

J. T. FORD,
*Acting Treasurer and Comptroller.*

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The following land transactions are recorded:—

ROAD EXTENSIONS AND WIDENINGS.

| Road | Lot No. Cad. | Lot No. Consular | Area in Road | Surplus | Acquired from | Compensation |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boone | 1031 | B.C. 6829 | Mow 0.049 | — | P. D. Raeburn | *Assessed value + 10% less ⅓rd. for betterment or Tls. 719 |
| North Shanse | 524 | ,, 7167 | ,, 0.823 | — | Algar & Co., Ld. | Nil—Compulsory free surrender |
| Shantung & Soochow | 191 | ,, 150 | ,, 0.253 | — | Platt & Co. | †Tls. 3,476 |
| Wayside & Kinchow | 2149 | ,, 4152 | ,, 0.780 | — | Mrs. E. Roope | ‡Tls. 414 |

*See Published Correspondence
†*Shantung Road*, Mow 0.180 at assessed value + 10% less ⅓rd for betterment.
*Soochow Road*, ,, 0.023 free surrender, Mow 0.024 at one-half assessed value + 10%, 0.026 at assessed value + 10%
‡Mow 0.376 at assessed value for 1921 + 10%, Mow 0.404 surrendered free

MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES.

| Site. | Lot No. Cad Consular. | | Area. | Acquired from | Compensation. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Taku Road, Latrine Site | | B.C. 9184 | Mow 0.229 | Lester, Johnson & Morriss | Tls. 580* |
| Nieh Chih Kuei Public School for Chinese | — | — | ,, 2.371 | Chinese | Tls. 4,267.80 |
| Yu Yuen Road (Commandant S.V.C. Quarters) | — | U.S. 2558 | ,, 2.238 | China Realty Co., Ld. | Tls. 17,000 |

*In respect of the area in the scheduled road required to provide access to the latrine, Mow 0.095 at an agreed rate of Tls. 1,000 per mow; in respect of the actual latrine site, Mow 0.077 surrendered free and Mow 0.057 at the assessed value, Tls. 8,500 per mow. This arrangement provides a suitable site for the latrine to replace a site surrendered for this purpose a number of years ago, which it is now agreed shall be retained by Messrs. Lester, Johnson & Morriss.

### Road Extensions and Widenings.

*Boone Road.*—The terms of compensation arranged for the surrender of Mow 0.049 ex-Cadastral Lot 1031 required for the widening of this road are set out in the following correspondence:

Shanghai, February 3, 1921.

DEAR SIR,—I reply to your letter dated January 28, enquiring on what terms the portion (measuring Mow 0.049) of B.C. Lot 6829. Boone Road, will be surrendered to the Council, should it decide to acquire it for the widening of Boone Road, I beg to inform you that the beneficial owner of the property is prepared to make the surrender at the new assessed value of the land plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender.

| | |
|---|---|
| Mow 0.049 at Taels 20,000 per mow | Tls. 980 |
| plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender | ,, 98 |
| Total | Tls. 1,078 |

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I shall be greatly obliged by an early reply to this letter so that the plans already prepared for the new buildings may be re-drawn to suit the reduced area.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
P. D. RAEBURN.

CHAS. H. GODFREY, Esq.,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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Council Room,
Shanghai, February 21, 1921.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 3, addressed to the Commissioner of Public Works, relative to the area required ex-B.C. Lot 6829, Cadastral Lot 1031 in connexion with the proposed widening of Boone Road, and to state that it is the Council's intention greatly to improve this road, between Miller Road and Broadway, by making it of the uniform width of 40 ft. It is considered that this road widening will tend to make Boone Road a thoroughfare of increasing importance, with the necessary result of enhancing in value the properties abutting thereon. In carrying out such improvements which are undoubtedly of far reaching importance, the Council must of necessity look to the lot holders concerned for co-operation in an undertaking which, not only makes for Settlement improvement, but also increases in value the properties affected.

I am therefore directed to state that, in the Council's opinion, the terms of surrender, whilst based on the assessed value of the land, plus an allowance of 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, should in all equity include a deduction of 1/3rd for betterment.

I shall be obliged if you will kindly inform me at your early convenience whether you will agree to this deduction.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
S. H. LEWIS,
*Assistant Secretary.*

P. D. RAEBURN, Esq.

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Shanghai, February 24, 1921.

SIR,—In reply to your letter re-surrender of a portion of Cadastral Lot No. 1031, Boone Road, I beg to accept the terms offered by the Council, i.e.:—

Value of land surrendered according to new assessment plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender less 1/3rd for betterment:

and I shall be greatly obliged if the Council will confirm this as soon as possible so that the plans for the new buildings proposed to be erected on the lot may be re-drawn to suit the reduced area.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
P. D. RAEBURN.

The SECRETARY, Municipal Council.

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**Road Improvements.**

*Warren Piece.*—On the recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Works the Council has decided to improve the junction of Brenan and Warren Roads by constructing a road roughly through the middle of this open space, the portion on the North West side to remain an open space, and the balance on the South East, bordering the Fahwa Creek, to be used as a Public Works Department Depôt.

There will thus be provided a direct line of access between these two roads.

**Plans of New Buildings Approved.**

| Cadastral Lot | Road | Applicant | Dwelling Houses | Shops, etc. | Sundry Structures |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *Foreign* | | |
| 116/7 & 120 | Off Avenue Edward VII | G. O. Wootten | | | block offices |
| 42 | Hankow & Szechuen | C. Luthy | | | altns. |
| 30 | Off Jinkee | Probst, Hanbury & Co., Ld. | | | .. |
| 164 | Kiangse | Moorhead, Halse and Robinson | | | .. |
| 151D | Ningpo and Kiangse | Yang Yung Kee | | | altns. & addns. |
| 1036 | Fearon | Algar & Co., Ld. | | | altns. |
| 207 | Sing Dong Ka Loong | P. Y. Tsauh | 1 | | watchman's lodge & boundary wall (amended plan) |
| 5733 | Ward | The Eastern Construction Co. | | | bunding |
| 3851 | Ward and Madura | P. Y. Tsauh | 1 | | conservatory, watchman's lodge & latrine (amended plan) |
| 1803 | Off Yates & Gt. Western Road | Yah Yue Sing | | | water closet |
| | | | *Chinese* | | |
| 94 | Tsepoo | Lau Zoong Foong | | 1 | (amended plan) |
| Unreg. N of 1420 | Off E. Yalu | Tsao Zen Kee | | | 2 sheds |
| Unreg. W of 2083 | Paoting | J. F. Takaki | | | shed |
| Unreg. E of 372 | Off Urga | Zee Shan Kee & Son | | | foundry |
| Unreg. W of 1806 | Lungmen | Chang Foo Kee | | | 10 sheds |

**Municipal Staff.**

EXTRACTS FROM THE ORDER BOOKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, APRIL 2.

*Police Force.*—A. E. Worwood having served the probationary period, is confirmed in the rank of Assistant Warder from March 21.

Yoshiye Takeda is appointed Japanese Interpreter on probation from April 1.

*Volunteer Corps.* — Temporary Regimental Sergeant Major D. Leighton, Cameron Highlanders, is appointed Corps Sergeant-Major with effect from March 22.

*Health Department.*—During the absence of Dr. A. Stanley on leave from March 15, Dr. C. N. Davis, Assistant Health Officer, will undertake the duties of Health Officer.

Henceforward the official designation of Dr. A. Stanley, Health Officer, will be Commissioner of Public Health.

Long leave is granted to Inspector C. Champion from April 9.

Nurse D. M. Foucar is permitted to terminate her service on June 30.

*Electricity Department.* — Miss M. L. Storer is appointed Stenographer and Typist on three months' probation from March 1.

Long leave is granted to Mr. W. G. H. Forrest, Clerical Assistant, from May 15.

**Public Band.**

On Sunday next, April 10, at 5 o'clock, p.m., the programme will be as follows:—

Symphony Concert Season, November 1920—May 1921.

TWENTY FIRST CONCERT

Popular Music

1.—Overture "Cleopatra" Enna
2.—Suite de Ballet "Sylvia" Delibes
 *(a)* Prelude
 *(b)* Intermezzo—Valse Lente
 *(c)* Pizzicati
 *(d)* Cortege de Bacchus

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3.—Norwegian Carnival Svendsen
4.—Selection from "Samson and Dalila" Saint-Saens
5.—Welsh Rhapsody German

A. DE KRYGER,
*Assistant Conductor.*

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**Return of Communicable Disease.**

| Reported during the week ending Sunday, April 3, 1921. | Cases notified among Foreign resident population of 24,000 | Deaths among Chinese resident population of 780,000 |
|---|---|---|
| Small-pox | 0 | 0 |
| Cholera | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Paratyphoid Fever | 0 | — |
| Diphtheria | 0 | 1 |
| Scarlet Fever | 1 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis | 0 | 14 |
| Plague | 0 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 1 | 2 |
| Total Deaths from all Causes | 5 | 144 |

C. NOEL DAVIS,
*Acting Commissioner of Public Health.*

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# TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 所有承攬各項本局有權承認全份或幾份本局自有是否亦有利

二 所有承攬價目雖有不准辦理付人局亦自辦

三 擇行定估之後該承辦如有不准付人局亦有極低本局保留

人到局之保其用款本人遵照公信及同須辦理的認付之實

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後仍將該款一律有選擇

工公實封物加蓋火

信登記

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工公實封物加蓋火

信登記

## TENDERS INVITED

| No. | Description | Fee | Date for receipt of tenders |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **FIRE BRIGADE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from Headquarters, Central Fire Station, 1a Honan Road | | |
| 4 | 1 Gross Tunics<br>2 ,, White Cotton Trousers<br>2 ,, ,, Shirts<br>2 ,, Brass Numeral Badges<br>1 ,, Star Badges<br>1½ ,, Fireman's Caps<br>½ ,, ,, Peak Caps | — | April 15, Noon |
| | **POLICE FORCE** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road | | |
| 170<br>171<br>172 | 14,000 yards Khaki Drill<br>100 ,, ,, Cord<br>5,000 ,, Blue Camlet | — | July 31, Noon |
| | **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund | | |
| 600 | Supply and delivery of Interlocking Steel Sheet Piling, as follows:<br>500 lineal feet 7 feet long, with 25 corner pieces<br>500 lineal feet 12 feet long, with 25 corner pieces | — | April 22, Noon |
| | **ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT** | | |
| | Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, Administration Building, Foochow Road | | |
| 212 | Vulcanized Cable | Tls. 5 | May 5, Noon |
| 213 | Weatherproof Copper Cable | Tls. 5 | ,, 5, ,, |
| 215 | Three-phase Induction Motors | Tls. 5 | July 4, ,, |
| 218 | Erection of Steelwork Riverside Boiler House<br>Tenders to be addressed to the Engineer-in-Chief and Manager | Tls. 5 | April 21, ,, |

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